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MEDIA STATEMENT

KZN SAPS INVESTIGATES AFTER BULLET FOUND ON DOORSTEP OF KZN PUBLIC WORKS AND INFRASTRUCTURE MEC MARTIN MEYER'S DURBAN OFFICE.

KwaZulu-Natal Public Works and Infrastructure MEC, Martin Meyer, has opened a case with the SA Police Service after a bullet was found placed on the doorstep of his office, in Durban, on Monday, the 3rd of February 2025.

The bullet was found by staff members who had been reporting to the office in the morning, as per usual, and the relevant authorities were then contacted. MEC Meyer was also alerted of the findings as he was not in the office at the time.

This is the second bullet incident involving MEC Meyer. The first was shortly after coming into office last year at the back of declaring war against construction mafias.

It is unfortunate that this latest incident takes place as the MEC, along with office staff were returning to work after hosting a very successful two-day BUILD KZN BETTER conference at the Durban ICC where MEC Meyer had reiterated that the event will not be an envelope exchange platform for underhanded deals.

KZN Public Works and Infrastructure is currently taking a strong stance against corruption and fraud with a number of senior officials facing disciplinary processes and some even dismissed.

In response to the latest bullet incident, MEC Meyer is adamant that no amount of threats will deter him from rooting out corruption and malfeasance within the department. The MEC remains committed in continuing in the positive trajectory that KZN Public Works and Infrastructure finds itself in which will see it being a department that works for the people of KZN once again.

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