

MEDIA ALERT

To: All News Editors/Transport Journalists

Date 14 November 2022

AARTO Education Awareness in Thembisile Hani Local Municipality

In reaching to motorists in vast remote areas of South Africa, the Road Traffic Infringement Agency (RTIA) in partnership with Thembisile Hani Traffic Department will conduct Administrative Adjudication of Road Traffic Offences (AARTO) Public Education Awareness Campaign from 15 -19 November 2022.

The RTIA is taking AARTO services closer to the road user community. The road users will be assisted to check their AARTO infringement status, and are advised on how to resolve the same AARTO infringements by selecting from the available legislated elective options. The AARTO Act is aimed at enhancing law enforcement in municipalities by introducing a standard, equitable and fair traffic contravention system.

The five-day's activities will unfold as follows;

Thembisile Hani Local Municipality	
<p>15 November 2022 Time: 08:00am – 12:00pm Venue: KwaMhlanga Driving License Testing Centre Purpose: Know Your Traffic Fines Status</p>	<p>18 November 2022: Time: 08:00am – 12:00pm Venue: AARTO Friday at R573 Moloto Road next to Big Tree Mall Purpose: AARTO Public Education and Awareness and Know Your Traffic Fines Status</p>
<p>16 November 2022: Time: 08:00am – 12:00pm Venue: Vezubuhle Area Purpose: Knock n drop visiting household for AARTO Education and pamphleteering.</p>	<p>19 November 2022: Time: 08:00am – 12:00pm Venue: Phola Mall Activation Purpose: AARTO Public Education and Awareness and Know Your Traffic Fines Status</p>
<p>17 November 2022: Time: 08:00am – 12:00pm Venue: Long Distance Taxi Rank and Municipal Head Office in Kwaggafontein Purpose: Know Your Traffic Fines Status</p>	

Journalists who will be attending the AARTO Public Education awareness activities or requesting interviews should contact Emmanuel Tshehla 060 586 0877 or email: Emmanuel.Tshehla@rtia.co.za or Simphiwe Mokaku email: mashiyanes@thembisilehanilm.gov.za 079 770 5846.

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For more information on AARTO please contact the RTIA Spokesperson Monde Mkalipi on 082 575 3976.

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