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Celebrity Build -A- House Campaign Restores Dignity To Limpopo Citizens

The Department of Co-operative Governance, Human Settlements & Traditional Affairs (CoGHSTA) in partnership with SABC Foundation, and Sekhukhune Business people will on Thursday, the 17th of December 2015 @11:00 handover a house to the Diketane family at Maololo village at Ga-Mashabela, Makhuduthamaga Municipality under the theme "Partners, together providing homes to restore dignity to our communities".

This official hand- over of a house is part of the **"Celebrity Build a House"** campaign, a PPP initiative which seeks to lobby and mobilize stakeholders, the private sector/institutions and donor agencies to assist the Department towards reducing backlog in Human Settlements and basic needs. The campaign is a means of endorsing government's strategy of creating sustainable human settlements and the need for all sectors to participate much more robustly. It is particularly appropriate therefore, to explore social responsibility in the context of corporate governance, given that responsibility and accountability are two foundational principles of good governance.

On the day, the Diketane's, a family consisting of eight members and is child-headed (after they lost both parents between 2004 and 2005 respectively) will receive keys to a brand new three bedroomed house. The eldest daughter Georginah Molefe Diketane (34) works as a volunteer at a home based care in Daveyton and earns R2000 per month, which she uses to support her siblings. The plight of this family prompted SABC Foundation, Protoscape Ambulance, Tubatse Steel Hub and Zorah Khan Developers to heed to the call and build a house for this family.

Details are as follows: Date: Thursday, 17 December 2015 Time: 11:00 Venue: Maololo Village, Ga-Mashabela, Makhuduthamaga Municipality

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