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MEC Makhurupetje to pay last respects to the late Kgoshi Morwamoche

The MEC for CoGHSTA, Mme Makoma Makhurupetje will on Saturday, 26 August 2017 attend the funeral service of the late Kgoshi Ardilles III Kgoloko Morwamoche. Morwamoche Kgoloko III, *Bauba'a Ngwato* (32) is the first born son of the late Kgoshi Kgoloko Walter Morwamoche and Mmakgoshi Ntepane Caroline Morwamoche. He was born and bred at Madibong village, outside Jane Furse, in Makhuduthamaga Municipality, Sekhukhune District.

Kgoshi Ardilles Kgoloko III Morwamoche was appointed as the Senior Traditional Leader of Marota- Madibong Traditional Community and successor to his late father, Kgoloko II Walter Morwamoche who passed away in June 2014.

The Kgoloko Community of Madibong forms part of Bapedi ba Maroteng and they are the descendants of Kgoshi Thulare who died in 1824. They broke away from Bapedi ba Maroteng following the assassination of Sekhukhune I by his brother Mampuru. They moved to Masehleng, and ultimately settled at Madibong in 1900 where they established themselves as fully-fledged traditional community.

The funeral will be held as follows:

Venue: Madibong Village

Time: 06:00

For more information, kindly contact Motupa Selomo- Departmental Spokesperson, 015 284 5582, 082 717 0342

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