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## **MEDIA STATEMENT**

### **KWAZULU-NATAL PUBLIC WORKS AND INFRASTRUCTURE MEC TO CONDUCT INSPECTION OVERSIGHT AT RK KHAN HOSPITAL FOLLOWING R58 MILLION STORM DAMAGE**

On Friday, 2 May, MEC for KZN Public Works and Infrastructure, Martin Meyer, will lead an inspection oversight at the RK Khan Hospital which suffered roof damage during recent storms.

During the recent storms which battered parts of the province, Blocks D and E of the RK Khan Hospital, which houses patients, sustained severe structural compromise and leakages.

Due to the severity and time constraints the project was deemed urgent and immediately prioritized. As the custodian for maintenance and repairs to all provincial government buildings and assets the KZN Public Works and Infrastructure Department rated the project as priority.

During his visit MEC Meyer will also engage with senior officials of the hospital on the affects the storm has had prior to renovation work.

The visit will also form part of a series of inspections before being officially handed to the KZN Health Department.

#### **Details as follows:**

**Date:** 2 May, 2025

**Venue:** RK Khan Hospital (336 R K Khan Cir, Westcliff, Chatsworth, 4092)

**Time:** 10:30am

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