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SOUTH AFRICAN POLICE SERVICE

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Lim:Prov-DFO van Schalkwyk

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- A. All Cluster Commanders
South African Police Services
Limpopo Province
- B. All Station Commanders
South African Police Services
Limpopo Province

IMPLEMENTATION PLAN : PREPARATION FOR AMNESTY 2019/2020 : INSTRUCTIONS RELATING TO THE PROCESSING AND RECEIVING OF FIREARMS : LIMPOPO PROVINCE

1. Cluster and Station Commanders are instructed to immediately set up Cluster FLASH Teams led by the Cluster DFO Coordinator.
2. The Team of DFO's must immediately compile an audit of the individuals/persons in each policing precinct who were previously licenced to possess firearms, and who are now in illegal possession due to non-renewal of the licence.
3. Notices must then be sent out to such persons advising them to voluntarily hand in such firearms, during and within the proclaimed Amnesty period (01 December 2019 – 31 May 2020).
4. All voluntarily handed in firearms must then be properly recorded and taken to SAPS 13 Stores. All firearms handed in must be taken to Provincial Safe for IBIS tests within 48 hours after receiving the Firearm.
5. All those handing in firearms must be provided with documentary proof, and their particulars submitted for cancellation to the EFRS.
6. Once all the documentary process is finalised within 48 hours after receiving the Firearm all voluntary surrendered firearms must be brought to Province where they will kept pending destruction.
7. Firearms which are found to have been used in the commission of crime must be handled as exhibits, and not be disposed off pending the finalisation of the criminal case.
8. No persons may be turned away from any Police Station where such person intends to surrender or voluntarily hand in firearm (s), ammunition and/or firearm parts. Arrangements must be made for after hour receipt and collection and safeguarding of such surrendered items by identified members at all Police Stations taking into account smaller stations where there may be a shortage of personnel or secure lock up facilities such as walk in safes where alternative security arrangements must be put in place.

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9. Attached herewith find a detailed procedure to be followed in the processing and receiving of firearms, marked as per Annexure "A" (Amnesty 2019 process – firearms and ammunitions).
10. Cluster Commanders must acknowledge receipt of this Implementation Plan and submit the certificate that all Station Commanders have received and implement the Plan by 2019-11-28 for the attention Colonel van Schalkwyk and SAC Mathonsi via email Lim:Prov-DFO van Schalkwyk (on the global list) and MathonsiNC@saps.gov.za
11. TAKE NOTE : Paragraph 3 (supra) must only be auctioned after the Minister has signed and announced the Amnesty period.
12. Kind regards.



**MAJOR GENERAL
DEPUTY PROVINCIAL COMMISSIONER
POLICING
LIMPOPO PROVINCE
JP SCHEEPERS**

DATE : 22-11-2019



AMNESTY 2019 PROCESS – FIREARMS / AND AMMUNITION



