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Department of Police

MINISTRY OF SAFETY AND SECURITY

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MEDIA BRIEFING: REPORTED WEEKEND SERIOUS CRIMES: 20-22 MAY 2016

Namibian Police Force - Public Relations Division

Anro Court Building

14H00

OSHANA REGION

Ongwediva-Attempted Murder: On 20 May 2016 at 19:00 at Oupumako Cucashop in Ongwediva. Joseph Fredinad, Namibian Male 33 yrs old was shot in the leg with a pistol for unknown reasons. Suspect is Mhata Tangeni, Namibian male 38 yrs old and is arrested and pistol is confiscated. He is expected to appear in the Oshakati Magistrate Court on 23 May 2016. Police investigation continues.

Oshakati – Murder: On 20 May 2016 at 19:30 at Oshinyadhila village. It is alleged that Ananias Shinyemba Namibian male 22 yrs was hit with a brick in the head after an argument. The victim died instantly. The suspect Dominikus Joseph, Namibian male 19 yrs old was arrested and expected to appear in the Oshakati Magistrate Court on 23 May 2016. Police investigation continues.

OTJOZONDJUPA REGION

Kombat - Inquest: On 21 May 2016 at 22h00 at New Samarou resettlement farm 3 km outside Kombat. It is alleged that the deceased Elias Magere (07) was asleep in the house (iron shack) with the candle light on. The candle diminishes causing the room to catch fire. It is reported that the victim was alone in the room at that time and she burn to death. The next of kin is informed and a police investigation is launched.

Grootfontein – Inquest: On 21 May 2016 in Grootfontein town, unknown time. It is alleged that Hinckemann Ubertho (40) died instantly after he trip and hit his head on a stone. He was in the company of his drinking friends, walking back home when the incident happened. The next of kin is informed and police investigation continues.

ERONGO REGION

the Uis/Anigab gravel road, 15km from Uis to Anigab, Khorixas District, it is alleged that the driver of a Nissan Double Cab, with 09 passengers lost control over the vehicle causing it to overturn. One passenger Gavin Gaoseb died on the spot. Four (4) passengers' sustained serious injuries while five (5) including the driver sustained slight injuries. The seriously injured were transported to Omaruru

State Hospital for further treatment. The next of kin of the deceased is informed. Police investigation continues.

KHOMAS REGION

Culpable homicide – Katutura: On 21 May 2016 at 14h00 at Mix Location, Katutura; a 50-year-old driver bumped a 02-year-old girl. The girl was rushed to Lady Pohamba Private Hospital, however succumbed to injuries. The suspect is not yet arrested. Circumstances' surrounding the incident is being investigated by the Police.

No serious incidents were reported in the below mentioned Regions:

Zambezi Region

Kunene Region

Omusati Region

Oshikoto Region

Ohangwena Region

Kavango East Region

Regards

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