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SUBJECT: WEEKEND CRIME REPORT: 10 – 12 November 2017, 14H00

Ongwediva - Assault GBH on 10/11/2017 at around 02h00 at UTAG bar, Omatando no: 2 Ongwediva, two men 22 and 23 years old, were arrested for assaulting a 25 year old man. It is alleged that the trio were quarrelling over drinks (beer) and consequently a fight broke out. The victim sustained serious injuries and he was taken to Oshakati state hospital for treatment. Police investigation continues.

Success report on wildlife operation conducted by Protected Resources Division members on 10.11.2017 at Windhoek West at 0920hrs; two men (20 and 25) were arrested for Possession and Dealing in controlled wildlife product (c/sec.4 (1) (a) (b) of Controlled wildlife products and Trade Act, Act 9/2008). He was found with one live pangolin valued at N\$ 50 000.00. Police investigation continues.

Hosea Kutako - Culpable Homicide on 10.11.2017 at about 16:30 on the Windhoek/Hosea Kutako International Airport main road about 5km from the airport. A 26 year old woman Natacha Ferreira Alves died instantly after she was bumped by a vehicle while crossing the road. It is alleged that the deceased was with her father and her boyfriend and they just arrived in Namibia as tourists from Portugal. From the airport the spotted a tortoise crossing the road and they stopped and disembarked to have a look. On their return to their car the woman was knocked down by a passing vehicle. She died on the spot. The next of kin is informed. Police investigation continues.

Ondangwa - Robbery on 10/11/2017 at 10h00 at Oshiveli Dry Mini market at Ondiiyala location in Ondangwa; it is alleged that the suspect hit the complainant against the wall and threatened to killing her with iron bar. He demanded the safe key which he did not get but managed to remove recharge vouchers worth N\$700-00, a Sumsug galaxy j3 cellphone valued at N\$4780-00, a Hisense cellphone valued at N\$1600-00 and cash N\$3685-00. No arrest and no recovery. Police investigation continues.

Ongwediva - House breaking and theft on 10/11/2017 about 10: 30 at Ehambombali in Ongwediva; three suspects were arrested after they broke into a house. They managed to steal valuable items valued at N\$29 000-00. A pursuit was launched and the suspects were apprehended and all stolen items recovered. Police investigation continues.

Gibeon - Reckless and or Negligent driving on 10/11/2017 at about 20: 30 on the B1 road between Mariental and Keetmanshoop +/- 55 km from Mariental; it is alleged that the driver of a white Mercedes-Benz carrying two passengers bumped a cattle and the driver lost control of the vehicle. One passenger sustained serious injuries and was rushed to Mariental State Hospital. The trio are South African nationals. Police investigation continues

WalvisBay - i) Culpable Homicide, ii) Failure to ascertain the extend of injuries or damages sustained and to render necessary assistance. It is alleged that on 11/11/2017 between 03:30-04:00 on the B2 road between WalvisBay and Swakopmund, 15km from WalvisBay at Long beach; the body of John Robinson 38 year old was found on the road. It is suspected that he was bumped by a motor vehicle and repeatedly ran over by several vehicles. The next of kin is informed. Anyone with information or the drivers themselves are urgently requested to contact Detective Inspector Gurirab cell 0813182181; Detective Warrant Officer Nghiteeka 0812689687 or Sergeant Kapunda cell 0814475454. Police investigation continues.

Gobabis- Murder on 10/11/2017 at about 18:30hrs at Kanaan A, Epako settlement; a 17 year old boy was arrested after stabbing and instantly killing a 35 year old man. It is alleged that the victim and the suspect were drinking alcohol and an argument (unknown) began between the two to which the suspect pulled out a knife and stabbed the victim once in the back and victim died on the spot. The deceased is identified as Johannes Mokhatu and his next of kin is informed. Police investigation continues.

Bersig - Dealing in cannabis on 11/11/ 2017 around 00:20 at Bersig; a 35 year old man was arrested after his vehicle, a white Nissan double cap was stopped and searched. He was found in possession of a full and a half parcel of cannabis in the vehicle. The value and weight still to be determine, police investigation continues.

Rehoboth - Reckless and or negligent driving on 11/11/2017 at about 06:40 on the B1 main road between Rehoboth and Kalkrand +/- 3km from Rehoboth; it is alleged that the driver of a red Ford Fiesta lost control of the vehicle and it overturned. The driver as well as a passenger both sustained serious injuries and are admitted at St. Mary hospital. Police investigation continues.

Kalkrand - Reckless and or Negligent driving on 11/11/2017 at about 05:15 on the B1 main road between Kalkrand and Mariental +/- 8km from Kalkrand where the driver of a Toyota Corolla lost control over vehicle and the vehicle left the road and overturned. The driver (woman) as well as a passenger both sustained serious injuries and are admitted at Mariental State hospital. Police investigation continues.

Wanaheda - Inquest (Suicide) on 11/11/2017 at about 16:45 on a gravel road, at Brakwater near Plot 45 Nubnanis Hill; a Police Officer from VIPP Directorate committed suicide by shooting himself with a service pistol on the head. He is identified as Jonas Erastus Nakatati, 34 years old. It is alleged that the deceased shot himself after he overturned a vehicle he was driving, a Toyota Hilux D/Cab GRN 4896. The next of kin is informed. Police investigation continues.

Okatope - Inquest (Suicide) on 11/11/2017 at about 11:00 at Okaluwa village -Omuntele area; Toini Nakanyala, 78 years old was found hanging in her sleeping hut with a rope around her neck by her daughter. The next of kin are informed. Police investigation continues.

Katutura - Armed robbery on 11/11/2017 at about 09:30 at plot no 28-3-380 Brakwater; a Chinese national 37 years old was allegedly robbed by five unknown suspects who pretended to be police officers on duty. They handcuffed the complaint, tied up the wife and other three victims and removed the following items: one pistol, N\$ 500 000-00 cash, 10 000 yuan, five cameras, three watches, seven cellphones, wedding rings and necklaces. The total value is still to be determined. No arrest and no recovery. Police investigation continues.

Zambezi - Sangwali village on 11/11/2017 time not given; the body of a Mutelembi Mutelembi 28 year's old man was found in the house. The cause of death is not known, a post mortem will be conducted to determine the cause of death. The next of kin is informed. Police investigation continues.

Omakange - Unnatural death on 11/11/2017 around 05:55 at Omakange; Quite Sapalov Tuleingepo 55 years old was declared dead after he was rushed to the hospital. It is alleged that the deceased was sleeping together with his wife, while sleeping the wife noticed that he was breathing heavily and was rushed to Opuwo state hospital where he was declared dead. Postmortem will be conducted to determine the cause of death. The next of kin is informed.

Divundu - Combating of rape act, act 8/2000 on 11/11/2017 at about 01: 30 at Divundu Open makert, Mukwe district Kavango East, a 22 years old man was arrested for raping a 21 years old woman. It is alleged that the suspect unlawfully and intentionally dragged the victim from the bar to the open market where he threatened to kill her with a knife and forcefully had sexual intercourse with her without her consent. They are not related. Police investigation continues.

Tses - Rape and possession of cannabis on 11/11/2017 at 11:30 at Gainachas; a 42 year old man was arrested after he allegedly had sexual intercourse with 51years old mentally challenged women at her house. Upon arrest the suspect was found with 26 ballies of cannabis valued at N\$300.00. The suspect will appear tomorrow in the Keetmanshoop Magistrate Court. Police investigation continues.

Omahenene - Inquest (DROWNING) on 11/11/2017 at around 17:30 at Etaka Earth Lake, Ontoko village, Onesi Constituency, Omusati region. It is alleged that the deceased went with his two (2) daughters to catch fish at Etaka earth lake and the deceased went in the water after left the children at the edge of water. The children were waiting for their father to come back, but he never came out of the water and they went back home. The children reported the matter to their neighbor's today 12/11/2017 and the neighbors went to Etaka earth lake where they found the body of the deceased floating on top of water. The deceased is identified as Michael Ndapon, male, 33 years old and a resident at Ontoko village, Onesi Constituency, Omusati Region. The next of kin is informed. Police investigation continues.