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SUBJECT: WEEKEND SERIOUS INCIDENTS REPORT: 01 – 04 MAY 2020

Walvis Bay - Inquest (Suicide): on Friday 01/05/2020 about 15h50 in Hage Geingob Street, Walvis Bay, it is alleged that the lifeless body of Paul Christian (25) was found hanging from the roof of his room with a rope around his neck. No suicide note found. His next of kin were informed. Police investigations continue.

Possession/Dealing in drugs: over the long weekend, at least 31 Namibian males and one Angolan male were arrested in various Regions for dealing/possession of over 5 120 grams of drugs, such as crack cocaine, mandrax tablets and cannabis. The overall estimated value of the confiscated drugs over the long weekend is N\$853 750. Police investigations continue.

Ohangwena - Inquest (Drowning): on Friday 01/05/2020, it is alleged that Tuyoleni Teofelus Nghipunya, 30 years old Namibian male from Omhedi village drowned in the earth dam near Ndjukuma Primary school after he allegedly slipped while taking a bath. The body was retrieved from the dam by police divers. Next of kin were informed. Police investigations continue.

Etanga - Culpable Homicide: on Friday 01/05/2020 at around 02h00 at Omukwiyu Village, Marizuvaka Koruhamaa (age unknown) died on the spot after the vehicle he and four others were traveling overturned. It is alleged that after the driver lost control of the vehicle. The other occupants got injured and were rushed to Opuwo State Hospital for medical treatment. Next of kin were informed. Police investigations continue.

Bethanie - Illegal hunting: on Friday 01/05/2020 at about 21h00 at Helmeringhauzen, a white Isuzu bakkie was found abandoned in the veld with four Oryx carcasses, two hunting rifles, knives and an axe. The carcass are valued at N\$16 000-00. No arrest made yet. Police investigations continue.

Okahao - Housebreaking with intent to steal and Theft: on Friday 01/05/2020 at unknown time at Bwangela building material shop in Okahao town, it is alleged that the suspect used an unknown object to cut the padlock, gain entrance and stole N\$20 653-95 in cash. No arrest or recovery made yet. Police investigations continue.

Kahenge - Culpable Homicide, Driving a motor vehicle without a driving license and Use of Motor vehicle without owner's consent: on Saturday 02/05/2020 at around 19h24 at Bunya Village, a 21 years old male (driver) was arrested after he allegedly bumped Hama Ndahama Samasore (01) inside their homestead. The victim succumbed to her injuries at Bunya State Hospital. It is alleged that the deceased ran in front of the vehicle whilst the unlicensed driver was in the process of parking the vehicle in the house. Next of kin were informed and police investigations continue.

Wanaheda - Housebreaking with intent to steal and Theft: on Saturday 02/05/2020 at around 01h40 in Shanandoah Street, Wanaheda, it is alleged that the suspect cut the yard fence, then damaged the burglar door to gain entrance into the house and stole a TV set, a fridge and two cellphones altogether valued at N\$59 000-00. No arrest or recovery made yet. Police investigations continue.

Oshifo - Stock Theft and Importing animals into Namibia without a permit: on Sunday 03/05/2020 at around 11h00 at Okapika village in Omusati Region, it is alleged that the suspects were found in possession of two cattle (suspected to be stolen and they failed to prove ownership) which they imported into Namibia through the borders at an

un-gazetted port of entry without a permit. Both suspects (aged 32 and 34) were apprehended and taken to Outapi State Hospital for COVID-19 screening and confining process. Police investigations continue.

Oshikuku - Housebreaking with Intent to steal and theft: Between Friday 01/05/2020 and Saturday 02/05/2020 at Oshikuku town, it is alleged that the suspect used an unknown object to cut the window burglar bars, gained entry into the house and stole N\$500-00 cash and household items valued at N\$10 569-80. No arrest or recovery made yet. Police investigations continue.

Onayena - Rape: on Sunday 03/05/2020 at around 18h00 at Iikokola village, it is alleged that an 18 years old girl was raped by two males while on her way home from the neighbouring homestead. It is further alleged that the victim saw two males following her then one of them suddenly grabbed her on the arms whilst the other one held her on the mouth, dragged her into the nearby bushes and raped her. No arrest made yet. Police investigations continue.

Rundu - Rape: on Sunday 03/05/2020 at around 00h10 at Sauyemwa location, it is alleged that a 13 years old girl was raped by a 22 years old male. It is alleged that the suspect entered the victim's room and forced her to have sexual intercourse with him without her consent. The victim and the suspect reside in the same house. The suspect is arrested and he will appear before court today 05/05/2020. Police investigations continue.

Karasburg - Stock theft: on Monday 04/05/2020 between 07h00 and 08h00 at Kameel Doring resettlement farm, six males aged 18, 19, 19, 21, 22 and 26 years were arrested after it was alleged that they stole five sheep from the victim's farm. The police recovered all five sheep valued at N\$10 000. Police investigations continue.

Dordabis - Illegal Hunting: on Friday 01/05/2020 at unknown time at Farm Garib in Dordabis district, five males aged 29, 30, 32, 33 and 34 years old were arrested after they allegedly killed an Oryx (valued at N\$4000-00) with dogs and spears. The meat is recovered. Police investigations continue.

Dordabis - House breaking with intent to steal and Theft: on Saturday 02/05/2020 around 14h00 at Farm Hope, it is alleged that suspects broke into the house through the sitting room door and stole household items valued at N\$17 300-00. No arrest or recovery made yet. Police investigations continue.

Rundu – Robbery: on Saturday 02/05/2020 at Kehemu location, it is alleged that a female adult was assaulted and pointed with a firearm and ordered to surrender money by an unknown male. The suspected stole N\$1000-00 in cash from the victim. No arrest or recovery made yet. Police investigations continue.

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