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RE: FOUR LIFE IMPRISONMENT TERMS FOR ASSAULT AND RAPE

A 32 year-old Tshepo Sello Mokwena was on Friday sentenced by the Moretele Regional Court to four terms of life imprisonment on rape charges.

The accused would attack the victims around Babelegi industrial site and rape them. The court further ordered that he was automatically unfit to possess a firearm due to the nature of the offence.

The DPP North West, Adv Moipone Noko, is satisfied with the conviction and the harsh sentence and stated that this is an excellent achievement in dispensing justice to the victims of sexual and gender based violence, especially in the context of this scourge that is an attack against women and children reaching such crisis levels at the moment.

The Prosecutor, Muriel Masilana is commended on the job well done in this matter.

Kind Regards,

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