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**RE: NOUPOORT ATM BOMBER APPEARS IN COURT** 

27-year-old Elvin Kruger appeared in the Noupoort Magistrates' Court for bombing an ATM.

Kruger was successfully arrested on the day of the incident. He was found inside the ATM after a swift response made by the Noupoort Police which it had been damaged by explosives.

Kruger has a previous conviction of damage to an ATM, and he was sentenced to three years in prison with a year suspension.

He now faces three charges of malicious damage to property, attempted theft and possession of explosives.

The matter has been postponed to 06 April 2021 for bail application. His application of the Schedule 5 offence will be opposed by the prosecution.

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