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## Media Statement

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RE: **NPA concerned about the continued attacks on foreign nationals**

The National Prosecuting Authority (NPA) has noted with concern the criminal actions of violence committed against foreign nationals in the various townships of Gauteng Province in the past few days. Similar acts of violence had been committed in other provinces as well in the past, though not to the extent seen in the past few days.

The NPA as an organ of state involved in the fight against crime joins in with other stakeholders and the community at large in condemning these acts of violence. We have observed that the police are doing all in their power to contain this violence and to bring the perpetrators to book. The NPA is collaborating with SAPS in putting together mechanisms of giving particular attention to these matters. It is the view of both the NPA and SAPS that these matters should be dealt with, with the seriousness they deserve and should be finalized without delay.

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