

MEDIA STATEMENT

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SUBJECT: 300 TEMPORARY RESIDENTIAL UNITS (TRUS) COMPLETED IN KZN

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To date, 300 TRUs have been completed across KwaZulu-Natal to relocate families who are being housed in mass care centres after the devastating April floods. Other TRUs are in various stages of construction.

All spheres of government are working together to ensure that affected families are rehabilitated with speed, but without compromising quality.

uMgungundlovu District Mayor, Cllr, Mzi Zuma, appreciated the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Human Settlement's "speed and efficiency" in realising the construction of TRUs and the provision of building material to those families who could rebuild their homes.

Speaking during an engagement which marked the inspection of completed TRUs and handing over of building material in Mpendle Local Municipality on Friday, 17 June 2022, Cllr, Zuma heaped praise on MEC for Human Settlements & Public Works, Jomo Sibiya, and his Department.

The process of linking affected families in mass care centres across the Province with land parcels for the construction of TRUs is ongoing.

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