

FORM 38B

Notice of Abandoned/Orphaned Child

(Regulation 56 (1))

To: **The public/members of interested family/affected parties**

**Municipal District of Sara Baartman-Ndlambe Local Serve Office In the EASTERN CAPE Province,  
Republic of South Africa**

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**KINDLY TAKE NOTICE** that on 10 October 2024 a male/female child who apparently is abandoned or orphaned was reported to the local department of social development/designated child protection organization/hospital/police station at PORT ALFRED (place).

**KINDLY TAKE NOTICE** further that a designated social worker

Name and surname: **MS. PETERONETTE GOOSEN**

Office: **PORT ALFRED**

Address: **66 ALBANY ROAD, PORT ALFRED, 6170**

Tel.: 0466042109

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Email: Peteronette.Goosen@ecdsc.gov.za

Has been appointed to handle the matter of the below child.

The child's details are apparently as follows:

**Child's Name and surname:** Phikiswa Mdibaniso

**Child's estimated age:** 17 years

**Gender: Male/female/other:** Male

**Nationality:** South African

**Race Group:** Black

**Name of guardian (where applicable):** Nosisa Mdibaniso

**Last Known Address:** East London

**Reasons for issuing the notice:** For placement in Foster Care

**KINDLY FURTHER TAKE NOTICE** that this notice will be published also on the website of the Provincial Department of Social Development and may be removed once the child has been positively identified alternatively placed into relevant child protection or re-united with parents.

**IF YOU OR ANY PERSON KNOWN TO YOU** may be familiar with or known the child, kindly contact the above designated Social Worker or the nearest police station.

**KINDLY FURTHER** note that should no person claim the child within 30-days hereof, the child may be made available for foster care/adoption or other child protection measure at the discretion of the Children's Court.

In the meantime, mention below, is currently investigating the possibility of

**NB: The designated Social Worker may be contacted for further enquiries on the contacts stated above.**

**For Public Notice**

**Issued by: Provincial Head of Social Development: Eastern Cape Province**

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