

FORM 38B

**Notice of Abandoned/Orphaned Child
(Regulation 56(1))**

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

**Municipal District of Nelson Mandela Bay in
Eastern Cape Province, Republic of South Africa**

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KINDLY take notice that on 17/10/2025 a male/female child who apparently is abandoned or orphaned was reported to the local department of social development/designated child protection organisation/hospital/police station at Despatch (place).

KINDLY TAKE NOTICE further that a designated social worker, Name and surname : Nadine Landman Office CMR Despatch
Address 4 Sarel-Cillier Street Central Despatch Tel: 041-9335126/0049 /Mobile email
address: sw2cmrdespatch3@gmail.com has been appointed to handle the matter of the above child.

The child's details are apparently as follows:

Child's Name and surname: Unknown
Child's estimated age: newborn years;
Gender: Male/Female/other;
Description of features of the child; newborn baby
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Nationality: South African
Race Group: Black
Name of guardian/parent (where applicable)
Last known address: Bayland Informal settlement
Reasons for issuing the notice: Child was abandoned in the field

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 to 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.

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