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

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

**Municipal District of Sarah Baartman in Eastern Cape Province,
Republic of South Africa**

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KINDLY take notice that on the 12.03.26 **Onwabo Bhuka born on the 13.05.13 and Lisakhanya Bhuka born:22.07.22** was found to be in need care and protection and placed in temporary safe care with Ms.Patiwe Monica Layi. Their biological mother is deceased and their biological father's identity and whereabouts are unknown. They are reported to the Department of Social Development at **Makhanda**.

KINDLY TAKE NOTICE further that a designated social worker, **Noluthando Manzana**, office address: **Makanaskop Service office**, Joza Location Mobile:0833708866

Email: **Noluthando .Manzana @ecdsd.gov.za** has been appointed to handle the matter of the above child.

The child's details are apparently as follows:

Child's Names and Surname: **Onwabo and Lisakhanya Bhuka**

Child's estimated ages: 12 And 4 years

Gender: Male & Female

Nationality: **African**

Race Group: **Black**

Name of guardian/parents (where applicable): Patiwe Monica Layi

Biological father of the child is alleged to be unknown.

Biological Mother of the child is Thembisa Bhuka deceased.

Last known address: **Unknown**

Reasons for issuing the notice: **Children has not had contact with their biological father as it is reported to be unknown, and the biological mother is deceased.**

KINDLY FURTHER NOTICE THAT this notice will be published also on the website of the provincial department of social development, may be removed once 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 children , kindly contact the above mentioned 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 protection measures at the discretion of the Children's Court. In the meantime, mentioned 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/Child Welfare,
Eastern Cape.**

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