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Cessation of Executive Mayor's ANC Membership and consequent changes to the Mayoral Committee

Knysna Municipality hereby informs residents, municipal employees and stakeholders that it has received formal notification from the African National Congress confirming the termination of former Councillor Matika's membership of the ANC.

As Mr Matika is no longer a member of the political party that nominated him to the office of Executive Mayor, he is no longer a serving municipal councillor and, consequently, no longer holds the office of Executive Mayor of Knysna Municipality.

The cessation of his tenure as Executive Mayor also ends the tenure of the Mayoral Committee he appointed, with immediate effect. The municipality will ensure that all necessary statutory, administrative, legislative, and procedural requirements are followed to facilitate the appointment of a new Executive Mayor and the subsequent reconstitution of the Mayoral Committee.

Knysna Municipality acknowledges and appreciates Mr Matika's contribution during his tenure as Executive Mayor and thanks him for his service to the municipality and its residents. We wish him well in his future endeavours.

Residents and stakeholders are assured that this municipality remains committed to maintaining continuity in municipal administration, uninterrupted service delivery, and good governance throughout this transition.

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