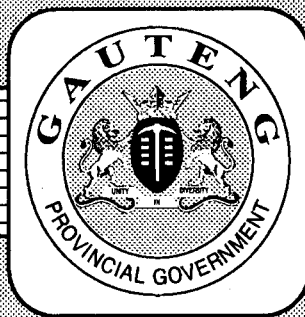


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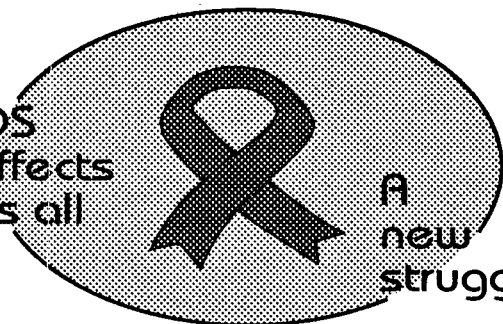
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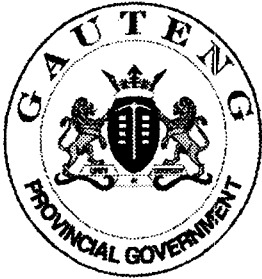
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GENERAL NOTICE

NOTICE 17 OF 2002

**GAUTENG DEPARTMENT
OF EDUCATION****NOTICE FOR THE PROPOSED MERGER OF NKWE
PRIMARY AND SHAKO-BOWA PRIMARY SCHOOLS**

1. By virtue of the power vested in me in terms of section 12 A of the South African Schools Act (Act 84 of 1996) I, Ignatius Patrick Jacobs, Member of the Executive Council responsible for Education, hereby intend to merge Nkwe Primary and Shako-Bowa Primary.
2. The reasons for the proposed merger are the following:
 - ◆ The learner enrolment at Nkwe Primary and Shako-Bowa Primary has declined rapidly over the past 3 years.
 - ◆ Nkwe Primary and Shako-Bowa Primary Schools are adjacent to each other.
 - ◆ The drop in the number of learners and the resultant loss of educators to the redeployment process made it difficult for the remaining educators to cope with subject differentiation and workload.
 - ◆ Shako-Bowa is a well built state school. It has the space and infrastructure to incorporate both Nkwe and Shako-Bowa Primary Schools.
 - ◆ It is not cost effective to maintain two schools separately.
3. The governing bodies of Nkwe Primary and Shako-Bowa Primary and other interested persons are hereby invited to make representations within 90 days of this notice. You can forward your representations to the following address:

Office of the MEC for Education
10th Floor, 111 Commissioner Street, Johannesburg, 2000.
P. O. Box 7710
Johannesburg, 2000
Fax: (011) 355 - 0542 or (011) 355 - 0640
For the attention of Vaughan Holmes

4. All written representations will be considered.

I. P. JACOBS
MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL FOR EDUCATION.

