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**AMENDED: ESTABLISHMENT OF CORRECTIONAL CENTRES AND REMAND
DETENTION FACILITIES**

I, **Makgothi Samuel Thobakgale**, the National Commissioner for the Department of Correctional Services, has been delegated the authority by the Minister of Correctional Services, published in Government Gazette number 53243 dated 29 August 2025, to establish and review in terms of section 5 of the Correctional Services Act, 1998 (Act 111 of 1998) as amended, the establishment and utilization of correctional facilities housing sentenced offenders.

The utilization of the correctional facilities housing sentenced offenders, published in Government Gazette Notice number 45816 of 2022 is reviewed, and amended only insofar as it refers to the correctional centre listed below:

C: CORRECTIONAL CENTRES HOUSING SENTENCED OFFENDERS
Freestate Northern Cape
11. Mangaung Correctional Centre (PPP) renamed with effect from 1 July 2026 to Grootvlei Maximum Correctional Centre



MS Thobakgale
National Commissioner
Department of Correctional Services

Date: 01/07/2026