MEDIA STATEMENT



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SANTACO Denounces Actions of Mpumalanga Patroller.

The South African National Taxi Council (SANTACO) strongly condemns the unacceptable behaviour of a Mpumalanga patroller who was captured on video mistreating a truck driver. We denounce any form of violence, intimidation, or harassment towards any road user.

Such actions are in direct contrast to the principles of our Hlokomela campaign, which promotes harmony, respect, and cooperation among all road users. As an organization, we value the safety and dignity of every individual on our roads. We will continue to work tirelessly to ensure that our members uphold the highest standards of professionalism and respect. We support law enforcement agencies in their efforts to investigate this incident and bring the perpetrator to justice. We also commit to supporting the truck driver in seeking support for damage endured

Our Hlokomela campaign remains a cornerstone of our efforts to promote a culture of mutual respect and cooperation among all road users. We will continue to educate and sensitize our members on the importance of upholding the highest standards of professionalism and respect.

We call on all road users to report any incidents of violence, intimidation, or harassment to the law enforcement authorities and to work together to create a safer and more harmonious road environment.

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