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Mineral Resources and Energy  
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### Media Invitation

To: All media

Date: 09 March 2022

### MINISTER MANTASHE TO OFFICIALLY HANDOVER THE REARATA PRIMARY SCHOOL

The Minister of Mineral Resources and Energy, Mr Gwede Mantashe (MP), will on Friday, 11 March 2022, officially handover the reconstructed Rearata Primary School in Vergenoeg, Ga-Segonyana Local Municipality, to the Department of Basic Education.

The reconstruction of the school was funded by South32 Hotazel Manganese Mine as part of its Social and Labour Plan (SLP) targets for 2019-2023, as espoused in the Mining Charter. The school boasts of classrooms that can accommodate up to 500 learners, admin block, a library, and a computer centre.

The Minister of Basic Education, Mrs Angie Motshekga is expected to receive the school on behalf of the Department. The Premier of the Northern Cape Province, Dr Zamani Saul is expected to lead the delegation of the Provincial Executive Committee, whilst South32 acting Vice President of Operations, Barry Bezuidenhout will lead the delegation from South32.

### Members of the media are invited to cover the programme scheduled as follows:

DATE : Friday, 11 March 2022  
TIME : 10h00  
VENUE : Rearata Primary School, Vergenoeg, Kuruman

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