



To: KwaZulu-Natal Premier, Thami Ntuli
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Subject: Urgent Intervention Required to Restore Water Supply to Schools in Ulundi

Dear Hon. Premier Ntuli,

I am writing to you to urgently request your intervention regarding the halting of water supply to schools in Ulundi.

There are allegations of a dispute between the Department of Education (DoE) and the Zululand District Municipality, which has led to the District switching off water supply to schools.

We do not believe that this dispute should not go unattended as education has been disrupted, severely affecting all learners, particularly Imbilane High School, where there has been no teaching and learning for the past two weeks due to the school's closure as a result of this unfortunate event.

The lack of coordination between the GNU led government and the Zululand District Municipality, have failed learners in Ulundi.

I therefore urge you as the coordinating body of government departments to intervene immediately and ensure that there is cooperation between the DoE and the District Municipality, ensuring the restoration of water supply to Imbilane High School and any other affected schools.

The education and future of our children must not suffer due to administrative and financial disputes. We trust you will prioritise this matter and facilitate a swift resolution.

Yours sincerely,

(unsigned as electronically sent)

Zwakele Mncwango
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