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TO: ALL DDG'S
ALL CHIEF DIRECTORS AND DIRECTORS
ALL PRINCIPALS
ALL SGB'S
ALL OFFICIALS OF THE ECDOE

FROM: SUPERINTENDENT-GENERAL

SUBJECT: INSTRUCTION NOTE 39 - PREVENTION AND MANAGEMENT
OF CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) – DEVIATIONS FOR EARLY
PHASING IN OF LEARNERS

DATE: 24 July 2020

1. On 23 July 2020 the Honourable President announced that schools will take a break for four weeks, except grade 12 learners (1 week) and grade 7 learners (2 weeks).
2. Regulations in terms of the Disaster Management Act will now follow, and thereafter Directions by the Minister of Basic Education.
3. Until we receive further clarity:
 - 3.1. All deviations for the early phasing in of learners previously issued, are hereby withdrawn with immediate effect, until further notice.
 - 3.2. No further applications for early phasing in of learners shall be considered, until further notice.
4. **District Directors are hereby instructed to ensure that this communication reaches all officials and public schools immediately.**

Yours faithfully



T. KOJANA
SUPERINTENDENT-GENERAL

24/07/20
DATE