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**MEDIA RELEASE**

**RE-OPEN OF ONSEEPKANS, RIETFONTEIN AND SENDELINGSDRIFT BORDER POSTS**

Namibia and South Africa have re-opened the Onseepkans, Rietfontein and Sendelingsdrift border posts as of 10 July 2022. However, the Sendelingsdrift port is not ready for immediate re-opening due to the water levels of the river.

The border posts have been closed since 2020 due to the Covid-19 pandemic, resulting in reduced trade and significant socio-economic hardship in both countries.

The opening of the borders is guided by the relaxation of health protocols governing the management of Covid-19 in South Africa.

Travelers are urged to respect the regulations and laws applicable in the respective countries as well as to continue to observe the Covid-19 protocols.

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