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MEDIA RELEASE

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TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF MR118 - ROSH PINAH TO ORANJEMUND ROAD

The Roads Authority (RA) hereby informs the public that due to the rising water levels of the Orange River, MR118 (Rosh Pinah – Oranjemund Road) has been closed with immediate effect, until further notice. Access on this route will be provided to emergency services vehicles only, if water levels allow.

As a precautionary measure, road users are advised to use the route across the border to South Africa at Swartkops gate in the interim. Namdeb is still busy with works on the Oranjemund-Luderitz route (which is a private road) and will inform the public when it will be opened to the general public, as a temporary alternative. Thus, motorists are kindly requested to plan their journeys accordingly.

The RA would like to thank all the affected stakeholders/motorists for their cooperation and patience during this period.

An update will be provided on all the relevant media platforms when the road is reopened.

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