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**LIMPOPO LEARNER KNOCKED AND KILLED BY A SCHOLAR TRANSPORT BUS.**

Limpopo Education MEC Mavhungu Lerule-Ramakhanya has learned with shock the death of a 7 year old learner who was knocked and killed by a scholar Transport Bus on Thursday afternoon. The grade 2 female learner from Muhluri Primary School under Hlanganani Circuit in Vhembe West Education District had just alighted from the bus when the accident happened. It is alleged that she was knocked by another bus when trying to cross the road. The learner was certified dead on the scene.

Social workers are expected to visit both the family of the deceased learner and the school tomorrow for Psycho-social support.

“A death of a learner is always tragic to the family and a great loss to the nation. I am deeply saddened by the untimely death of yet another learner in an accident. My thoughts are with the family and the learners during this difficult time. We will offer them all the necessary support”. Says MEC Lerule-Ramakhanya.

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