



MEDIA STATEMENT

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RTMC sends investigators to Pietermaritzburg collision scene

Gauteng -: The Road Traffic Management Corporation has sent investigators to the scene of a truck fire Pietermaritzburg to begin a probe into the collision. The investigators are already at the scene working with the police, members of disaster management and the fire department to establish the cause of the collision.

It has been alleged that a truck carrying ethanol lost control on the N3 near Peter Place and collided with construction vehicles and caught fire. Two people were confirmed dead on the scene and seven others were taken to hospital with serious injuries.

The N3 southbound in Townhill has been closed and light motor vehicles are being diverted at Midmar interchange to join the N3 toll route at Pietermaritzburg.

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