





DA Limpopo calls for action to address Limpopo Water Crisis



with six of the 10 municipalities in which the facing

Wilson indicated that this human resources skills and capacity crisis in the WSA's are compounded by the fact that 6 of the 10 municipalities, in which the WSA's are vested, are in financial distress.

"The municipalities are Mopani, Vhembe and Sekhukhune Districts, as well as Thabazimbi, Modimolle-Mookgophong and Mokgalakwena Local Municipalities. Sekhukhune is the only district municipality with a funded budget; the unfunded four districts cannot indicate how they will fund their expenses and have ineffective billing systems," she said.

Wilson informed that the situation is further exacerbated by incomplete bulk infrastructure projects, with remnants of abandoned projects scattered across the province.

"Remnants of incomplete bulk infrastructure projects are strewn across the province with 24 new, but incomplete projects implemented since 2023," Wilson noted.

She added that the DA is particularly concerned about the lack of access to piped water in Limpopo households, with 20.5% of households lacking access to this basic service, compared to the national average of 8.7%.

"It is clear that the ANC government in Limpopo does not have the capacity, nor the will to save our communities from the indignant suffering of a life without water," Wilson said.

The DA is calling on the MEC for COGHSTA, Basikopo Makamu, to submit corrective action plans with binding timelines to address the collapse of water infrastructure in the province.

"We demand that the MEC takes immediate action to address the water crisis in Limpopo," Wilson emphasized.





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Police in Limpopo net 822 suspects during

Operation Shanela



Illegal drugs were confiscated by the law enforcement agencies during Operation Shanela conducted in Limpopo from Monday 27 October to Sunday 2 November



The recent Multi-Disciplinary Operation, which involved various law enforcement agencies, has resulted in the arrests of more than 800 suspects across Limpopo



Unlicensed firearms and ammunition were recovered during the ongoing Operation Shanela in Limpopo Province.

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he Police in Limpopo arrested suspects through Operation Shanela, a high-density multi-disciplinary operation conducted in all five districts of the province.

The operation, which took place from Monday 27 October to Sunday 2 November 2025, resulted in the arrest of suspects for various crimes, including murder, rape, possession of unlicensed firearms, malicious damage to property, and burglary.

According to Brigadier Hlulani Mashaba, Limpopo Provincial Police Spokesperson, the operation was a success, with 822 suspects arrested and a range of items confiscated, including four firearms, 437,389 litres of alcoholic beverages, six

dangerous weapons, 1.02 kg of drugs, and 0.123g of cocaine.

The operation involved various enforcement agencies, including traffic police from both provincial and municipalities, the Department of Home Affairs, Border Management Authority, the Community Policing Forum, and private security companies.

"The actions conducted during the operation included stop and searches, roadblocks, high visibility patrols, vehicle checkpoints, and licensed liquor premises inspections," explained Mashaba.

He added that some of the notable arrests include 16 suspects arrested for possession of drugs, seven for possession of illegal cigarettes, 21 suspects arrested for rape, and 66 apprehended for assault common. Additionally, 38 unlicensed liquor premises were closed, and 411 premises were searched.

"The police are urging residents to report any suspicious activity to the authorities. All suspects are expected to appear before their respective courts across the province," Mashaba

Acting Provincial Commissioner of the Police in Limpopo, Major General Jan Scheepers, has welcomed the arrests and commended the members and all stakeholders who participated during the highdensity operations.

"These operations will be intensified to ensure the safety of residents, businesses, and visitors during this heightened festive season period and beyond," he

Suspect nabbed with unlicensed firearm in Luckau,

Zaaiplaas man arrested for rape in separate incident

ammunition, which had been reported stolen at Modimolle.

The arrest was effected by the Sekhukhune District Tracking and Investigation Team in the early hours of Monday 3 November 2025, at Luckau Village outside Groblersdal, Hlogotlou policing area.

According to Colonel Malesela Ledwaba, Limpopo Provincial Police Spokesperson, the suspect attempted to flee from police near a local tavern but was apprehended.

He said the suspect is

arrested a 27-year-old male facing charges of possession into her private parts. of unlicensed firearm and the investigation into the matter is a local hospital for medical continuing.

Meanwhile in a separate incident, the Police in Zaaiplaas near Monsterlus have arrested a 29-year-old male suspect in connection with a rape incident that occurred at a local tavern in the early hours of Sunday 2 November 2025.

Brigadier Hlulani Mashaba, Limpopo Provincial Police Spokesperson, said according to the information, the 27-year-old female victim was at a tavern in Zaaiplaas when the suspect allegedly grabbed her, pushed her to the ground,

LUCKAU/ZAAIPLAAS – expected to appear before the sexually assaulted her by The Hlogotlou Police have Nebo Magistrate's Court soon forcefully inserting his finger

> "The victim was taken to examination and treatment. The police subsequently opened a case of sexual assault and the suspect was swiftly arrested," explained Mashaba.

> He said the suspect is expected to appear before the Zaaiplaas Magistrate's Court soon, facing a charge of sexual

> Acting Provincial Commissioner of the Police in Limpopo, Major General Jan Scheepers, has strongly condemned the incident and welcomed the arrest.



The 27-year-old suspect during his arrest in possession of unlicensed firearm in Luckau

Serial rapists gets 125 years behind bars

MANAPYANE - A 32-yearold man, Mahlatse Tolonyane Matebane, from Manapyane Village outside Marble Hall, has been sentenced to 25 years direct imprisonment for a series of violent crimes committed across the Sekhukhune District.

The Polokwane High Court convicted Matebane on nine counts, including rape, attempted murder, robbery, housebreaking, and possession of unlicensed firearms and ammunition.

According to Colonel Malesela Ledwaba, Limpopo Provincial Police Spokesperson, Matebane committed the crimes between 2020 and 2023 in the Motetema, and Rakgoadi, Dennilton policing areas. "The sentence follows extensive investigations conducted by Detective Sergeant Raymond Phago, attached to the Sekhukhune District Investigation and Tracking Task Team, who successfully linked the accused to several cases," said Colonel Ledwaba.

Ledwaba said during the trial, the court heard harrowing details of Matebane's crimes.

"On 10 August 2020, the accused attacked a 20-year-old woman from Motetema, blaming her for reporting him to the police, dragging her into nearby bushes, threatening to kill her, and raping her. In another incident on 15 September 2020, Matebane attacked an 18-year-old schoolgirl in Rakgoadi, threatening her with a firearm, forcing her into nearby bushes, and raping her before fleeing into the mountains," explained Ledwaba.

He added that Matebane continued with his reign of terror where on 13 February 2021, he shot a 32-year-old man multiple times at a tuckshop in Mafisheng Village after a brief altercation. The victim managed to escape and later sought medical assistance at a local hospital.

Ledwaba said the court imposed 125 imprisonment for different counts including rape, attempted rape, housebreaking with intent to rape, robbery with aggravating circumstances and possession of an unlicensed firearm ammunition and escaping from lawful custody in Dennilton.



Mahlatse Tolonvane Matebane was sentenced to a combined 125 years imprisonment for a series of violent crimes committed across the Sekhukhune District.

Provincial The Acting Commissioner of Police in Limpopo, Major General Jan Scheepers, commended investigating officer and all members involved in ensuring that justice was served.

"This sentencing sends a clear message that gender-based violence and acts of brutality will not be tolerated. The dedication of our investigators in linking the accused to multiple cases is commendable and demonstrates our unwavering commitment to protecting vulnerable members of our communities," said Major General Scheepers.

EMLM celebrates progress in First Quarter Performance



EMLM Municipal Manager, Namudi Regina Makgata, delivering notable achievements of the municipality during the 2025/2026 First Quarter Performance Lekgotla.



EMLM Mayor Cllr David Tladi, led the municipality's 2025/2026 First Quarter Performance Lekgotla at the Municipal Council Chamber in Groblersdal.

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The Elias Motsoaledi Local Municipality (EMLM) recently convened its 2025/2026 First Quarter Performance Lekgotla at the Municipal Council Chamber.

 $The session, led by {\it EMLMMay} or$ Cllr David Tladi, commenced at 10h00 and brought together the Municipal Executive, Councillors, Senior Management, and key stakeholders to review the municipality's performance for the first quarter of the financial year. The Lekgotla served as a strategic platform to assess progress, strengthen accountability, and identify areas for improvement.

Delivering the municipality EMLM overview, Municipal Manager, Namudi Regina Makgata, delivered a notable progress that has been made in areas such as infrastructure development, financial management, and community engagement programmes.

She stated other several major projects which are underway, including the upgrading of the 4.5km Kgobokwane/Kgapamadi Access Road and Stormwater Control, funded through the Municipal Infrastructure Grant (MIG) with a budget of R26,

062,851.00. The project has achieved 92% physical progress and is expected to be completed by the end of October 2025.

Other projects significant progress include the Upgrading of the 3.2km Maraganeng Internal Access Road, with a budget of R11, 054,932.00.

The upgrading of the 5.2km Mokomung/Marateng Taxi Rank, and the refurbishment of the Tafelkop Sports Stadium funded through MIG to the value of R11, 215,000.00.

The Malaeneng-A-Ntwane Access Road and Stormwater Control project was in a spotlight and has been successfully completed.

These projects highlight the municipality's commitment improving infrastructure and service delivery across its communities.

The municipality's development infrastructure initiatives are set to bring tangible benefits to residents, with several projects nearing completion. The Elias Motsoaledi Local Municipality remains focused on delivering essential services and improving the lives of its community members.

Family of murdered cousins calls for justice and harsh sentence



The Moramaga cousins who were brutally murdered in Mamelodi were laid to rest in Luckau on Saturday 1 November 2025.

The grieving family of two cousins murdered in Mamelodi is demanding justice and a harsh sentence against the perpetrator. 22-year-old Tshiamo Moramaga 21-year-old Baleseng Moramaga were found with gunshot wounds on Sunday 26 October 2025.

Their funeral service was held at Luckau Village outside Groblersdal on Saturday 1 November 2025.

The cousins, who were studying at the University of South Africa (UNISA), were eagerly anticipating the festive season and their final exam

Family spokesperson, Edward Moramaga, described the cousins as inseparable, saying they "lived

like twins their entire life as they gunshot wounds. were always together."

deep sorrow and frustration over faces charges of premeditated the brutal killing, with Moramaga calling for a harsh sentence for the accused. "We want justice for our daughters," he emphasized.

A 38-year-old man, Tebogo Mnisi, has been arrested in connection with the murders. According to the police, Mnisi allegedly shot the cousins after they declined his advances at a nearby entertainment venue.

The suspect, who was reportedly heavily intoxicated at the time, became violent and pursued the cousins, shooting them both. The third victim, a young male who was in company of the slain cousins, is recovering in hospital after sustaining

Mnisi was arrested at a The family has expressed their filing station in Pretoria and murder, attempted murder, and possession of an illegal firearm.

> He abandoned his bail application in the Mamelodi Magistrate's Court and will remain in custody until the case returns to court in January 2026.

> The National Prosecuting Authority (NPA) has condemned the killings and reiterated its stance against gender-based violence and femicide.

> The community has also rallied behind the family, demanding justice for the victims.

> As the family mourns the loss of their loved ones, they are calling for the harshest sentence possible against Mnisi.



The family of slain cousins, 22-year-old Tshiamo Moramaga and 21-year-old Baleseng Moramaga, is calling for justice against the suspect, Tebogo Mnisi who allegedly shot and killed the young women in cold blood at the streets in

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Dullstroom Road accident victims laid to rest in Kgautšwane

KGAUTŠWANE – Five of six has prompted an outpouring of car crash victims from Fetakgomo Tubatse Local Municipality (FTLM), who died in a devastating car accident on the R540 Dullstroom Road, were laid to rest on Saturday 1 November 2025 during a mass funeral in Kgautšwane Village FTLM Ward 24.

The tragic incident occurred on Sunday 26 October 2025, and condolences from local leaders and residents.

According to reports, the accident involved a GWM Sport Utility Vehicle (SUV) and a minibus taxi in a T-bone collision.

All six victims, who died at the scene, were passengers in the taxi. Eight people sustained serious injuries, including seven passengers and the SUV driver.

The Mpumalanga Department of Community Safety, Security and Liaison has urged motorists to exercise greater vigilance to prevent further loss of life on the province's roads.

"We remain deeply concerned by the number of fatalities caused by road crashes that could be avoided with more responsible

driving," said Mpumalanga MEC for Community Safety, Security and Liaison, Jackie Macie.

FTLM Mayor, Cllr Eddie Maila, attended the mass funeral to pay final respects to the victims.

The mayor was accompanied by members of the Executive Committee, including Cllr Queen Moeng who is FTLM MMC for Budget and Treasury, and FTLM MMC for Technical Services Cllr Halinda Mojalefa.

Addressing the mourners, Mayor Maila expressed deep sorrow and offered support to the grieving families on behalf of the municipality and its residents.

"We came today because community our is grieving. As government, we must always draw closer to people,

FTLM Mayor, Cllr Eddie Maila, addressing mourners and the grieving families on behalf of the municipality.

especially in moments of sorrow to comfort, support and mourn with them. We are government because of the people," he said.

The mayor emphasized the importance of responsible driving, urging taxi associations and all motorists to obey road regulations and drive responsibly to minimize road fatalities.





Mourners and families of the fatal crash victims laying to rest the deceased at Kgautšwane Village in FTLM.



PUBLIC NOTICE

AN UPDATE ON BULK WATER SUPPLY FROM THE CITY OF **TSHWANE METROPOLITAN MUNICIPALITY AND PUBLIC HEALTH ASSURANCE**

Thembisile Hani Local Municipality (THLM) is aware of recent media reports regarding a typhoid fever outbreak under investigation in parts of Gauteng, including Hammanskraal and Bronkhorstspruit.

Whilst the City of Tshwane (CoT) remains one of the bulk water suppliers to THLM, the last date of the supply of water is the 10th of October 2025, and there is no water currently supplied to THLM due to on-going refurbishment works at the Bronkhortspruit Water Treatment Works (WTW).

THLM continues to supply water from Rand Water, the Bundu WTW, and internal Borehole Schemes, and the treated water is disinfected to eliminate harmful microorganisms before distribution.

Our recent (October 2025) microbiological test results from an accredited laboratory

- E.coli was absent in most samples in line with SANS 241 standards.
- Total coliform levels remained within acceptable limits.
- All treated water from Bundu WTW and reservoirs complied with national drinking water standards.

The above is therefor reassurance that the water supplied to residents by THLM remains safe for human consumption and household utilisation.

On a note of continued precaution, the public is advised to:

- · Store drinking water in clean, covered containers.
- Wash hands before eating or preparing food.
- · Report any water discoloration or odour to the Municipality.
- · Seek medical attention if experiencing symptoms such as fever, headaches or abdominal pains.

THLM remains committed to ensuring safe drinking water for all, and the community will be informed on developments bulk water supply from the CoT.

Mr. D.J.D. Mahlangu **Municipal Manager Thembisile Hani Local Municipality** 06 November 2025

Mathye commends law enforcement for tireless efforts in October



Limpopo law enforcement officers had been hard at work during October

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The MEC for Transport and Community Safety, in Limpopo Violet Mathye, has commended law enforcement agencies for their tireless efforts in promoting road safety throughout October, which is observed as Transport Month in South Africa.

The MEC applauded Limpopo Traffic Officers and other law enforcement agencies their dedication to combating overloading and unroadworthy vehicles, which resulted in at least 32 minibuses being impounded for non-compliance with road traffic laws.

The MEC also highlighted the success of the Phuza Weekend operations, which saw 122 drunk drivers arrested during October. This achievement underscores the commitment of law enforcement agencies to making Limpopo's roads safer for all road users.

She further warned that law enforcement will continue to show no leniency to those who disregard traffic laws and endanger lives. "As we move into the festive season, it is crucial that we remain vigilant and committed to road safety," the MEC emphasised.

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Thembisile Hani Local Municipality (THLM) invites suitably qualified applicants for the following vacant position(s):

CLOSING DATE 14 November 2025

@ 16H00

Corporate Services Department

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Community Development Services Department

General Worker

Technical Services Department

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- General Worker

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Human Resources Enquiries: Ms. N.P. Tjia and/ or Ms. N.A. Mfiso at 013 986 9169 and/ or tjian@thembisilehanilm.gov.za and mfison@thembisilehanilm.gov.za respectively

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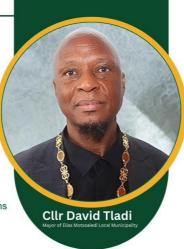
Candidates must be willing to be subjected to background screening and/or security clearance processes.

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APPLICATIONS



The Municipal Council of the Elias Motsoaledi Local Municipality invites applications for financial assistance from well-performing matriculants who wish to further their studies at public or private institutions of Higher Learning. The Bursary will cover study, tuition and/or registration fees up to the maximum of R10.000.00 only.



TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR SELECTION, THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS SHALL APPLY

- · The applicant should be a resident of Elias Motsoaledi Local Municipality.
- The applicant should have received provisional acceptance letter from the Public Institution of Higher Learning and Further Education and Training, Universities, Universities of Technology and FET/ TVET Colleges in RSA.

IN MAKING THE FINAL DECISION, PREFERENCE WILL BE GIVEN TO:

- The bursary/ financial assistance is intended to assist well perfoming financially needy students.
- · Attached certified of copy ID (Not older than 3 Months).
- · Proof of Residence (endorsed by the Municipality).
- · Parents or guardians' proof of income or affidavit if there is no income.
- · Recent statement of results.
- · Acceptance Letter from the post school education and training institute.

There is a limited bursaries available and should you not have received any correspondence from the municipality within 30 days from the closing date, please consider that your application has been unsuccessful.

COMPLETED APPLICATION FORMS SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO:

The Municipal Manager

Elias Motsoaledi Local Municipality P.O. Box 48, GROBLERSDAL, 0470

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N.B Application forms are obtained from our website: www.eliasmotsoaledi.gov.za, Main Office, Satellite Offices, (Hlogotlou, Motetema, Roosenekal and Uitspanning) from 07h30a.m - 16h15p.m.

> For More Infor: Mr Andy Tshehla Youth Cordinator 013 262 3056/079 738 9928













EFF Sekhukhune hails recent SDM Council resolutions



EFF Councillor in SDM, Ali Maloba, says the party is pleased with the recent SDM Council resolutions which are set to probe alleged corruption between the district municipality and LNW Scheme.

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The Economic Freedom Fighters (EFF) in Sekhukhune District Municipality (SDM) is hailing a recent council resolution that seeks to investigate an allegedly illegal contract between the municipality and Lepelle Northern Water Scheme (LNW).

According to Ali Maloba, EFF Councillor in SDM, the council resolutions, taken on Thursday 30 October 2025, are a step in the right direction.

Part of the resolutions, the council resolved to launch investigation into contract entered into with LNW Scheme as soon as possible.

The council also resolved to probe alleged outstanding multimillion-rand invoices without evidence of projects done or completed by Lepelle Water

Maloba stated that the SDM council agreed that they will

also demand certificates of project completion submitted by LNW Scheme be investigated, while officials and the legal advisor responsible for signing the alleged illegal contract will be held responsible, including involved political leadership.

"As the Economic Freedom Fighters Sekhukhune District Caucus, we will continue protecting the public purse by exposing hidden organised corruption committed by state organs," Maloba said.

Maloba indicated that the EFF has noted that Northern Lepelle Water Board continues to invoice Sekhukhune District Municipality for jobs not done, with "ghost invoices" being a major concern.

"The party has welcomed the council's decision to challenge and revoke the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between the municipality and Lepelle Northern Water Scheme," he said.



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Minimum Requirements for Compulsory Subjects		
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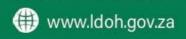


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ENQUIRIES CLOSING DATE: 30 NOVEMBER 2025

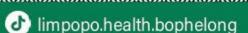
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Water infrastructure failures spark outrage in Sekhukhune



Residents of Ga-Moloi Village in Makhuduthamaga Municipality say they are not happy with SDM's incomplete water projects. The community say they are demanding accountability and transparency on the stagnated projects.

GA-MOLOI - Residents of Ga-Moloi Village outside Jane Furse in Makhuduthamaga Local Municipality (MLM) Ward 10, are infuriated over the alleged repeated failure of water infrastructure projects in Sekhukhune.

Residents claim despite numerous initiatives by Sekhukhune District Municipality (SDM) over the past two decades, the community still lacks reliable access to water.

According to a community leader, Katlego Mnisi, three major water projects have been launched, but none have been successfully completed or delivered sustainable access to water.

The projects include installation of water pipes and taps in the 2002/2003 financial year, but none of them ever worked. "The project was abandoned without accountability," Mnisi said.

He added that another water project, consisting of a new set of taps was installed, but only a few are functional.

"The majority of the taps remain dry, and the community still lacks reliable water access," informed Majori

He said in 2022, the district municipality promised to install boreholes following public disputes with former Executive Mayor Stanley Ramaila. However, the boreholes were drilled but never completed or equipped. The excuse given was "too much clay," yet no alternative solution was provided.

"The situation is further complicated by the damaged main pipeline that once supplied water to St Ritas Hospital. The pipeline has been lying in disrepair for years, and water is now delivered by trucks, raising serious concerns about cost, sustainability, and corruption," said Mnisi

Mnisi has called for a full forensic audit of all three water projects, including the borehole initiative and the St Ritas pipeline.

"We demand answers, accountability, and action. Water is a basic right, not a political promise. We need transparency and accountability in all future water infrastructure planning," he said.

Mnisi said residents also demand a public disclosure of all procurement records, contractor names, and payments made.

"We will not be silenced. We will continue to demand our rights and hold our leaders accountable. It is time for action, not promises," he said

The SDM is yet to respond to enquiries sent by the publication.

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Sekhukhune's winless run continues after another draw

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ekhukhune United and Richards Bay could not be separated in their latest Betway Premiership assignment at the Peter Mokaba Stadium on November 4, the game ended 1-1 in Polokwane.

The draw extended Sekhukhune United's winless run to four matches in the Betway Premiership.

Following a first-half that was largely dominated by Sekhukhune, goals on either side by Ronaldo Maarman and Gabadinho Mhango in the second-half saw the game end in a stalemate.

.Sekhukhune dominated on the ball during the first 15 minutes but were often let down at the final hurdle, as Richards Bay held on.

The Natal Rich Boyz did little to

trouble the Sekhukhune defensive unit throughout the first 45, with Gabadinho Mhango looking to make things happen for his side.

Nevertheless, with neither side able to break the deadlock, the game ended 0-0 at the break, Babina Noko's pressure eventually paid off with around 20 minutes left to play after substitute Ronaldo Maarman added his name to the scoresheet following a swift attacking move into the Natal Rich Boyz area.

Richards Bay then drew level in the 77th minute after Mhango made the most of a rare attack late on in the half as he guided the ball home from close range following a set-up by Lwandile Mabuya. Both sides were unable to convert their goal scoring opportunities as the game ended in a draw.



Bright Ndlovu received a Man of the Match award for his outstanding performance against Richards Bay FC.







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