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Limpopo Traffic Officers busted for alleged corruption

The Road Traffic Management Corporation's National Traffic Anti-Corruption Unit and the Hawk's Serious Corruption Crime Unit have arrested 11 traffic officers in Mokopane, Limpopo in their unrelenting campaign to address bribery and corruption in the traffic law enforcement fraternity.

The officers aged between 32 and 54 were arrested following intensive investigations into the allegation of bribery and unethical conduct among traffic officers in the province.

The latest arrests brings the total number of traffic officers arrested in this province to 33 since December 2017.

The suspects are expected to appear before the Mokopane Magistrate Court tomorrow (31 January 2018) on charges of corruption. Investigations are continuing and more arrests can be expected.

The success of this operation should send a clear message to traffic officers that crime does not pay and they must strictly adhere to the terms and conditions of their employment.

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