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RTMC Mourns the Brutal Killing of its NTP Officer and Injury to Another

Pretoria: It is with a deep sense of sorrow that the Road Traffic Management Corporation reports about a brutal attack that left one of its National Traffic Police officer dead and another recovering in hospital.

The attack took place in the early hours of this morning when the officers, who were on duty near Diepsloot in Johannesburg, went to get food at a nearby filling station.

It is believed that a crime was in progress when the officers unknowingly drove into the filling station.

They came under fire from the criminals and one was fatally wounded and other died on the scene.

A colleague suffered severe injuries and was airlifted to hospital where he is in critical condition.



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The RTMC is deeply saddened by the tragic event and sends its sincere condolences to the family, friends and colleagues of the deceased officer. We pray for the speedy and full recovery of the injured officer.

The RTMC will provide psycho-social support to the affected families.

Counselling will also be extended to other NTP officers as well.

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