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KZN TREASURY POISED FOR ROBUST AND IMPACT-BASED PERFORMANCE

KZN Treasury, after reflection and review of its strategic vision, is poised to jerk up its focus and become more responsive to the needs of communities through enhanced support to departments, public entities and municipalities.

MEC for Finance, Nomusa Dube-Ncube, has emphasised the need to ensure improved and impact-based performance of the Department in respect of the legislative role it plays in the KwaZulu-Natal Provincial Administration.

“There is a room for us as KZN Treasury to play a more visible and effective role as defined by relevant legislations that govern our mandate. Coming out of our strategic planning review, we are determined to take advantage of technology-based systems to improve our performance and operation as a department,” said MEC.

Dube-Ncube said there is a need to improve our work every year and show something new that we did not do the previous year.

The strategic planning review was about looking back and realise the weaknesses that KZN Treasury may have had and solutions to them as well as a new approach to ensure that work is improved and new innovations are found.

Dube-Ncube emphasised that the need to check the extent to which technology can be better used to improve the work of supporting departments, public entities and municipalities.

“We need to look at how do we sharpen our axe. How should we be complementing one another in order for us to achieve what we need to achieve. We also need to work on becoming more externally focus as opposed to internally focused. We have Batho Pele principles which guide us on how we need to prioritise people. These principles teach us that being in government is not about us, but about people, hence the need to see how we can really ensure that we sharpen our external focus, she said.

The two-day session has imbued confidence and renewed energy to management to challenge themselves to perform even better than the previous years.

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