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MEDIA ADVISORY

MINISTER PATRICIA DE LILLE TO UNVEIL TOURISM INFRASTRUCTURE ENHANCEMENTS AT SANPARKS AGULHAS LIGHTHOUSE PRECINCT

On 14 April 2026, the Minister of Tourism Patricia de Lille will unveil the newly built tourism facilities at the Agulhas National Park's Lighthouse precinct in the Western Cape province.

The Agulhas Lighthouse Precinct development is a collaborative tourism infrastructure investment between the Department of Tourism and South African National Parks (SANParks) to enhance visitor experience, stimulate local economic development and strengthen destination competitiveness.

Located at the southernmost tip of Africa, the Agulhas National Park conserves a uniquely biodiverse natural environment, and the rich culture of the Khoisan community dating back to the 1800s. Revered for its breathtaking coastal views, Agulhas Lighthouse Precinct is a popular destination for maritime history enthusiasts and for visitors who enjoy immersive cultural experiences that are offered in the neighbouring towns.

Tourism's newly built infrastructure facilities, including a 60-seater restaurant, an interpretation centre and various visitor amenities, will enhance the historic Agulhas Lighthouse precinct and surrounds, positioning it as a premier destination within the Overberg region.

Join us where two oceans meet as we celebrate the upgrade of this historic tourism attraction and highlight the socio-economic impact of infrastructure projects in creating employment opportunities, skills transfer, and SMME empowerment in tourism communities.

MEMBERS OF THE MEDIA ARE INVITED AS FOLLOWS:

Handover of the Agulhas Lighthouse Precinct

DATE: Tuesday, 14 April 2026
VENUE: Agulhas National Park - The Lighthouse Precinct, Western Cape Province
TIME: 08h30 for 09h00

RSVP: Members of the media and confirm their attendance via email it to Mr. Bheka Kweyama at the Department of Tourism **by 13 April 2026** on E-mail: bkweyama@tourism.gov.za or Tel: 071 868 4141