



## MEDIA STATEMENT

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### **SACE CONGRATULATES NORTH WEST PRINCIPAL MS AGNES RASESEMOLA FOR WINNING THE 2021 AFRICAN UNION CONTINENTAL TEACHER AWARD.**

The South African Council for Educators (SACE) CEO, Mme Ella Mokgalane congratulates Ms Agnes Rasesemola, who is a Principal from Sunrise View Secondary school for having won the 2021 African Union Continental Teacher award. The African Union made an official announcement at an official ceremony held at Addis Ababa in Ethiopia, on Tuesday, 30 November 2021.

Rasesemola appreciated the opportunity provided by the department to represent the country at the AU Continental Teacher Awards. "I am humbled by winning this colonial award, I wouldn't have made it without the entire team of colleagues and parents of Sunrise View Secondary school. I want to thank the Basic Department of Education which deemed it fit that I should represent the country at the AU Continental Teacher Awards. This award is not only for me but the people of South Africa and the North West province. I believe my knowledge I have acquired in my journey will benefit the entire sector of education", said Rasesemola.

The African Union Teacher Awards are established as means to demonstrate respect for teachers and the teaching profession, by encouraging and celebrating committed teachers in Africa.

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