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ON FEMICIDE...

DDP and Diakonia invites you to a citizen's forum on the chilling phenomenon of Femicide

Ntombizodwa Dlamini, Zolile Khumalo, Siam Lee and Karabo Mokoena are but a few of the most recent intimate femicide victims, and the list seems to grow every day.

A report by Africa Check revealed that the global rate of femicide for 2015 was 2,4 per 100 000 women. South Africa's rate for the same year was 9,6 per 100 000 women – a chilling four times higher.

Has the state, and society become complicit in the creation of an environment that is hostile towards females, and in the silencing of their voices?

Join us as we attempt to unearth some more of these questions, and put forward potential ways of creating a more "gender-just" society.

We will be joined by political analyst and scholar, **Mr Lukhona Mnguni**, as well as the **Commission on Gender Equality (KZN)** to help frame the discussions for the day.

Date: 14 June 2018

Time: 8.30am – 2pm (ending with a light lunch)

Venue: Diakonia Centre

Please RSVP to Thandiwe Klaas at rsvp@ddp.org.za no later than 06 June 2018