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## **President Nangolo conveys Message of Condolences to His Excellency Felix Tshisekedi, President of the Democratic Republic of Congo and the Congolese people following a boat disaster that killed 80 nationals**

The President of the Republic of Namibia, President Nangolo Mbumba, has learned with sadness of the boat disaster that claimed the lives of over 80 people in Mai-Ndombe province, on the 12<sup>th</sup> June 2024.

In his message of condolences, President Nangolo Mbumba says:

*"I am devastated to learn about the tragic boat accident that has claimed over 80 civilian lives on the Kwa River in the Mai-Dombe Province, Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC).*

*On behalf of the people and the Government of the Republic of Namibia and her people, I extend my sincere condolences to my brother, His Excellency Félix Antoine Tshisekedi Tshilombo and to the people of the Democratic Republic of Congo. We stand in solidarity with you and share in your loss.*

*May the bereaved families and the fraternal people of the DRC be consoled and comforted during this grim period."*

**ISSUED BY THE PRESIDENCY OF THE REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA**

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