

PREMIER MAKES THE DEADLINE!

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EASTERN Cape Premier Phumulo Masualle reshuffled his provincial cabinet yesterday.

Masualle was told last month to restructure his cabinet after the ANC's national leadership and the PEC decided to keep him as

premier and declared Oscar Mabuyane's election as provincial chairman valid.

Masualle said: "According to this new political communication, it became necessary to review the provincial government Exco and enable members of the new provincial leadership to serve in the provincial cabinet."

Changes to the Eastern Cape provincial government Exco are as follows: economic development, environmental affairs and tourism and provincial treasury MEC is Lubabalo Mabuyane; health MEC is Helen Sauls-August; human settlements MEC is Mlungisi Mvoko; public works MEC is Pemmy Majodina; rural development and agrarian reform MEC is Xolile Nqatha; social development MEC is Pumza Dyantyi and MEC for sport, recreation, arts and culture is Bulelwa Tunyiswa.

Masualle thanked the outgoing members of the provincial Exco for their loyalty and dedication to the people of Eastern Cape.

"I wish them well in their future endeavours. I also welcome and wish the new members of the provincial Exco well in their new responsibilities."

Masualle wishes new Exco well

Eastern Cape's Premier Phumulo Masualle reshuffled his cabinet yesterday. Photo by Luvuyo Mehlwana