

Section 100 intervention hailed

ELFAS TORERAI

THE ANC in North West said it welcomed the section 100 intervention that put the entire provincial management under administration.

The ruling party's provincial executive committee said it hoped the intervention "seeks nothing else but to strengthen existing efforts of delivering services to our people of Bokone Bophirima".

"Our view is that the Cabinet should rather adopt a more supportive role to the province and not put the entire administration under Section 100, as this will clear the perception that the national government is unfairly targeting the province," according to the provincial ANC party spokesperson, Gerald Modise.

Modise said the PEC had also taken



WELCOMED: NW Premier Supra Mahumapelo. PICTURE: BONGIWE MCHUNU

note of what it said were sustained attacks on Premier Supra Mahumapelo by SACP provincial secretary Madoda Sambatha.

"Officials agreed that in their analy-

sis, that the SACP has no fundamental political differences with the ANC. At the centre of the problem is the anger Sambatha suffers from, partly because of reasons related to his redeployment as MEC.

"The officials resolved to continue to politically engage ANC-led alliance partners, in particular the SACP," he said.

The ANC said some elements in the SACP could have been involved in the EFF tabling a motion of no confidence in Mahumapelo and recent incidents of violence, in Mahikeng, Taung and Matlosana.

Relations between the ANC and SACP have taken a knock since Sambatha was recalled from his position as public works and roads MEC more than a year ago.

elfast@afrotone.co.za