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The case against nine accused, allegedly linked to the 51 million rand tender awarded during the construction of the Northern Cape Mental hospital, was postponed to next month in the Kimberley Magistrate's Court. One of the accused could not attend the proceedings due to ill health.

Five accused, who were arrested last Tuesday, joined the former MEC for

Transport, Roads and Public Works, John Block, his former HOD, Patience Mokhali and businessman Tshegoleka Motaung, who were arrested in 2023, in the dock today.

They face charges of fraud, corruption, money laundering, contravention of the Engineering Professions Act and contravention of the Public Finance Management Act.

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