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Attention: The News Editors

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**MEDIA RELEASE**

**BEWARE OF SCAMMERS TARGETING YOUTH FOR REGISTRATION AT FRANS DIMBARE  
YOUTH SKILLS TRAINING CENTRE**

**Divundu**, The Ministry of Sport, Youth and National Service warns the public about scammers fraudulently contacting young people, instructing them to report for registration at Frans Dimbare Youth Skills Training Centre in Divundu, Kavango – East region. These scammers use private landlines and mobile numbers and falsely request applicants to deposit registration fees in advance into a bank account provided by them.

The Ministry urges young people to remain vigilant and disregard such fraudulent requests. Official communication regarding registrations is conducted only through the Centre's official landlines:

- +264 66 258 427 or
- +264 66 258 317

Any calls from numbers that do not match these official contacts should be treated as scams. Furthermore, the Frans Dimbare Youth Skills Training Centre does not require applicants to deposit registration fees in advance. All payments are only made upon arrival at the Centre.

For clarifications and additional information, applicants are encouraged to contact the official numbers provided.

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