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GOVERNMENT MESSAGES OF THE DAY

JOBS SUMMIT

- The jobs summit is the beginning of a process to effectively deal with unemployment.
- The summit is part of initiatives between government and stakeholders to grow the economy and create jobs.
- The inputs from the Jobs Summit will contribute to the Investment Conference planned for later in October.

TRANSPORT MONTH

- Our investments in the transport sector are aimed at stimulating development and creating jobs.
- PRASA plans to introduce 125 new trains and will spend R6.4 billion on upgrades of signalling, depots and stations.
- Three million people use the Bus Rapid Transport system monthly in Cape Town, Jo'burg and Tshwane.
- Oceans economy will create one million jobs and contribute R177billion to the GDP by 2030.

FUEL PRICES

- Government is troubled by the rising fuel price, the effect it has on the cost of living and doing business in the country.
- Government reiterates its appeal to businesses to withhold passing on the increasing costs of fuel prices to the consumers.
- We encourage motorists to be circumspect and moderate their driving habits so that they can save fuel.



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