## Revenue Services Lesotho

## Press Release



## RSL Cadet Program Pass-Out: A New Era of Discipline and Leadership

**Maseru, Lesotho – 17 October 2025** - History was made at Makoanyane Barracks as the first cohort of the Revenue Services Lesotho (RSL) Cadet Program officially graduated, marking a defining moment in the transformation of Revenue Services Lesotho into a more disciplined, ethical, and people-focused institution.

The pass-out ceremony, filled with pride and celebration, was the conclusion of a challenging yet transformative journey that began in May 2025. The program, implemented in partnership with the Lesotho Defence Force (LDF), trained 16 serials of RSL employees over several months, focusing on physical endurance, ethical leadership, teamwork, and national service.

Delivering the keynote address, RSL Commissioner General Mrs. Mathabo Mokoko commended the cadets for their resilience and dedication.

"This is not just a personal victory, it is a collective achievement for our organisation. Through discipline and endurance, we found strength. Through challenge, we discovered capacity. Through teamwork, we built unity," she declared.

The training, designed as part of the Lesokoana Strategy (Key Result 47), requires all RSL employees to undergo ethics training annually. The collaboration with LDF has not only strengthened RSL's internal systems but also extended into broader outreach initiatives, including youth education programs in schools aimed at fostering patriotism and tax awareness from an early age.

Throughout the program, cadets were tested mentally, emotionally, and physically. Yet, the program's greatest achievement lies in the unity, growth, and ethical transformation now visible across RSL offices.

"Every cent we collect ensures a Mosotho child goes to school, that clinics have medicine, and that roads are built," Mrs. Mokoko reminded the graduates, urging them to return to their duties with renewed commitment and compassion.

As the event concluded, there was a shared sense of pride and purpose. The Commissioner General reaffirmed RSL's intent to continue this partnership with the LDF, and expand similar initiatives that reinforce values of service, integrity, and nation-building.

This pass-out ceremony is not just the end of a training program, it is the beginning of a new chapter for RSL.

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