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President Hage G. Geingob formally Gazetted the conferment of national hero status on the late Angelika Kazetjindire Muharukua, discloses mourning period.

Yesterday, 18 October 2017, His Excellency Dr. Hage G. Geingob, President of the Republic of Namibia announced in terms of Article 32(8) of the Namibian Constitution conferment of Certain Honours on the Late Angelika Kazetjindire Muharukua. The President, in terms of the powers vested in him, formally directed that an Official Funeral be held in honour of the late Angelika Muharukua (born January 12, 1958 and died on October 09, 2017).

Following close consultations with the family, the President further announced that her remains be interred at the burial site of Okozongondoza Village, situated in the Kunene Region on Saturday, 21 October 2017.

Therefore, a period of national mourning is to be observed in honour of the late Governor. To that end, all flags in Namibia are to be flown at half-mast with effect from Thursday, October 19th to Saturday, October 21st, 2017, the date of the official State Funeral. Those dates constitute the official period of mourning.

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