



PRESS RELEASE

To : All Media
Issued : Friday, 25 March 2016
Attention : News Editors / Transport Reporters / PR Wires

Traffic officer caught in anti-corruption sting operation

Johannesburg -: A Randfontein, Gauteng traffic officer has been arrested for soliciting a bribe. The officer was operating a speed trap when he stopped an undercover member of the National Traffic Anti-Corruption Unit for speeding. It is alleged that the officer then demanded a R100 bribe from the undercover official.

The Hawks were called in and the officer was arrested. (See attached pic) A cash sum of R4000 was found in his possession. The officer is employed by the Randfontein municipality. He is expected to appear in court on Tuesday.

The RTMC commends the anti-corruption unit for making the arrest and says this is evidence of government's determination to deal with corruption within the traffic law enforcement fraternity. Members are urged to report fraud and corruption on 0861 400 800.

Ends

Enquiries: Simon Zwane (RTMC) – 082 551 9892