

# SEX WORKER GOES INTO LABOUR WHILST AT IT

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**A night that was meant to be full of fun turned ghastly for a man when a sex worker who was at his service went into labour.**

The incident happened last Saturday night.

Information gathered from impeccable sources was to the effect that the 38-year-old mother of four from Mhobodleni at Ka-Khoza had her water broken while she was still with her colleagues from the side of the road at Ka-Khoza where they normally conduct their business.

Even then, the woman, who by day is employed by one of the textile firms in Matsapha, is said to have continued scouting for clients. Indeed, as the night progressed, the woman's services are said to have been solicited by a certain man with whom she went to some house around the area where they were meant to enjoy the night.

However, it was said that during the course of the night, the woman kept complaining of pains so much that her client became worried.

When he noticed the woman's reaction to the said pains, the man reportedly tried to ask other women from within the vicinity to help her.

The women who were said to have been within the vicinity were concerned about the noise that the woman was making.

"It was then that we discovered that she was in labour as she also confirmed that she was pregnant," said a source.

The women then hired a taxi that rushed her to hospital where she successfully delivered her baby.

The Director of Health Services Dr Vusi Magagula could not comment on the matter as when he was called he said he was in a meeting and asked that the questions be sent through text messaging.

## Response

However, a response had not been received by the time of going to print.

On the other hand, Save the Children's Advocacy and Communications Officer Lusito Tsela said the organisation condemned the act where children were not protected.

Tsela said people had the misconception that children were only to be taken care of after they were born, whereas care was to be provided from the day they are conceived.

The communications officer said the Children's Protection and Welfare Act of 2012 stipulated that children were to be protected from all harm.

In this case, Tsela said if it were not for the Good Samaritans who saw to it that the woman was rushed to hospital, the baby might have been born in conditions that would have put its life in danger.



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