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PRESSRELEASE

FORMER PRESIDENT HIS EXCELLENCY DR. MOKGWEETSI E.K. MASISI TO PARTICIPATE IN THE AFRICA-FRANCE PARTNERSHIP FOR INNOVATION AND GROWTH SUMMIT IN NAIROBI -KENYA 10th -12th MAY 2026

The Office of the Former President H.E. Dr. Mokgweetsi E. K. Masisi wishes to inform the public that the former President, His Excellency Dr. Masisi in his capacity as a Member of Club de Madrid, will participate in the Africa-France Partnership for Innovation and Growth Summit in Nairobi- Kenya on the 10th -12th May 2026.

During the Summit, His Excellency Dr. Masisi will participate in the various sessions within the official programme as well as in the sessions convened by the Gates Foundation and activities under the Women and Youth Democracy project funded by the European Commission.

Club de Madrid is the world's largest forum of democratic former Presidents and Prime Ministers, who leverage their individual and collective leadership experience and global reach to strengthen inclusive democratic practice and improve the well-being of people around the world.

Club de Madrid extends diplomatic privileges and paid for courtesies throughout the duration of His Excellency Dr. Masisi's visit.

His Excellency Dr. Masisi will depart Gaborone, Botswana on the 9th May 2026, and return from Nairobi, Kenya on the 13th May 2026.

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