



THE NATIONAL EMERGENCY COMMAND CENTRE

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The National Emergency Command Centre (NECC) wishes to inform the public that pursuant to Section 23(1) and (7) of the Constitution of Lesotho, the Honourable the Right Prime Minister Dr. Motsoahae Thomas Thabane, acting in accordance of the Advice of the Council of State has declared that a state of emergency exists in the Kingdom of Lesotho in respect of the COVID-19 pandemic which threatens the lives of people of Lesotho from Wednesday, 15th April 2020 to Tuesday 28th April 2020.

The decision was taken at a sitting of the Council of State, Tuesday 14th April 2020.
Legal Notice No. 37 of 2020.

However, the lockdown is still expected to end on the 21st April 2020. The extension of the lockdown will be decided by government after assessing the general situation surrounding the pandemic

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