Media release

Rössing Uranium upgrades the COSDEC Swakopmund Clothing Production workshop

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On Friday, 18 March 2022, the Communities Skills Development Centre's (COSDEC) Swakopmund Clothing Production workshop was officially unveiled after renovations by Rössing Uranium amounting to N$ 53 200.

The Clothing Production workshop didn't have a ceiling, as a result, trainees, trainer and equipment were exposed to dusty conditions when the wind blows. The dust resulted in allergy issues affecting trainees and the trainer, with the dust built-up leading to machine breakdowns which meant, delayed training and expenses to repair the equipment - which the centre cannot afford.

Speaking at the occasion, Rössing Uranium's Manager Corporate Communication, Daylight Ekandjo said that Rössing Uranium continues to live by its motto, "Working for Namibia", and is committed to working with communities in which it operates.

"This type of donation request is one of those that you just can't turn a blind eye on because it's something that's part of our DNA - At Rössing, safety is always first. This is our community, our employees are from this community, and we believe some of their children receive training at COSDEC, therefore only together can we build our communities and make a meaningful impact."

Marilyn Eibes, COSDEC Swakopmund's Centre Manager and Hilde Hartley, Clothing Production Trainer, both thanked Rössing Uranium for the donation.

Marilyn Eibes said: "We thank you for the tireless effort you provide to our Centre. This donation will make our environment more conducive for learning. In the same breath, allow me to thank you for the pallet donations which enable us to cut cost on the joinery and cabinet making trade."

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