

# Sports Department Allocates R20 000



Shihun Eric Goverder, the head of International Federation of Funakoshi Shotokan South Africa, the MEC and officials from IFFSKSA.

Mr A Rajbansi, the Minister of Sport and Recreation in Kwa Zulu Natal hands over the 5th Dan Honorary Black Belt to Sensei Saravana Munsamy who has made a tremendous contribution to karate in South Africa. A group of 35 karatekas will leave for the IFFSKSA Tournament in England at the end of the month. The Department of Sport and Recreation has allocated a sum of R20 000 towards the expenses.

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The Minister of Sport and Recreation Mr Amichand Rajbansi has expressed appreciation for the excellent results achieved by the KZN contingent in the 7th World Funakoshi Karate Championships held in Las Vegas, USA recently. The 7-member team won five medals (4 gold, 1 silver). Minister Rajbansi is seen welcoming the medalists on their return at Durban International Airport on Friday, November 4, 2005. They are L-R: Krish Gopal, Thigan Soobramoney (gold), Denver Moonsamy (gold), Jason Deepchand (2 gold), Clinton Pillay (silver), Eric Goverder (Chief Instructor and Selvan Goverder (coach).