**Interview guide: Policy**

**3.2.3.2 Values in Education (b)**

Interviewee:

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**Biographical questions:**

* Gender of the interviewee
* Post/title of the interviewee
* How long have you been in this post?
* Linguistic group
* Religious belonging

**Opening question:**

* Please tell me/us a bit about your current post and responsibilities

**School-based violence**

1. **The link between education, violence and social cohesion**

1.1 How can education effectively contribute to strengthening or rebuilding social cohesion and to preventing violence in society at large?

1. **Policy framework**
   1. Do you have provincial laws and policies regarding school safety? If yes, what are they? Why did you need separate laws and policies? Are there specific additions to national policy?
   2. Do you have on-going provincial school safety programmes and activities?
   3. What is the specific roles and liability of provincial departments in the provision of safe school to learners?
2. **Regarding *The National School Violence Prevention Framework (draft)***
   1. Is your province going to implement the framework? You have heavy responsibilities specified (p.30 – including ensuring training and implementation at schools, equip schools to deal with problems, reporting system), and what is your plan to fulfill those responsibilities?
   2. If you already have on-going school safety programme, what will be the link between new framework and current programme?
3. **Sexual violence by educators**
   1. It is said that many educator who sexually abuse learners are often not held accountable. Do you have a plan to review the accountability system and develop a systematic approach?