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2015 PRIMARY SCHOOL LEAVING EXAMINATION (PSLE) RESULTS RELEASED

Botswana Examinations Council (BEC) has released the 2015 Primary School Leaving Examinations (PSLE) results. A total of **42 553** candidates wrote the 2015 examination showing a decrease from the 2014 candidature of **42 797**. Of the 42 553 students, 21 299 (50.05%) were females and 21 254 (49.95%) were males.

The 2015 PSLE overall performance indicates that the proportion of candidates obtaining Grade C or better went up by 0.58% from 69.16% in 2014 to 69.74% in 2015. The percentage of candidates obtaining Grade A in this examination rests at 14.65% against 14.20% of last year representing a slight increase of 0.46%. There are 17.84% candidates at Grade B compared to 17.35% in 2014, representing a slight increase of 0.49%. At the lower grades, 6.81% of the candidates obtained Grade E compared to 5.21% in 2014, showing an increase of 1.6%.

For further enquiries please contact the BEC toll free number **0800 601 025**.

Thank you

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