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LIFESAVING SA'S NATIONAL TEAM GOES BIG IN JAPAN

Lifesaving South Africa has been selected as one of four top countries to compete in the **International Lifesaving SANYO BUSSAN Challenge** which will be held on 17th July 2006 at Onjyuku Beach, Chiba in Japan this month. The aim of this event is to commemorate the conclusion of a praiseworthy sponsorship from SANYO BUSSAN Limited, and to provide an opportunity to display spectacular, world-class Lifesaving Sports, to the Japanese public.

Each team consists of ten athletes (5 male and 5 female) and one team manager. The Lifesaving South Africa team selected to compete are as follows:
Women: Jade Antunes (Fish Hoek); Kim Brugman (Fish Hoek); Chantelle Godfrey (Durban Surf); Eloise van Gysen (Fish Hoek); Kendall Loots (Fish Hoek)
Men: Donald Brierley (Umhlanga Rocks); Ridhaa Damon (Fish Hoek); Ryle De Morny (False Bay); Shaun Dias (Durban Surf); Jasper Mocke (Fish Hoek)

The team will be managed by Andrew Crook.

The Sanyo Bussan Challenge includes the following events for both Male and Female: Iron Woman, Iron Man, Mixed Board Relay, Tube Rescue, Board Race, Board Rescue and Beach Flags.

Our National Team will be competing with other top countries that participated in Rescue 2006. These are Australia, New Zealand and U.S.A. Lifesaving SA congratulates those selected and wishes them every success in this prestigious international Championship.

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