**Man dies after being struck by lightning near Sasol in Secunda [South Africa]**

A man died yesterday after he was struck by lightning at 7am about 300m outside Sasol.

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According to Mr Alex Anderson, Head of Group Media Relations at Sasol, the man worked for a service provider of Sasol.

Two other people close to the scene, sustained minor injuries after the lightning struck and are currently receiving medical attention at a local hospital.

“Emergency medical services and Sasol Security were dispatched to the scene immediately and the police were notified,” said Mr Anderson.

“On behalf of Sasol, we would like to extend our sincere condolences to the deceased’s family, friends and close colleagues.”