**Lightning kills six people in Pebane and Morrumbala [Mozambique]**

January 07, 2023 (Reported on January 09 by local media)

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Six people lost their lives last Saturday night, in Pebane and Morrumbala districts, in Zambezia province, victims of electrical discharge. They are two sisters who lived in the locality of Murerremba, west of the town of Morrumbala.

Meanwhile, the most serious case was registered in Pebane, with four deaths, all from the same family. There is also the record of one person who lost his sight and two houses destroyed.

Thus, 24 people have lost their lives due to electrical discharges in Zambezia since the rainy and cyclonic period began last October.

**Descarga eléctrica mata seis pessoas em Pebane e Morrumbala [Mozambique]**

07 de Janeiro, 2023 (relatado em Janeiro 09)

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Seis pessoas perderam a vida na noite do último sábado, nos distritos de Pebane e Morrumbala, na província da Zambézia, vítimas de descarga eléctrica. Trata-se de duas irmãs que viviam na localidade de Murerremba, a Oeste da vila-sede de Morrumbala.

Entretanto, o caso mais grave registou-se em Pebane, com quatro as vítimas mortais, todas da mesma família. Há ainda registo de uma pessoa que perdeu a visão e duas casas destruídas.

Assim, já são 24 pessoas que perderam a vida devido a descargas eléctricas na Zambézia desde que iniciou o período chuvoso e ciclónico em Outubro passado.

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**Information by items**

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| *Year and month* | 2023 / January |
| *Day of the month or week* | Saturday 7th |
| *Numbers killed or injured* | 6 killed, 0 injured |
| *Age and gender* | 2 woman, 4 not specified  |
| *Geographic Location* | Pebane and Morrumbala Districts, Zambézia Province, Mozambique |
| *Personal location and activity when injured* | Not specified |