Botswana: President Masisi orders a probe into the abuse of power by police officers enforcing lockdown measures.

Ethiopia: The government prohibits handshakes and gatherings of more than four people.

Lesotho: The Prime Minister, Thabane issues economic intervention measures to soften the impact of Covid-19.


South Africa: Health Minister Mkhize announces plan to test over 600,000 people for the coronavirus.

South Africa: President Ramaphosa announces a zero-tolerance policy for all lawbreakers in response to the increase in crime during the lockdown.


African Ambassadors in Beijing: The diplomats condemn the discrimination of Africans in Guangzhou who were evicted and denied services for being ‘virus carriers.’


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Nigeria: 5K+ on “Lockdown extension”

Rate at which South Africa is currently testing for Covid-19.

*Data compiled from WHO Regional Office for Africa and online media sources.