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Honourable Ruth Segomotsi Mompati was born in Ganyesa Village in the North West Province on the 14 September 1925. She received her Primary School Teacher's Certificate at Tiger Kloof Educational Institution in Vryburg, in the year 1943. She is presently serving on the Board of Directors of this Institution.

Honourable Mompati is a Member of Parliament and has been involved in education and training in various portfolios since 1945 to present. She also serves on Constitutional Assembly Portfolios such as Welfare and Gender Commissions.

All the committees, on which Honourable Ruth Mompati serves, deal with issues concerning her deeply. Education, in particular ranks the highest in her priorities. This, among other things, manifest itself by her tireless interest in the advancement of rural women and children through education and to that end she played a major and active role in the resurrection of Tiger Kloof Education Institution, which had been shut down by the erstwhile apartheid government.