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## MEMORANDUM



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From: Z. Mankazana, Regional Projects Officer

Planning for the future of Mazimbu and Dakawa Projects Re:

1. As you are aware a delegation comprising M. Tikly, B. Legobye and Z. Mvusi has been presenting a plan for the continuation of Dakawa and a report on the situation in Mazimbu to the Office of the Treasurer General.

This report as well as a report of the Education Department have been tabled to the NEC and NWC and a Task Force has been set up to make recommendations on the future of the two settlements.

2. The delegation is expected to return soon with policy guidelines on the future. A proposition has been made to have a senior member of the ANC formaly unfold this plan to the communities and make necessary propositions to them. This would open the way for the Projects Department to break down the plan into specific proposals for presentation to donors/international agencies. This pertains irrespective of whether the projects are to continue or phase out.

- 3. It is imperative that even now at this late stage we begin to make concrete arrangements to elicit the views of all structures (administrative, political, departmental, production units etc) and the communities they represent. To this end we propose a number of mini workshops or consultations and meetings with various sectors:
  - 1. Briefing for Chief Reps Office, Mazimbu and Dakawa administrations
  - 2. Workshop on Dakawa: Development plans, objectives, PLAN OF ACTION
  - 3. Workshop on Mazimbu: Development plans, objectives, PLAN OF ACTION
  - 4. Workshop to deal with specific issues affecting both settlements eg. administrative structures, financial management, manpower plan, uniform income policy, sales and procurements systems, commercialisation (?) etc.
  - 5. Meetings with the communities
  - 6. Briefing for expatriate staff
  - 7. Presentation to donors

Some items could be combined or held on same day:

- 4. If the suggestion is acceptable in principle then the timing, venues, agenda and participants will need further discussion. May we propose that all copied parties comprise a convening committee for any further discussions and that it meets at the earliest possible date. It is desirable that the consultations begin soon and if possible are concluded before the end of the month.
- 5. It is our view that substantial progress in this transitional period can only come about through broad consultation and widest participation in decision making and implementation.

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