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AFRICAN NATIONAL CONGRESS (SA)

Department of Education and Culture

National Scholarship Committee

Minutes of the meeting held

on April 12, 1983.

Present: Cdes: 1. M. Tikly(Chairman)

2. T. Maseko

3. S. Zindela

4. H. September

5. J. Phambo

6. M. Netsianda(Acting Sec.)

Apologies:

1. O. Dennis

2. D. Ngakane

Agenda: 1. Minutes

2. Matters arising

3. Placement

4. Correspondence

5. General

1.1. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted with some corrections.

1.2. The Chairman reported that he spoke to Mr. Stormark of ILO and he said there were 8 fellows. It was noted that nominations would have to be made without delay.

1.3. Cde Maseko was of the opinion that some candidates could be found from around the Complex, especially those who have completed their studies.

1.4. The Chairman would report on the interview he would have with some comrades who have completed their studies.

1.5. Letters of attestation of the births of applicants would be written in support of applications for scholarship(and those already submitted)

1.6.1. Cde Mamatho to check Toronto file regarding Cde John Dube's application for admission.

1.6.2. It was further agreed that offers of place/scholarship which were not taken would be investigated with a view to follow them up.

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- 1.7.1. The Chairman reported that there was no development yet regarding Cde Mzwamandla Ndziba's application for placement/scholarship in India.
- 1.7.1. It was agreed that UNZA and other universities in English-speaking countries would be tried to secure for him admission.
- 1.8.1. Application forms would be secured for Cdes Ndileka Dalindyabo and Sibongile Tembo, for studies at an institution in Zambia.
- 1.8.2. As regards their conduct the Principal on the decision of the school Disciplinary Committee.
- 1.9. The Chairman reported that he had not yet checked with the GDR Embassy regarding Cde Blackman Mnyanda's placement.
- 1.10. The Chairman reported that Mr. Stormark of ILO did not have idea about institutions in Kenya which could admit Cde Mabaruti for training.
- 1.11. The Chairman reported that he had not yet written to the RC regarding Cde Joe Nku's scholarship.
- 1.12. The Chairman reported that a note would be written to the Chief Rep regarding Cde Mandla Maseko's new course of study.
- 1.13. It was noted that Cde Peter Sexwale's application for scholarship/placement in the GDR was late and he would be placed in the USSR.
- 1.14. It was noted that Cde Doodles Gaboo would be urged to return as soon as possible internal application forms referred back to him earlier on.
- 1.15. The Chairman and Cde Hazel reported that they had counselled Cde Victor Maome on the desirability for him to pursue studies at Lumumba University.
- 1.16. Cde James Mpetiware's documentations were yet to be retrieved.
- 1.17. The meeting agreed that Cde Mandla Lubanga's application would be referred to the Directorate for its approval.
- 1.18. It was agreed that the offer of scholarship/placement by Northfield Mount Hermon College should be declined for lack of a suitable candidate.

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2.1. Placement

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- a) Kelly Mabuza - Motor Mechanics at technical level provided that he submitted his school documentations, otherwise his training would be at ^{Vocational} technical level.
- b) Zanele Vutela - Educational Planning at university level.
- c) Ephraim Gazelle - Journalism at ^{technical} vocational level. The Chief Rep in Maputo to be asked to send in his school certificates.
- d) George Mtawuka - Printing at vocational level.

2.1.2. A letter to be written to the University of Zimbabwe regarding the placement of Cde Nomathemba Thembe Motswenyane for studies in Rehabilitation or Tutorship in Rehabilitation. Mr. Stormark of ILO had informed the Chairman that such a course would be offered at that University, beginning next September.

2.1.3. The meeting agreed that Cde Bill Dabuza could be placed in the USSR to train in Printing(voc.) but he would be separated from his wife because she did not qualify. For him to come to Mazimbu to upgrade it would still be hard because SOMAFECO does not have married quarters for students. He would be informed about this.

2.1.4. It was noted that Cde Sandra Dlamini had been recommended by the Women's Section though the NSC was sceptical about her low qualification. It was noted that she was a matured person though.

2.1.5. As regards placement of Cde Hintsa Jimmy Jonas for training in Storemanship, the Chairman would try to find out about the institution in Arusha. It was noted that the application was similar to that of Cde Thuso Batau.

2.1.6. Cde Chico Mhlathi's application was referred to Cde Dennis who was the right person to recommend him.

2.1.7. The complex question of Cdes Nzima and Amelia Mehlomakhulu was noted with some obvious anxiety. It was agreed that they should wait until she had given birth because she could neither be deployed in Mazimbu nor be placed for studies. Documentations would be required of him and they would be informed of the NSC's point of view.

3.1. The Chairman would write to the Secretary for Education regarding the budget for those studying at local institutions like the Centre for Social Education in Morogoro.

4.1. Cde Maseko would have formal consultation with both Cdes Jonathan Tolom and Garth Mngomezulu with a view to finding out about their intention to go for further study.

The next meeting takes place on April 21, 1983, at 2.30pm.

Agenda; 1. Minutes.

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4. Correspondence

5. General.

The Chairman declared the meeting closed at 5.15pm.

April 19, 1983.

M. Tikly
Chairman

M. Netsianda
Acting Secretary