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Attn. Cde. J. Chilwane,
P.O. Box 31791,
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yP/GA/avd , The Hague, Aprif 27th, 1988.
Re: Su ort Librar EOMAFCO - I'. , .
V, PP y . RECENED -- 1 JUd 0%.
Dear Cde. Chilwane, . - ,
I am pleased to inform you that NOVIB approved a contribution to
the library of SOMAFCO.
The contribution is set at Dfl. 91000, - for three years.
-/- Herewith .I kindly request you to sign the enclosed contract and
to return it to the NOVIB. Would -you also pass on to us your bank
ateount number and other nec.essary information?
I should .lik to draw your attention to the fact that the NOVIB
attaches grea importance to submission of financial and progress
reports within the periods as set in 'the General Conditions,
art. 4 (attahhed to the contzract). Should you be unable to fulfil
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 h this obligation, I request you to inform me hereof.
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 \_ I Finally I wish you all the best of success with the implementa- ^{\prime}
I tion of the project. ' .
With best regards, . ,
Pelgrom,
Director Project. Department o
L/- 'Enclosures: 2 i .
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OProject number v : SAF-87-045/G-87
I'Project name V : Support Library SOMAFCO
Applying organiietion . : SOMAFCO/ANC
. ' P.O. Box 680
I ' MOROGORO
! . , 'Tanzanie
;Total'budget 'DfL. 9.000,-
Own contribution ' ' . : . - '
NOVIB's contribution . : Df1.19;000,-
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I. INTRODUCTION
The Solomon Mahlangu Freedom College.is an educational institution
estainshed at Mazimbu, Tanzania, by African National Congress in
.1979. The school is designed to cater for the educational needs of a 0
large number of young South Africans.who have been forced to leave
their home country.
SOMAFCO comprises 5' educational .sectors - secondary, primary,
nursery, adult education and an orientation centre. A variety of
support structures - hospital, farm, carpentry, factory, 'garment
factory, ecobblery, garage, welding workshop, photo laboratory and
technical department for building projects - have been established
to serve the educational sector.' The total number of students and
adults at Mezimbu now stands at 1000. '
With, the help of the youth sections of the Nordic Center Parties, 1
a new library building has now been erected at Mazimbu. The library
area is about 800 m2 consisting of reference and lending sections,
periodical and newspaper reading area, working -room, audiovisial
section, theatre room and archives section. It.is planned to in the
future house about 25.000 volumes of books and 250 periodicals and
newspapers.
I. PROJECT v
The library was opened for the phblic in July 1986. It is meant to
serve both the students and teaching staff of all the schools at
Mazimbu as well as the other members' of the community.
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es. t-Qhe purpose of the library is to provide material for studies,
'gEneral interest and recreation in a form' of books, pamphlets,
periodicals, newspapers and audio-visual material. Special emphasis
9-!E:-. is laid on South African material and infOrmation about freedom
: movements in general, .to help the ANC-members in the struggle for
liberation. There is also a plan.to build up an archives section on
v, ANC-material. "
In 1987 there were no more than about four thousand books on the
shelves, many of 1them already out-dated, and about twenty
periodicals received on a regular basis.' '
In view of the aims 4f the school and ANC community at Mazimbu, it
is important to obta "n up-to-date information about as many fields
of knowledge as posS'ble. ,The members of SOMAFCO education centre_
are cut off from t eir natural home enVironment, and to keep
abreast with development in their own country as well as the world
in large, a provision of a well established stock of news material
is essential. A ric selection of periodicals can also Contribute to
acquiring fresh nowledge on lboth school subjects and any
practical field, as well as give background material for cultural
activities and any form of recreation. These materials will help
i the 'ANC members to develop their skills for the benefit of the new
.V society ^{\prime}. in South Africa, and they have also an important role to
play in the day-to-day life of the people now in exile. .
The library staff, lafter consulting the teachers and workers of the
community, have compiled a list of-periodicals and news papers tof
suit the needs of the SOMAFCO residents. i '
III. BUDGET - . .
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NOVIB will contribute to the provision ofl audio-visual material
(video's) and'for subscription of periodicals and newspapers for
three years . ' i
The yearly, contribution will be as follows:
- subcriotion'pexiodicals and news papers V; Dfl. 2.000,-
- video-material _ - , ' Dfl. 1.000,-
x ) TOTAL : a Dfl. 3.000,-
The total contribution of NOVIB over three years will be Dfl.
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