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8 April 1994
Mrs. M. Mthembu
South African Extension Unit
Allied Building
236 Bree Street
Johannesburg
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Dear Mrs. Mthembu
NOMASONGO MARIA THUSIZMARY NGOZI
The enclosed letter from Nomasongo Thusi, who is currently in
Sweden, is self-explanatory. She will return to South Africa in
June and wishes to complete her study programme at Stockholm
University through correspondence.
Will it be possible for SAEU to consider enrolling her as a
student? If not, can SAIDE provide advice or assistance?
If you wish you could write directly to Nomasongo or
alternatively give me your response.

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Yours sincerely

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Nomasonto M. Thusi
(Mary Ngozi)
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16430 Kista
Sweden
8/3/94
Tikley Mohammed
Batlagae Trust
51 Plein Street
Johannesburg 2001

Greetings,

My name is as above mentioned and I hope you still remember me as I worked with you for some time in Tanzania.

Cde Tikley the main reason I am writing to you is to request advice as I am returning home together with my two daughters.

I know that you have seen Mike as he is trying to find a place to stay so that the children can also start school as soon as possible when we return.

Do find my attached completed courses and I am still on the process of completing other courses. You are aware that I was originally supposed to study administration but I never went in or rather was never accepted as there were too many contenders for few places with priority given to high school applicants at University. Nevertheless I started with Social Anthropology, combined it with Demography as well as 3rd world development studies. These are all Social Science courses as you can see.

I am also enclosing a brochure of Soc Anthropol so that you can see how this is planned and taught. It is in general line with the University system in which a student can choose 2 ways of study; a line of a course e.g. law, medicine etc, as well as separate courses like mine and combine them as deemed fit. A student can complete 120 or 160 credits-points and get an undergraduate degree to thereafter continue to higher level.

In my case I am unable to complete as I decided to return home. I have already informed the Trust of my decision, handed over the flat and the children will stop school in June as well as kindergarten-

I am to write my thesis for Soc. Anthropol from April 1994 and I am sure I will finish it here. That part is taken care of here so that I can be able to communicate with my adviser until I complete and hand over my work for approval. Having worked hard during the 4 terms at University, I have been able to accomplish a lot in a very short space of time. I did the work of two semesters in one as I was too eager to study and that helped me a lot. I am supposed to complete in 1995 with my 160 credits but it is at the moment impossible. I nevertheless have a chance to complete by correspondence through Stockholm or Uppsala Universities. Having collected 100 credits I am in short of 20 at least 20 credits to complete my undergraduate degree which will facilitate for my continuation in South Africa as I am very eager to continue studying.

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I am therefore wondering if there are any possibilities to get assistance to study through correspondence with Sweden as I would be completing through their system and that would help me save all the time spent studying these courses. I wanted to complete the Intermediate course in 3rd world development studies by correspondence as they have this course. The main reason really for my decision to return is financial insecurity with the Trust. Some other institution is to take care of Luthuli Trust Fellows and I am not very sure about that as the Trust has had financial problems in past. My two children were never covered in my scholarship even when together with Mike we had to make ends meet all the time. Everything has become too expensive and I cannot afford remaining here alone with the office closing as well. There is no doubt that I benefited a lot from the Trust. I suppose the resources I am leaving behind for the 1 and a half year will benefit others. Will you kindly cde Tikley answer me. I am very concerned about my future educational possibilities hence this letter. I have also changed my name to the proper one and this is Mike real surname. We still have Ngozi at our door for postage facilities as could not inform everyone of the changes. Awaiting your positive advice as always.
Mary Ngozi(Sonto Maria Thusi

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the Department of Social Anthropology during the spring
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To whom it may concern.
This is to certify that Maria Thusi, born June 22nd 1958, has the following marks in
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Basic Course I in Demography, 10 points (9 points)
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23/03/94

Nomasonto M. Thusi
(Mary Ngozi)

Trondheimsq 7
16430 Kista

Sweden

Dear Ms Thusi,

Thank you for your letter dated 08/03/94 which was addressed to
Mohammed Tikly.

However, I regret to inform that Mr Tikly is on study leave and
he will attend to your communication when he is back at the
office.

Yours sincerely.

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