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The Chairman
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Dear Cde Zola,


Dillinger Matlou, Andrey Matlou

The above couple have been living in separation since 1986 and I know you are aware of the status of the marriage because I have approached you in connection therewith after I received information that your office had in effect abetted the separation by obtaining separate accommodation for Cde Audrey Matlou.

Comrade Dillinger Matlou now seeks a divorce from his wife Audrey on the grounds of malicious desertion and in order to make proper arrangements for the minor children of the marriage who are minor in his custody, namely: Matome, aged eleven (11) years; Maropeng, aged nine (9) years; Sponono, aged six (6) years.

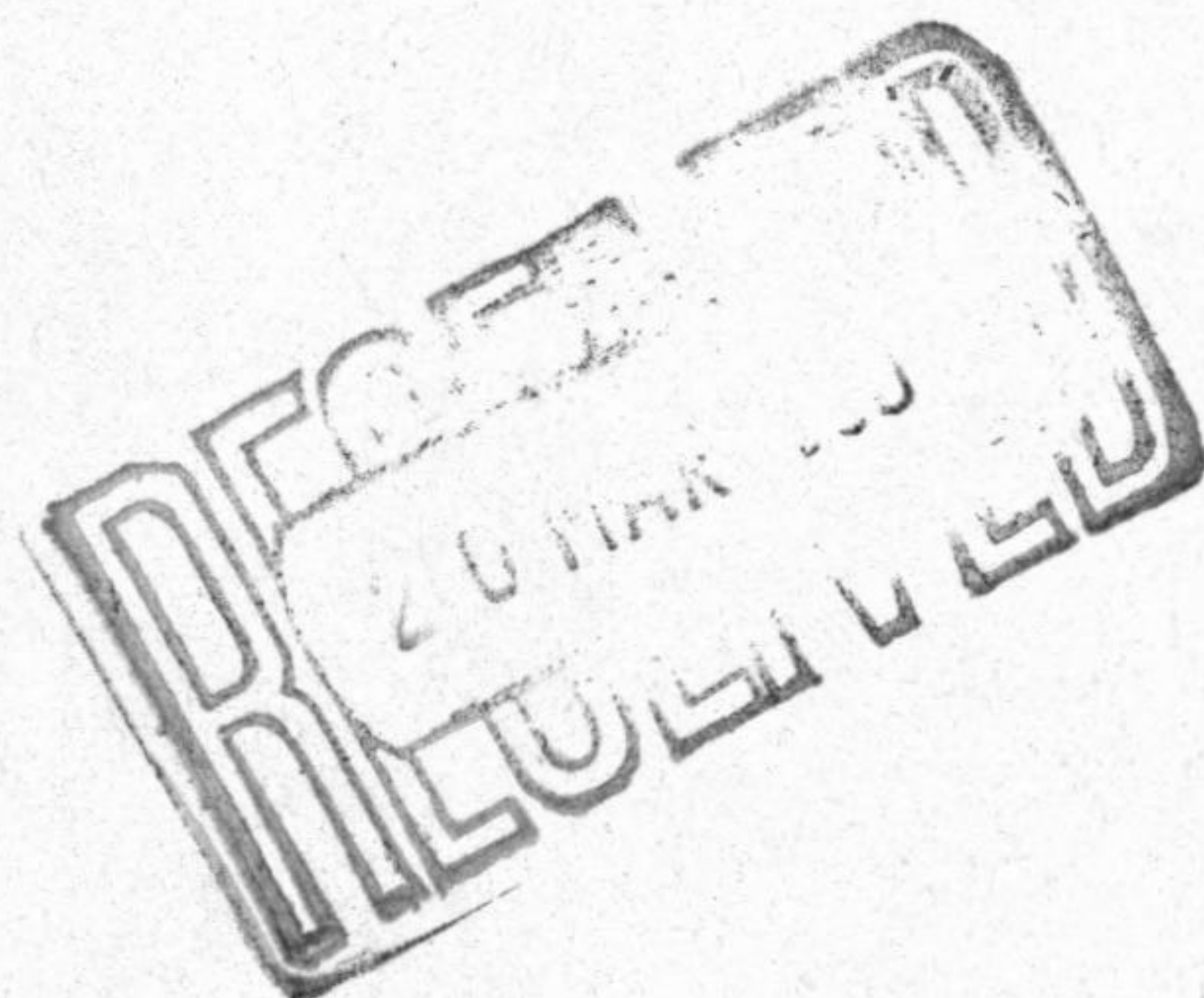
Kindly take the necessary action to assist Comrade Dillinger Matlou to have the marriage annulled.

Amandla!


H. G. MAKGOTHI
ASS. SECRETARY-GENERAL

cc. Cde Dillinger, ANC, Lusaka.
Head, Women's Section, ANC, Lusaka.

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Comrade Henry G. Makgothi
Assistant Secretary General
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Dear Comrade Makgothi

re: COMRADE DILLINGER ^{MOKOENA} ~~MONOHTE~~ AND WIFE

I refer to our discussion in the DLCA offices this morning in connection with the case of the above-named. I hope what follows hereinbelow will help clarify whatever misconceptions could have cropped up in this case.

1. Comrade Dillinger filed divorce proceedings against his wife. He claims that the wife left the common household long ago and attempts by Comrade Dillinger to bring her back were futile.
2. Seeing that the marriage was irretrievably broken, Cde Dillinger then asked DLCA to process his divorce.
3. Comrade Dillinger's wife also came and explained to Cde B. Mabandla that she would need separate accommodation as she was not prepared to go back to the husband.
4. In June 1989, Cde Dillinger came to DLCA and explained to Cde M'Afrika that he (Dillinger) was now staying with a local woman who was looking well after his children. What he needed was for DLCA to ask Treasury to give this woman monthly supplies and clothing. Cde Dillinger was told that DLCA cannot do that because apart from the fact that the woman is not an ANC member, she is not Cde Dillinger's wife.

It should be noted that DLCA is not at all interested in interfering in the private affairs of married couples. We intervene only in so far as the legal aspect comes in. We repeat that we are not responsible for the separation of Cde Dillinger and his wife; Cde Dillinger himself failed to convince his wife to come back and he never asked DLCA to help in this regard.

I hope this clarifies the issue fairly well.

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ZOLA S.T. SKWEYIYA
CHAIRMAN

c.c. R.P.C. ✓