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FRM: OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL

DATE: 19TH JULY 1993

RE: EXTENDED NWC DECISIONS - 14TH JULY 1993

Dear Comrades

5'1 Find attached decisions of the Extended NWC held in Johannesburg on  
14th July 1993 for your information.

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This NWC:

Noting the report of the President on the urgent need to address the deteriorating economic situation;

Further noting the possibility of a delay in the passing of legislation on transitional arrangements in parliament due to the apparent . difficulties in reconvening this body;

Further noting that the TEC and other bodies such as the Independent Electoral Commission (IEC) and the Independent Media Commission( IMC) could be in place before the formal legislation in parliament.

Therefore decides:

Sanctions may be lifted once there is agreement in the Multiparty Negotiations Forum on transitional arrangements;

Provided that:

. 1 Parliament may not veto any such agreement;

1: Once agreement is reached on the TEC, the establishment of this body and its sub-structures should proceed without waiting for the formal legislation thereof. This includes bodies such as the IEC and IMC.

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This NWC:

Noting the recommendations of the WomenTS League;

Further noting the response of this Extended NWC:

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Therefore decides:

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NEC members should send nominations to the Office of the Secretary General for the two (2) posts and the position of the National Chairperson within a period of two (2) weeks from the present date;

These nominations may , but does not necessarily, include the motivation expressed on the need for affirmative action; and therefore the nomination of women candidates for these posts; The Womenis League should, in this regard, provide the NW C with more than two (2) nominations, to ensure the NWC a full choice in the matter;

This does not exclude any right of any member of the NEC to forward nominations for these posts;

These nominations will be considered by the NWC and forwarded to the next sitting of the NEC as recommendations.

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This N WC:

Noting the reports and allegations of misconduct by members of the NEC;

Therefore decides:

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A permanent Disciplinary Committee be established by the Officials;

All these and future cases or instances of allegations of indiscipline by members of the NEC, be referred to this body for further investigation;

Should this committee decide, after investigation, that such allegations are true, it should recommend disciplinary action to the NWC / NEC;

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it This investigation of the immediate allegations should be completed within a period of 10 days from now;

This decision does not remove the urgency and necessity of a Code of Conduct.

Noting the report of the Commission of Inquiry into the State of Organisation in the Western Transvaal Region and the report of the Internal Auditor;

Therefore decides:

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at The Annual Regional Conference should not proceed;

t't In its place, a one-day General Meeting take place on 25th July 1993;

tt The report of the Commission and Internal Auditor be presented to the membership;

it An Interim structure be established to run the region for a period of three (3) months;

This Committee be composed of comrades in the Region and . from National Office;

it An evaluation take place at the end of the three-month period to decide whether a Regional Conference be convened and an REC elected.

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This NWC:

Noting that at least 86 political prisoners, agreed upon by the ANC and HRC remain in custody;

Therefore decides:

:K A full list of political prisoners be immediately compiled by the Legal Department which should include the prisoners in Bophuthatswana;

tk We should demand, through the channel of communication which negotiated the Record of Understanding in 1992, the re-establishment of the Committee consisting of representatives of the ANC, SAP, Department of Correctional Services and Department of Justice to process the release of remaining political prisoners.