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The Secretary
Department of Education
African National Congress of South Africa
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Dear Comrade

REzREPDRT ON SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS TO AUSTRALIA.

A meeting was held with AIDAB , an organisation,among other things, responsible For sponsering our students in Austalia. Following are the results of the discussions:

3. Undergraduates._

AIDAB only sponsors Dost graduate studies, the reet can be Funded ouside Australia under a programme called" In country training". They have therefore rejected the Following candidates on these grounds;

1. Vuyani Toni 2. Lindiwe Phillip
3. Victor Mokgatle 4. Patrick Musi
5. Reuben Notsweni 6. Harriette Mabitsela
7. Sipho Majombozi 8. Edward Mabitsela
9. Thokozile Majombozi 1D. Themba Shangase
2. University of Adelaide

The above university is offering two sholarships a year to A.N.C. nominated candidates.At the moment we have Don Ngakane who is due to complete early next year and Allan Marsden who has since left the movement. I therefore Forwarded the names 0? Edward and Harriette Mabitsela and Vuyani Toni For consideration For the intake of 1989-1990 academic year.

3. Sigho Majombozi.

AIDAB consideres Education to be of prime importance in its 0.

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to reconsider his case. The ANC Department of Education needs to write to the Director of Africa Section of AIDAB, requesting and convincing him by making a strong case in favour of Majombozi 40'58 accepted for undergraduate studies in Australia. We need to tell them about the importance of Education in the A.N.C., the importance of having trained Education Administrators, the background of the applicant viz. him being a former teacher at SUMAFCO and other places, former membership of scholarship committee and presently working as an Administrator in the ANC Department of Education. I suggest that we take action as soon as possible before we lose the chance.

4. Applications endorsed by AIDAB

Mpho Nkuna is not yet considered by any university as his documents are in Zulu. They need to be translated and certified. Your earliest action will be appreciated. Victor Modise and Michael Mzobe's applications have been accepted by AIDAB. At the moment replies from universities concerning the said applications are awaited. Ndumiso Ntshinga has been accepted by Canberra University. In view of the fact that he has been recently seconded to my office, I asked AIDAB to request the university to defer his scholarship.

5. Other possibilities of training.

There are possibilities of training graduates interested in teaching through the same SAPSAN programme. I request you consider sending applications.

There are other possibilities of work experience programmes. AIDAB is prepared to fund such through N.G.U.s like APHEDA etc. In view of the fact that we have a number of qualified engineers and the like I recommend we make use of this opportunity.

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6.Procedures to be Followed For applications to Australia and New Zealand.

In the past we have accepted applications From Harare and Lusaka, because we wanted to ensure that we do have enough candidates For offered scholarships.We now wish correct that. I therefore suggest to the N.S.C. to contact various ANC missions , arrange with them to channel all applications through the committee.

Finally I hope we will receive on time applications For the next academic year. The closing month is end of September.

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Chief Representative

O.O. N.S.C - Mazimbu

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Chief Representative - Harare