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TRIBUTE TO DR MARTI OLIVIER SENIOR GENERAL MANAGER OF THE KWAZULU DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION.

It is with great sorrow that we have learnt of the passing away

of Dr. Marti Olivier. Black people of KwaZulu have lost a true friend and ally. Eversince he came to KwaZulu, before the

KwaZulu Development Corporation attained its present semi-autonomy, it was clear that he was determined to do all that was possible for the development of the KwaZulu people. He was on

the same wave-length as the KwaZulu government in supporting our people's development strategy. He was concerned with real grass-roots development. Although he has died at the prime of â\200\230his life, we thank God that he has left us with a solid foundation on which our development strategy can continue to grow. He was a true friend who did not mind being unpopular even with his own people when it came to fighting any battle for the progress of black people in KwaZulu. Through him I have learnt that there are Afrikaners with whom one can commiserate as fellow-countrymen as far as the back-log we face as blacks in spite of the ideology of apartheid which separates our various peoples. He was a great

soul and may he rest in peace.

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