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MINUTES OF RPC AND THE FUNERAL COMMITTEE OF Date; 2 31st Dec. 1987. PRESENT: Wellington, Boroko, Negro, Mangoane, Williams, Hempe, Motshabi, Montsi, and Sikose. The convenor of the funeral com., cde Boroko read the report of the com., and outlined the ff., points: 1. Preparations should be made for the welcome and reception of people attending our funerals from outside. There should be usherers to receive visitors for example. 2. People with past experience of arranging for a burial should be always included in future funeral mommittees so as to permanently liase with the chief rep., and the RPC. 3. Some form of appreciation should be shown to the cdes who have a distinct contribution to the running of our funerals.

Comrades Mbana and Jonathan are such examples.

4. Transport:

(a) Some vehicles given for use by the Treasury, such as the truck and the blue bus had some mechanical defects which should have been attended to prior to their being handed to the funeral com.,

(b) Some cdes took over the authority of their vehicles in an inappropiate manner, i.e. before the com., could officially hand them back to them. As a result, some property of offices and individuals was not sent back on time, and it was not possible for members of the com., to communicate their observations about the defects they had observed in the vehicles they used.

It was agreed by the meeting that, certain members of the committee m should meet with cdes Makopo and Bartmann in order to Exregathenx straighten these matters for the sake of future co-operation and understanding.

5. Afurther outstanding debt for funeralxx wreaths of k240. 00 was reported in addition to the k150.00 which was already reported;

6. Cde Negro explained the confusion surrounding the appointment of cde James Manthata to the funeral com., The message received by the Health team was that either Negro or James shoxuld serve on that com.,

7. General observations:

- (a) The body of the late cde Mampuru was not properly prepared as cde Peter Masemola had led the RPC to believe. This
 should be a lesson to the RPC that our funeral com., and the
 Health team are the best custodians war of even our deceased
 cdes rather than individuals.
- (b) We should try as much as possible to observe some form of xim time limit at all our funerals.

The meeting ended by the adoption of the committee's report.