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Dear Comrade Thami,

I am in possession of the following communications from the above-mentioned department:

- 1 Letter dated 24/4/1985 which makes a request for scholarships in tailoring;
- 2 Telex informing me that candidates are ready to commence their courses in cinematography;

Comrade, both France and Burkina Fasa are both French-speaking countries and therefore the scholarships which were offered to the ANC in that language should have been taken up. Please let us get back to the basic issue and that is, let us get candidates here to do French before we can do anything about other courses either in this country or in French-speaking countries in Africa.

Let me draw your attention to my letter dated 28/2/1985, and addressed to Comrade Treasurer-General in which I clearly state that one candidate should be nominated for a course in cinematography and that he/she should first do a course in French. Now I am made to believe that we have candidates waiting to go and do this course.

Regarding your query about the T-shirts, we have had some problems which we are trying to sort out.

Comrade, in conclusion, let me appeal to you to be serious about your work. This flippant attitude of yours has had repercussions on the name of the ANC. We are regarded as not being serious about our work. If in over a year I am unable to present the Ministry for Co-operation and Development with a list of candidates for the French course, is it wonder that scholarships go to all



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kinds of shady characters? Let me in the near future get those names and qualifications of possible candidates so that I can, on this basis, negotiate for proper courses in French. A list of 5 will do.

Amandla in the Year of the Cadre !!!!!

*Dulcie September*  
DULCIE SEPTEMBER

Chief Representative  
African National Congress (SA)  
to the Mission in France

PS: I have discussed this matter with Comrade Tshumi and have requested that he follows it up on his return to Headquarters.

*D. S. September*

cc Comrade Henry Makgothi Secretary for Education  
Comrade Hintso Tshumi Department for Education