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African National Congress (SA), Office of The Treasurer-General, Lusaka.

Comrade,

I want to remind you again about our ever-growing problems in this region.

In my last letter to you I raised sharply the question of area R as one of the problems that needed very urgent attention. It is that urgency that has prompted me to write this letter appealing to you once again to heed our request for more money and necessary material for the above area.

We have a just received a report from area I that the comrades have no food. Though we gave them some money when they left, the report we received said money was of no use as the shops are all dry.

Even if there was food in the shops, it would be virtually impossible for us to do anything meaningful for them from our resources here without creating a crisis for the whole region.

I hope you are aware of the aims of developing area X as the correspondence from the S.O. pointed out clearly what the objectives are. To achieve its objectives the S.O. must of necessity have a good number of cadres settled in the area. Obviously without enumerating a number of other necessities this above will need our financial and financial attention.

The current subsidy from the H.Q. has been doing us a lot of good but with the added ddemand from the comrades in area X, four (4) doubt that we shall manage without falling in a serious crisis.

Therefore I am making an appeal to the Treasury and Logistics to please come to our aid with everything available. Some material can be found in our stores in the West and East.

The Treasury must also note that the question of personnel for both finance and logistics, is of paramount importance. We cannot do a thing to help as you know that we have a serious shortage of personnel.

Find enclose a receipt for the money just received.

Yours in The Year of The Youth.

AMANDLA.

Robert Conco.