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DEPARTMENT OF ARTS AND CULTURE

ATTENTION: THE PRESIDENT
THE DEPUTY PRESIDENT
THE TREASURER GENERAL
THE SECRETARY GENERAL
THE NATIONAL CHAIRPERSON
CDE CHERYL CAROLUS
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

DATE: 22 September 1992

Dear Comrade,

re: **AMANDLA CULTURAL ENSEMBLE**

With reference to the meeting held on the 21st of September 1992, between the Department of Arts and Culture and the mandated representative from the Executive Committee for Amandla Cultural Ensemble, we wish to notify you of the decisions that were taken:

1) In respect of their budget for October 1992 - A cheque is to be made out to cover the following:

Rehearsal salaries @ R100.00 per week x4 weeks X 40 performers

The cooks salary @ R 500.00 per month

Rental for Rehearsal venue /accommodation- 15 Harris Street @ R2200.00 per month

Travelling/petrol expenses @ R400.00

A Total of R19 100.00

2) The balance of the funding that was granted by NORAD for the year ending 31 December 1992 amounts to R21 900.00, which will be released to them on the following conditions:

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They must establish a Trust, which will consist of a Board of Directors, Patrons, and an Executive that will deal with the day to day running;

It was recommended that members of Dorkay House should serve on their Board of Trustees;

The money will be released to them at a rate of R5.00 for every R1.00 that Amandla raise for themselves , until the full R21 900.00 has been released.

3) Amandla should arrange a meeting with Theta (the Elections Play Cast) to explore the areas where they can co-operate with each other.

4) That the Amandla Committee attend a meeting with Cdes Wally, Dikki (DAC), Cde Joe Manana (Dorkay House Chairperson), Cde Jonas Gwangwa (Artistic Director -Amandla) and the Entertainment Lawyers at Dorkay House. In this meeting the role of Cde Gwangwa and the future of Amandla should be discussed.

We thank you for your attention to this matter.

With Best Regards

In the Year of Peace and Democracy!

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HEAD:DAC

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