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THE SECRETARY

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Friends,

#### GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING

You are hereby informed that the next meeting of the UDF-TVL GENERAL COUNCIL WILL be held on Saturday, 12 November 1983 at Khotso House. The meeting will start at 2.00pm sharp.

Please ensure that the two delegates from your organisation is present as the General Council an important decision-making and co-ordinating structure.

Furthermore, if your organisation has not as yet made it's financial contribution kindly attend to this matter as soon as possible as the need for funds cannot be overemphasised.

Amongst other matters, the boycott of the Black Local Authorities elections would be discussed.

Yours in struggle.

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MINUTES OF GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 12 NOVEMBER 1983.

- 1. APOLOGIES: MOCA
- 2. PRESENT: MGWUSA, DAM, TIC, COSAS, DESCOM, GAWU, SCA, VAAL CIVIC ASSOCIATION, KRO, ANTI PC, CUSA, AYCO, SOYCO, RMC, YCS, NEUSA, SAYO, TAC.
- 3. CORRESPONDENCE:
  - 3.1 THE VAAL CIVIC ASSOCIATION APPLIED FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE UDF. THE APPLI-CATION WAS ACCEPTED BY THE COUNCIL.
  - 3.2 AZAPO CONFIRMED THE ARRANGEMENTS FOR A MEETING WITH THE UDF.
  - 3.3 THE ISLAMIC COUNCIL OF S.A. INFORMED US THAT THEY HAVE NOT DECIDED TO AFFELIATE TO THE UDF.
- 4. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING:

THE MINUTES WERE READ AND ADOPTED.

5. MATTERS ARISING FROM MINUTES: NONE

- 5. SECRETARIAL REPORT:
  - 6.1 THE EVATON RATEPAYERS ASSOCIATION HELD A MASS-MEETING ON 6 NOVEMBER 1983
    THE MEETING WAS ADDRESSED BY GATSBI MAZWI ON BEHALF OF THE UDF. THE ASSOCIATION HAS DECIDED TO AFFELIATE TO THE UDF.
  - 6.2 UDF. NEWS: THE NEXT UDF NEWS WOULD BE PUBLISHED ON 18 NOVEMBER 1983. This would be a TVL edition and it would focus on the Local Authorities elections.
  - 6.3 UDF VIDEOS: THESE WOULD BE ON SALE AT A MINIMUM OF R50 TO AFFELIATES AND INDIVIDUALS AT THE UDF OFFICE.
  - 6.4 PORT ELIZABETH CONFERENCE: A UDF NATIONAL CONFERENCE WOULD BE HELD ON 17/18 NOVEMBER 1983 IN P.E. ALL AFFELIATES WERE REQUSTED TO SEND TWO DELEGATES TO THE CONFERENCE. THE CONFERENCE WOULD CONSIDER POLICY MATTERS.
  - THE N.E.C HAS SUGGESTED THAT A <u>SIGNATURE CAMPAIGN</u> AGAINST BOTHA'S PLANS BE LAUNCHED AT THE CONFERENCE.
    - 6.6 THE N.E.C HAS SUGGESTED THAT THE UDF REQUESTS A MEETING WITH P.W.
    - 6.7 REFERENDUM: THE N.E.C HAS REQUESTED THE REGIONS TO DISCUSS AN APPROACH AND ATTITUDE TOWARDS A POSSIBLE COLOURED AND INDIAN REFERENDUM.
  - THE MEETING WAS HELD TO COMMEMORATE THE DEATH OF THE NGOYA STUDENTS. ON THE MEETING WAS HELD ON 3 NOVEMBER 1983. THE MEETING WAS ADDRESSED BY UDF, AZAPO, AZASO, SOYCO, SAAWU, AND CUSAL

A UDF DELEGATION MET AZAPO ON 11 NOVEMBER 1983. AZAPO WILL NOT AFFELIATE /8/
TO THE UDF. THEY WILL HOWEVER CO-OPERATE WITH THE UDF ON ISSUES WHICH
DO NOT COMPROMISE THEIR PRINCIPLES OR POLICY.

6.10 THE EASTERN CAPE REGION OF THE UDF IS TO BE LAUNCHED ON 4 DECEMBER 1983. THE BORDER REGION WAS LAUNCHED ON 15 OCTOBER 1983.

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#### 7. MATTERS ARISING FROM SECRETARIAL REPORT:

- (7.1) IT WAS AGREED THAT THE SIGNATURE CAMPAIGN SHOULD BE LAUNCHED AT THE CONFERENCE
- 7.2 THE COUNCIL DECIDED THAT A FOLLOW-UP LETTER REQUESTING A MEETING WITH P.W. SHO NOT BE WRITTEN.
- AFFELIATES WERE REQUESTED TO CONSULT THEIR MEMBERS ON AN APPROACH TO THE REFERANDUM FOR INDIANS AND COLOUREDS. THIS MATTER WOULD BE DISCUSSED AT THE NEXT COUNCIL MEETING.
- 7.4 THE COUNCIL DECIDED THAT WE SHOULD NOT MEET GATSHA BUTHELEZI AS IT WAS RU-MOURED THAT HE HAS INVITED THE UDF TO A MEETING.
- 7.5 THE SECRETARIAT WAS WEPRIMANDED FOR NOT HAVING PRESENTED A WRITTEN REPORT.

#### 8. REPORTS FROM AFFELIATES:

8.1 REPORTS WERE RECEIVED FROM MGWUSA AND THE REIGER PARK TENANTS AND RATEPAYERS ASSOCIATION.

### 9. BLACK LOCAL AUTHORITIES:

- 9.1 VERBAL PROGRESS REPORTS WERE RECEIVED FROM PRETORIA, ALEXANDRA, KRUGERS-DORP, WATTVILLE, KATHLEHONG, SOWETO AND VAAL. IT WAS DECIDED THAT SHOULD CONTACT THE AREAS WHICH HAVE NOT INDICATED ANY PROGRESS
- 10. IT WAS DECIDED THAT DELEGATES WOULD BE SEATED SEPARATELY FROM OBSERVERS AT THE NEXT MEETING. OBSERVERS WOULD NOT BE ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE IN MOTIONS.
- 11. NEXT MEETING: 10 DECEMBER 1983