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THESE ARE DRAFT MINUTES. THEY ARE CONFIDENTIAL AND RESTRICTED TO MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE OF PARTICIPATING PARTIES IN THE MULTI-PARTY NEGOTIATING PROCESS. THEY ARE SUBJECT TO RATIFICATION AT THE NEXT MEETING OF THE COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE.

DRAFT MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE HELD ON 25 AUGUST 1993 AT THE WORLD TRADE CENTRE AT 10H30.

CHAIR : C. Harrop
PRESENT : See Addendum A
MINUTES : B. Mthethwa

1. Moment of Prayer/Meditation

2. Apologies

Apologies were noted from the following members:

M. Kleynhans

D. Jackson

3. Welcome and Attendance

The Chairperson welcomed the members of the Committee to the meeting. It was noted that the attendance of members was still poor. Only eleven members were present out of twenty six participating parties.

4. Agenda

A proposed agenda was ratified without change.

5. Minutes

5.1 Ratification of minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were ratified with the following amendments:

The word "Inyandza" was wrongly spelled.

United Peoples' Front was called United Peoples' Party

5.2 Matters Arising

5.2.1 Media Coverage

The Committee agreed that an invitation letter should be sent to various radio stations requesting them to attend the meeting of Communications Committee to be held on 8 September 1993 at 10h30, where the Committee will discuss with various radio representatives how the insertion of regular slots on radio would work.

5.2.2 Attendance

The issue of attendance was again raised at this meeting. The Committee noted that the poor attendance for this particular meeting was due to administration not being able to notify members timeously, for example, some members were told that there was no meeting taking place on this day. However, the Committee agreed that a circular letter should be sent to senior party delegates in the Negotiating Council so as to remind them of the attendance of their representatives at Communications Committee meetings.

6. Date of next meeting

The Committee agreed to meet again on 8 September 1993 at 10h30.

7. The meeting closed at 12h30