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CONSTITUTIONAL ASSEMBLY

THEME COMMITTEE 1

CHARACTER OF DEMOCRATIC STATE

1 FEBRUARY 1995

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MEETING OF THEME COMMITTEE 1 CHARACTER OF THE DEMOCRATIC STATE

Please note that a meeting of the above Committee will be held as indicated below:

Date:

Wednesday, 1 February 1995

Time:

08h30

Venue:

Room M515 (Marks Building)

AGENDA

- Opening
- 2. Minutes of previous meeting
- 3. Matters Arising
- 4. Discussion on Party Submissions
- 5. Core Group Meeting
- 6. General
- 7. Closure

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CONSTITUTIONAL ASSEMBLY MINUTES OF THE SECOND MEETING OF THEME COMMITTEE 1

CHARACTER OF THE DEMOCRATIC STATE MONDAY 30 JANUARY 1995 (08H30) Present Mtshali L P H M (Chairperson)

Chiba L Chiwayo LLL Dyani MM Gumede DM Kekana NN Mabuza M Mahlangu NJ Marais A Meshoe RK Mohale M Moorcroft EK Niehaus CG Routledge NC Seaton S Sisulu AN Tshivase TJ Van Zyl ID Williams AJ

Chikane MM Cwele CS Goosen AD Hangana NE Lekgoro MK Macozoma SJ Majola-Pikoli G Marais PG Mngomezulu PG Mokaba P Mukhuba TT Nobunga BJ Schoeman EA Shope G Streicher DM Van Deventer FJ Vilakazi BH Zondi MK

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2. Apologies

- Booi M S
- Fani L M
- Ripinga S S

Leola Rammble and Khulile Radu were in attendance.

1. Opening

In his opening address the Chairperson mentioned that all the parties are requested to submit lists of members and therein indicate the status of the members.

2. Minutes

The previous meeting's minutes were adopted.

3. Matters arising

Matters arising were included in the agenda items.

4. Revised Work Programme

It was agreed that members would be allowed time to read the document, which would be discussed at the meeting on 31 January 1995.

5. Submissions and work plan.

a) A Report from the Core Group - was endorsed by the meeting, and it was agreed that in the meeting of 31 January 1995 parties will be accorded time to talk to their party submissions.

It was also reported that the process of establishing technical committees should be finalised soon.

6. Public Participation Programme

The meeting endorsed the Core-Group report on the programme. The meeting also entertained a report from the Deputy Executive Director: Media, Legal and Community Liaison. The report entailed the programme of action of the Community Liaison Department.

7. General

The Core-Group was given the task to look at the procedure of drafting the reports for the CC.

The meeting rose at 09h30.

CHAIRPERSON

John John

CONSTITUTIONAL ASSEMBLY

THEME COMMITTEE 1 CHARACTER OF DEMOCRATIC STATE

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON THE 31 JANUARY 1995 (14H00)

Present

Chairperson LPHM Mtshali

Booi MS Chikane MM Cwele CS Gumede DM Lekgoro MK Macozoma SJ Marais A Meshoe KR Mokaba P Moorcroft EK Mulder P Niehaus CG Nzimande BE Ripinga SS Schoeman EA Sisulu AN Swanepoel L Van Deventer FJ Vilakazi BH Zondi KM

Chiba L Chiwayo LLL Dyani MM Hangana NE Mabuza CM Mahlangu NJ Marais PG Mngomezulu PG Momberg JH Mukhuba TT Ncube B Nobunga BJ Majola-Pikoli G Routledge NC Seaton S Streicher DM Tshivase TJ Van Zyl ID Williams AJ

Apologies: Fani LM Shope G

L. Rammble and K. Radu were in attendance.

OPENING

The meeting was opened by the chairperson and the agenda was adopted with the following amendment:- the procedure for writing reports should be discussed under the item 5, General.

2. Revised Work Programme

It was agreed that the revised programme be accepted but allow for a great deal of flexibility where necessary.

3. Public Participation

It was agreed that the CA is a sovereign body and as such can call on any other structure to help facilitate the process. It was further agreed that t Core Group should discuss public participation events with regard to each Block and submit this to the Theme Committee.

4. Party Submissions

All the parties were allowed to talk to their submissions. Detailed discussions on such inputs were postponed for the meeting on 01 February 1995. The ACDP and PAC would talk to their submissions on a later date.

5. General

Members were mandated to seek party positions on the drafting of Theme Committee reports after each Block to the Constitutional Committee.

The meeting rose at 16h15.

CHAIRPERSON:

