

**MINUTES OF THE SECURITY SUB-COMMITTEE MEETING HELD AT THE WORLD TRADE
CENTRE ON TUESDAY 7 APRIL AT 16H30**

Present: L V Ntsubane
P J Nembambula
M Sheik
R Mampane
N Pretorius
M Morobe

M Symonds (secretary)

1. CONVENOR'S OPENING

1.1 The convenor welcomed everyone and declared the meeting open.

2. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

2.1 The order of points 5.1 and 5.2 was reversed.

2.2 The Agenda was then adopted.

3. RATIFICATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

3.1 The only changes were to the dates of the forthcoming meetings:

Meeting of Monday 13 April was postponed.

Meeting of Tuesday 21 April was moved from 16h30 to 14h00.

Meeting of Tuesday 28 April was moved to Monday 27 April at 17h30.

4. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

4.1 The Secretariat is dealing with the issue of firearms, but however it remains a matter of extreme urgency, in view of CODESA 2 taking place soon.

5. CONTINUATION OF DISCUSSION

5.1 Weapons for personnel

5.1.1 In the meantime, those in possession of firearms should bring them. There must however be strict control over all firearms within the building. Certain areas need to be demarcated, which will only allow for authorised personnel to be armed in certain areas.

5.1.2 The commanders must provide a list of all those who have either service firearms or personal firearms.

5.2 CODESA 2

- 5.2.1 It was reported by Mr Morobe that the DMC through the Secretariat stated that the present security structure should be allowed to proceed. There is the expectation that there will be clear proposals with regard to CODESA 2's security needs. The execution plan for CODESA 1 is being upgraded and will be ready by 21 April 1992.
- 5.2.2 The sub-committee accepted the DMC'S request. Furthermore, the sub-committee was congratulated for shouldering the great responsibility of CODESA 2.
- 5.2.3 The plans for CODESA 1 are to be used as a format for the security preparations of CODESA 2.
- 5.2.4 Guidelines should be developed on how to increase personnel. Furthermore, it was suggested that the additional personnel should be brought in a week or two in advance.
- 5.2.5 Mr Morobe said that there will be foreign guests and that the same format as for the first plenary session will apply. It was noted that there was a problem with protocol during CODESA 1. The Administration will deal with this. However, security will be included in resolving the problem. This is still to be formulated further, and Mr Morobe has undertaken to keep the sub-committee informed.
- 5.2.6 It was suggested that the commanders formulate a proposal on security requirements for CODESA 2 by 21 April.
- 5.2.7 Commanders complied with the request and will liaise with the sub-committee.

6. SALARIES

- 6.1 Security personnel are being taxed 25%, and it is felt that this is too much.
- 6.2 Mr Morobe and Mr Symonds will investigate this matter.

7. LEAVE

- 7.1 It was said that security can be down-scaled; however, a presence needs to be maintained. Security's needs have to be determined and personnel can be down-scaled accordingly, for the period of 13 April to 21 April 1992. The problem, however, is who is going to be allowed to take leave. This problem will be left to the commanders' discretion.

8. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- 8.1 Mr Sheik has received a request from a reporter, to answer certain questions relating to security. It was agreed that he may do so.
- 8.2 It was suggested that Mr Sheik be the press liaison representative for the security sub-committee. Mr Sheik however suggested that Mr Morobe fulfill this role.
- 8.3 It was brought to the security sub-committee's attention, by Cpt Pretorius that a certain Mr Lidimo has been involved in intimidation of a Kempton Park Conference Centre female worker. It was suggested that a disciplinary committee be established, consisting of the two commanders and Mr Morobe. This committee should put the allegations to Mr Lidimo and allow for an explanation. A conclusion can then be formulated and on that basis it can be decided whether or not to recommend to the respective authority to withdraw Mr Lidimo from CODESA Security. Cpt Pretorius has agreed to this suggestion.

- 8.4 It was also brought to the sub-committee's attention that two ANC security personnel and two KwaZulu policemen were caught drinking in public, and behaved in an indecent manner in public. However, these gentlemen have returned home since this incident.
- 8.5 Cpt Pretorius has suggested a security staff braai to boost morale. Mr Morobe suggested that a general staff braai be organised, and that he would investigate the avenues for obtaining finances.

9. DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING

The next meeting of the Security Sub-committee will be held on Tuesday 21 April at 14h00.

10. CLOSURE

There being no further matters to discuss, the meeting was closed.