

REPORT OF SUB-GROUP 2 (CITIZENSHIP) WORKING GROUP 4 (THE FUTURE OF THE TBVC STATES)

1. CITIZENSHIP

1.1 SG 2 of WG 4 has reached sufficient consensus that South African citizenship be restored. In this regard there are two views:

a) Citizenship should be restored immediately

b) Citizenship should be restored after the testing of the will of the people and if such expression of the will is in favour thereof.

1.2 Reservation

The Bophuthatswana Government records its position that:

a) Citizenship should not be imposed on people

b) The will of the people at all times be tested in terms of the procedures that might be agreed upon.

2. Press Release

The "sufficient consensus" statement on citizenship in paragraph 1.1 above should be used as a press release after it has been approved by WG 4.

3. Rapporteur

Sub-group 2 has adopted Mr Geoff Budlender as its rapporteur

4. Mechanics of the Restoration of Citizenship

4.1 The question of the testing of the will of the people in the process of the restoration of the citizenship is referred to the recommendation of sub-group 1 of WG 4.

4.2 The question of the mechanics, time span and implementation of citizenship is referred to Working Group 5.

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