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THESE ARE DRAFT MINUTES. THEY ARE CONFIDENTIAL, AND RESTRICTED TO WORKING GROUP 5, ITS STEERING COMMITTEE, THE DAILY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE AND THE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE. THEY ARE STILL SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE CHAIRPERSON OF SUB-GROUP 2 OF WORKING GROUP 5, AND TO RATIFICATION BY THE SUB-GROUP AT ITS NEXT MEETING.

DRAFT MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF SUB-GROUP 2 OF WORKING GROUP 5 HELD AT THE WORLD TRADE CENTRE ON MONDAY 30 MARCH 1992 AT 14H00

PRESENT: (Addendum 1)

1. Chairperson's opening remarks

The meeting was chaired by Mr DK Padiachey of the National People's Party.

2. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted, without amendment.

3. Apologies and substitutions

3.1 Apologies were received from:

J Qutuka (Ciskei Government)

3.2 The following substitutions were noted:

AE Nkondo for ML Nkuna (Ximoko Progressive Party) K Lategan for D Curry (Labour Party) M Hendrickse for J Scholtz (Labour Party)

4. Ratification of the minutes of the previous meeting

- 4.1 It was noted that Mr PA Mathee (National Party) had been present at the meeting of 23 March 1992.
- 4.2 The minutes were adopted, without amendment.
- 5. Matters arising from the minutes of the previous meeting
 - 5.1 Regarding Item 3.1.1 of the minutes, it was noted that members of Task Group 2 will require more time in which to study the basis documents referred to under Item 1 of Addendum C before submitting proposals to the task group.
- 6. Reports from the task groups

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- 6.1 The reports submitted by Task Groups 1, 2 and 3 (appended as Addenda 2, 3 and 4 respectively) were noted.
- 6.2 Regarding the work of Task Group 4, then following was noted:
 - 6.2.1 Nothing substantive has emerged from the minutes of Working Group 4 and its subgroups to date.

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- 6.2.2 <u>It was agreed</u> by members of the task group that Task Group 4 should work proactively on the following issues:
 - Common citizenship for all South Africans (including citizens of the TBVC states).
 - Laws concerning re-incorporation.
 - The testing of the will of the people.

7. Matters arising from the reports of the task groups

Nothing was raised in this regard.

8. Any other business

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- 8.1 It was agreed that each of the task groups should:
 - 8.1.1 Determine whether or not to re-convene following the full plenary session of Working Group 5 at 11h45.
 - 8.1.2 Determine its own schedule of meetings during the month of April.

9. Date of the next meeting

It was agreed that this should be determined at the full plenary session to take place at 11h45.

10. The meeting closed.

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Addendum 1

The following people signed the attendance register:

African National Congress

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Bophuthatswana Government

Ciskei Government

Democratic Party

Dikwankwetla Party

Inkatha Freedom Party

Intando Yesizwe Party

Inyandza National Movement

Labour Party

Natal/Transvaal Indian Congress

National Party

National People's Party

Solidarity Party

South African Communist Party G Bizos Z Skweyiya

AM Boikanyo LI Morule

PP Jacobs

R Burrows P Gastrow

DT Mokoena ALR Xaba

LPHM Mtshali P Smith

N Mbonani VS Mahlangu

BD Madonselsa GG Zama

K Lategan M Hendrickse

Y Vawda N Balton

C Fismer PA Mathee

DK Padiachey AS Pillay

M Naranjee I Osman

D Mvelase D Mafu

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South African Government

L Wessels GC von Bratt

Transkei Government

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United People's Front

Venda Government

Ximoko Progressive Party

Minutes:

GC von Bratt

GE Zilwa M Mabude

R Ramontja IKE Moloko

LS Ramavhoya M Mphaphuli

ML Nkuna DZL Mtebule

Pam Saxby



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Addendum 2

DRAFT REPORT FROM TASK GROUP 1 OF SUB-GROUP 2 OF WORKING GROUP 5, 30 MARCH 1992

Rapporteur: Mr P Gastrow, Convenor of Task Group 1

- 1. <u>It was agreed</u> that nothing has emerged from the minutes of the sub-groups of Working Group 1 to enable the task group to proceed with work on specific issues agreed upon by Working Group 1.
- 2. <u>It was agreed</u> that, in principle, the task group would prefer to meet on Sunday evenings rather than on Tuesdays, should that become necessary.
- 3. A list of discriminatory legislation (68 Acts) was circulated.

It was agreed that:

- 3.1 The task group needs to be proactive in respect of the list of Acts, rather than wait for Working Group 1 to deal with them.
- 3.2 The convenor of the task group should approach the SA Law Commission with the request that, in respect of each Act mentioned on the list, an explanatory paragraph should be provided to enable the task group to categorise the various Acts.
- 3.3 These explanatory paragraphs should assist the task group, at its next meeting, to categorise the Acts into those that fall within the Terms of Reference of Working Group 1 and those that do not.
- 3.4 Task Group 1 should then communicate with Working Group 1 and proceed working upon those Acts which fall within its Terms of Reference.

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Addendum 3

DRAFT REPORT FROM TASK GROUP 2 OF SUB-GROUP 2 OF WORKING GROUP 5, 30 MARCH 1992

Rapporteur: Mr C Fismer, Convenor of Task Group 2

1. To date, 4 basis documents have been identified for further study:

- the SA Electoral Act
- the Namibian Electoral Act
- the Zimbabwean Electoral Act
- the El Salvador Electoral Act
- 2. Further basis documents may be added later, together with any other related subject matter for consideration.
- 3. The chairman will make arrangements for members to be supplied with the four documents mentioned under Item 1 above before the next meeting of the task group.
- 4. <u>It was agreed</u> that members of the task group should study the relevant documents and present to the next meeting proposals regarding, inter alia:
 - 4.1 Subjects arising from the documents to be included in the brief.
 - 4.2 Subjects not to be included in the brief.
 - 4.3 Further subjects to be included in the brief which are not covered in the basis documents.

It was further agreed that, if possible, members should give their views on the above items.

- 5. <u>It was agreed</u> that the headings of the Namibian Electoral Act should be used as a starting point for discussion at the next meeting.
- 6. The next meeting of Task Group 2 will take place on Monday 27 April 1992.

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Addendum 4

DRAFT REPORT FROM TASK GROUP 3 OF SUB-GROUP 2 OF WORKING GROUP 5, 30 MARCH 1992

Rapporteur: Mr RM Burrows

1. The contents of the SA Constitution Act were considered.

- 2. The overlap between the Terms of Reference of Sub-group 2 and the Declaration of Intent were noted and referred to the meeting between the Steering Committee of Working Group 5 and members of the DMC/Secretariat, scheduled to take place at 13h00 on Monday 30 March 1992.
- 3. The available minutes of Working Group 3 were discussed, and certain issues identified which should be raised by the Steering Committee of Working Group 5 with the Steering Committee of Working Group 3.

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