

FUND-RAISING ACT AND FUNDING MEETING

SUB-COMMITTEE MEETING



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DATE: 10 June 1987

TIME: 14h00

PRESENT: Buti Thagale, Tsidi Mokoape, Ishmael Mkhabela

APOLOGIES: John Samuel and Themba Mkhwanazi

1. OPENING:

Mkhabela spelled out the agreed terms of reference for the Sub-Committee, namely,

- (i) Facilitate interaction between groups and Trust funds in the country.
- (ii) Make recommendations on issues to be raised and means of approach.
- (iii) Collate information on such trust funds and persons responsible.

2. SALIENT DIMENSIONS:

The meeting identified the political and material dimensions of the problem as crucial elements in achieving the stated objectives of the Sub-Committee, in particular, and those of the groups in general.

The Committee recommended that issues/concerns of common interest should be exploited in promoting meetings as well as in discussions. Hence stress should be placed on the following:

- (i) The Fundraising Act
- (ii) Government threat to the continuity of programmes.
- (iii) Information related to how trusts and their representatives receive aid.
- (iv) Questions on how aid is dispensed. Criteria and qualifications to such funding assistance.
- (v) The grave concerns of small and poorly funded organisations. The need to safeguard both their existence and work in the face of debilitating current developments.

3. RECOMMENDATIONS:

The following recommendations and decisions were made by the Sub-Committee:

- (i) That individuals in relationships with existing trusts and related bodies be identified and asked to facilitate interaction.
- (ii) That John Samuel be asked to write to relevant trusts/bodies requesting for documentation, area of focus and activities of such.

- (iii) That the need for groups to maintain some healthy autonomy and privacy should be recognised.
- (iv) That in addition to trusts and church groups, the S.A. liberal universities should also be approached.
- (v) An information exchange programme involving groups should be pursued.

4. FURTHER DELIBERATIONS:

The meeting resolved to convene another meeting involving all members of the Sub-Committee with the possibility of involving other persons.

5. DATE FOR NEXT MEETING:

The co-ordinator was asked to establish a suitable date for the meeting in consultation with members.

6. CLOSURE:

The meeting adjourned at 15h00

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