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TENNIS ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH AFRICA

MINUTES OF THE COUNCILLORS MEETING OF THE TENNIS ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH AFRICA, HELD AT THE ASOKA HOTEL, RESERVOIR HILLS, DURBAN, ON SUNDAY, MARCH 30, 1986 COMMENCING AT 10h15 .

THOSE PRESENT

<u>PRESIDENT :</u>	Mr. A.E.Fortuin
<u>VICE-PRESIDENT :</u>	Mr. S.B.Gumede
<u>GENERAL SECRETARY :</u>	Mr. C.R.Clarke
<u>ASSISTANT SECRETARY :</u>	Mr. Y.Bhyat
<u>HONORARY TREASURER :</u>	Mr. Y.Wajah
<u>COUNCILLORS :</u>	
Boland Tennis Union	Mr. D.Samaai
Eastern Province Tennis Union	Dr. B.Brown
Eastern Transvaal Tennis Union	Mr. D.L.Poonan
Far Northern Transvaal Tennis Assoc	Mr. K.P.Makhubele
Northern Transvaal Tennis Union	Mr. A.Sehlapelo Miss D.Naidoo (alt)
Services Tennis Union	Mr. T.Pongwana
South Eastern Transvaal Tennis Assoc	Mr. M.Sheik
Southern Natal Tennis Union	Mr. E.Osman     M.L. BALWANT (ALT)
South Western Districts Tennis Union	Mr. J.Welskit
South Western Transvaal Tennis Union	Mr. J.Waja Mr. M.Khan (alt)
Western Province Tennis Union	Mr. V.Govender
S.A. Primary Schools Sports Assoc	Mr. V.V.Gounden

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE :

Mr. S.M.Zim, Secretary of North Central OFS Tennis Assoc  
Mr. E.Ngwenya, Panel of Referees - TASA

1. OPENING REMARKS :

The President, Mr. A.E.Fortuin extended a hearty welcome to all the Councillors. He thanked Southern Natal Tennis Union for hosting the meeting. He stated that we should carefully look into the reason for holding such meetings. It was to discuss tennis matters openly and to democratize our Association.

2. NOTICE :

The Notice convening the meeting as circulated was read by Mr. C.R.Clarke and noted. In 'other matters', 'Finance' was included for discussion. The Agenda was accepted on the motion by Mr. M.Sheik (SETTA) and seconded by Mr. J.Waja (SWTTU).

3. TO RECEIVE COUNCILLORS CREDENTIALS :

The Credentials of the Councillors present were accepted on the motion by Mr. D.Samaai (BTU) and seconded by Mr. D.L.Poonan (ETTU).

4. TO READ AND CONFIRM PREVIOUS COUNCILLORS MEETING MINUTES :

The minutes of the previous Councillors meeting held in Durban on Sunday, April 7, 1985 were read, amended, dealt with and were detailed in the minutes of the AGM held in Durban on Monday, December 30, 1985 and circularised. Accepted on the motion by Mr. A. Sehlapelo (NTTU) and seconded by Mr. T. Pongwana (STU).

FURTHER MATTERS ARISING :

4.1 MEMBERSHIP SURVEY FORMS :

The composite survey form submitted by the Assistant Secretary, Mr. Y. Bhyat indicated that 6 Affiliates did not bother to submit their completed forms. The Secretariat was extremely disappointed in this regard. The Affiliates were :- Eastern Tvl, Griqualand West, North Central OFS, Northern Tvl, Southern Natal and South Western Districts.

Affiliates were requested to submit the forms immediately.

4.2 REGISTRATION BOOKS :

The amendments to rules governing tournaments and the response to the membership survey forms made it imperative that these books be printed and distributed. The cost per book would be + R4.00 and each club would be expected to purchase a Senior and Junior Registration book.

Affiliates were requested to submit the number of books required by them.

5. CORRESPONDENCE :

5.1 ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS :

5.1.1 From SETTA (28/1) a list of their new Officials and a complete calendar of events. Our acknowledgement dated (7/3).

5.1.2 From SETTA (11/3) expressed goodwishes for the Councillors meeting and their compliments for the production of the Agenda Papers at meetings and the newly designed letterheads. The credentials of their Councillor, Mr. M. Sheik, was included.

5.1.3 From Mr. Y. Ebrahim (26/3) apology for absence from meeting and indicated that Mr. V. Govender would represent WPTU.

5.1.4 To Services Tennis Union (7/1) requested completed club survey forms and indicated that their Constitution applied to a National and not a Provincial organisation.  
A new amended Constitution was received from STU.

5.1.5 To SWDTU (30/1) enclosed membership survey forms and requested them to complete and urgently return same.  
Forms were still outstanding from SWDTU.

5.1.6 To SWDTU (30/1) requested them to complete an affiliate data form. They responded on 22/2 .

5.1.7 From SWTTU (6/2) a list of their new Officials and a complete calendar of events for 1986.

5.1.8 To COFSTA (28/1) thanking them for the submission of their club membership survey forms.

5.1.9 From WPTU (28/2) confirming the dates for the Inter-Provincial tournament as December 23, 26 and 27th and suggested that the closing dates for entries be August 31 .  
It was dealt with under tournament dates.

- 5.1.10 To WPTU (7/2) indicated that Ms B.Accom had to give written reasons for her absence from the 1985/1986 TASA National Championships in order to qualify for the 1986 Ranking.

In a letter dd 11/3 submitted through the WPTU Ms Accom gave University examinations which started on 6/1 as her reason for missing the Championships.

Her letter was unanimously accepted on the motion by Mr. M.Khan (SWTTU) and seconded by Mr. M.Sheik (SETTA).

- 5.1.11 To Mr. S.Naidoo (Emery Airfreight) (12/2) thanking him for arranging no charge air freight of the ITF rule books.
- 5.1.12 Circular to all Affiliates (6/3) appealing for R1.00 SACOS levy. Levy received from SETTA and SWTTU only. Other affiliates present indicated that they would despatch the levies shortly. \*
- 5.1.13 To Boland TU (7/3) indicating that Mr. M.Winlock had to give written reasons for his absence from the 1985/1986 TASA National Championships in order to qualify for the 1986 Ranking.
- 5.1.14 To VETU and SAPSSA (7/3) indicating that their apologies for absence from the December AGM had been accepted and imposed on them the need for their presence at the Councillors meeting.
- 5.1.15 To ETIU, NCOFSTA,NTTU and WTTU (7/3) expressing concern at their absence from a number of TASA meetings and imposed the need for their presence at the Councillors meeting.

A reply was received on 30/3. He gave University examinations as his reason for missing the Championships.

His reason was unanimously accepted on the motion by Mr. M.Khan (SWTTU) and seconded by Mr. M.Sheik (SETTA).

The Vice-President, Mr. S.B.Gumede stated that there were some problems in WTTU, notably the mines. Discussions were taking place with the National Union of Mineworkers.

On the motion by Dr. B.Brown (EPTU) and seconded by Mr. J.Waja (SWTTU) it was unanimously accepted that a meeting should be arranged with NUM as soon as possible.

Mr. S.B.Gumede stated that NUM had requested a Memorandum outlining the problems and the necessary concrete actions to remedy the situation. The Secretary, Mr. C.R.Clarke was requested to draw up a Memorandum.

- 5.1.16 To GWTU and Stellaland TU (7/3) expressing concern at their total inactivity and requested their presence at the Councillors meeting.

Mr. C.R.Clarke stated that clubs were being formed in GWTU and that there would be organised tennis shortly .

A reply dd 14/3 was received from Mr. A.E.Anthony of STU wherein he stated that he was battling to keep STU alive. Membership was restricted to juniors only and requested that TASA officials visit Vryburg.

Mr. E.Osman (SNTU) suggested that STU should link up with GWTU.

Mr. A.E.Fortuin felt that TASA should look into that whole area including Mafeking and Upington.

Mr. A.Sehlapelo (NTTU) stated that our opponents were working full out to crush TASA and that the Tvl TASA officials should visit Vryburg and the surrounding areas.

It was unanimously agreed that the Tvl TASA officials should visit Vryburg as soon as possible. Mr. C.R.Clarke was requested to set up the meeting.

- 5.1.17 To SWDTU (7/3) indicating that the Councillors meeting would be their first meeting after their acceptance as members of TASA and requested their presence.

Mr. J.Welskit , the Secretary of SWDTU was present at the meeting and was welcomed by the President, Mr. A.E.Fortuin.

- 5.1.18 To SNTU (7/3) requesting them to investigate the allegations levelled against their President, Mr. E.Osman in correspondence received from SACOS and appealed to them to table a report on their findings at the Councillors meeting.

Mr. E.Osman (SNTU) stated that the matter was discussed by SNTU. He stated that Mr. P.Zulu (SNTU) was supposed to table the report at the Councillors meeting but was unable to do so because of his brother's death a few days ago.

A minutes silence was observed and Mr. E.Osman was requested to convey TASA's condolence to Mr. P.Zulu (SNTU).

Mr. E.Osman presented the SNTU report dated 28/3. The report was thoroughly discussed. Mr. E.Osman (SNTU) was requested to submit a copy of the Report to TASA as soon as possible.

In the discussion that followed, Dr. B.Brown stated that a distinction should be made between "just being employed by the State" and "promoting the State's apartheid policy as an employee".

Mr. A.Sehlapelo (NTIU) stated that his position as a Chief Planner was his livelihood and that the SACOS complaint should be condoned.

Mr. J.Waja (SWTU) emphasized that TASA and the other SACOS affiliates could not accept all and referred to the police force, as an example, who were implementing the policy of the State with ruthless aggression.

Ms D.Naidoo (NTIU) indicated that a club from the Police College at Hammanskraal was affiliated to NTIU and enquired about their position.

The General Secretary, Mr. C.R.Clarke stated that we should look at a broader overall aspect and should look at the situation objectively. He felt that we were becoming very self-destructive. We were promoting the principle of non-racialism and that there was no clear-cut answer to the problem. It needed a thorough investigation.

Mr. V.V.Gounden (SAPSSA) stated that as a teacher himself, many teachers were promoting the SACOS policy.

Dr. B.Brown suggested that SACOS should analyse the situation of the role played by State employees in implementing the State's policy and that a clear line should be drawn. There were many individuals who were promoting aims contrary to SACOS policy.

The letter from the S;A.Water Safety Association which originally lead to the complaint was read by the General Secretary, Mr. C.R.Clarke. It stated that due to the number of drownings on the Natal coastline, life saving courses were to be offered to teachers on voluntary basis outside school hours.

Mr. E.Osman (SNTU) stated that he signed the circular like all other normal circulars.

After digesting the contents of the circular letter, on the motion by Dr. B.Brown (EPTU) and seconded by Mr. C.R.Clarke, it was unanimously agreed that by signing the circular letter, Mr. E.Osman (SNTU) was not promoting aims contrary to SACOS policy.

- 5.1.19 From VETU (12/3) requested clarity on an account received from the Treasurer. Another letter dated 19/3 Treasurer was requested to provide clarity on the matter.

The Treasurer, Mr. Y.Wajah was requested to reply to the queries.

- 5.1.20 From NITU undated letter with a list of their newly elected Officials and our acknowledgement.

- 5.1.21 From SASSSA (16/3) requested a meeting between their Executive and that of TASA. They proposed 27/4 as a possible date.

It was unanimously agreed that the TASA President, General Secretary and the 3 Cape Panel of Referees should attend the meeting.

They were requested to highlight to them that all TASA juniors were not being represented at SASSSA's activities. Also, TASA to bring to the notice of SACOS that other affiliates were not really doing anything to infiltrate other areas.

- 5.1.22 From SASSSA (11/3) notice of their meeting to be held in Cape Town on March 28th.

Unable to attend because there was no venue.

- 5.1.23 From SASSSA (16/3) informed us of their new headquarters.

- 5.1.24 From SASSSA (26/1) resolution adopted at their December meeting and a Press release relating to schools sports and the Education crises.

## 5.2 SACOS and RELATED MATTERS :

- 5.2.1 From SACOS (20/2) notice of the General Meeting to be held in East London on May 3 & 4. An up to date address list was also enclosed.

It was unanimously agreed that the Vice-President, Mr. S.B.Gumede would represent TASA. Also, Mr. C.R.Clarke was requested to appoint 3 other delegates from the surrounding affiliates.

- 5.2.2 From SACOS (20/2) circular from affiliates appealing them to adhere to democratically arrived at resolutions and to use the correct forums to change such resolutions if this was justified.

- 5.2.3 From S.A.Darts Board of Control (23/1) requested a message for their brochure in celebration of their 25th anniversary. Our President, Mr. A.E.Fortuin obliged the message.

- 5.2.4 From TRACOS (8/2) indicated that video tapes of the SACOS 1985 Sportsperson of the Year function was available at R35.00 per copy.

Mr. M.Sheik (SETTA) informed the meeting that the Tvl had ordered 1 copy. It was unanimously agreed that the video tape be made available to other affiliates.

## 5.3 INTERNATIONAL MATTERS :

- 5.3.1 To the ITF (13/1) order for 200 Rule books.

The airfreight of the books was being handled by the Assistant Secretary, Mr. Y.Bhyat.

- 5.3.2 From ITF (23/1) copy of 1986 Rule book and 25/1 copy of January Presidents Newsletter.
- 5.3.3 To SANROC (5/3) copies of TASA documents and relevant press clippings.
- In a letter dd 11/3 Mr. S.Ramsamy acknowledged receipt of the documents and complimented the President, Mr. A.E.Fortuin for his replies to SATU. He extended good wishes to the Councillors at the meeting.
- 5.3.4 To SANROC (24/3) copies of all documents relating to our application to the ITF for membership.
- 5.3.5 To Mr. J.Dhiraj (24/3) copies of all documents relating to our application to the ITF for membership.

The Correspondence was accepted on the motion by Mr. M.Khan (SWTTU) and seconded by Dr. B.Bilown (EPTU).

## 6. REPORTS :

### 6.1 SEVENTH NATIONAL OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP :

- 6.1.1 Panel of Referees : No report was presented by the Panel of Referees. They were requested to do so as soon as possible.
- 6.1.2 Southern Natal Tennis Union - Host Union Report : No report was presented by SNTU.

Mr. E.Osman (SNTU) stated that they were unable to secure any sponsorship.

- 6.1.3 Tournament Financial Report : The Report was tabled by the Treasurer, Mr. Y.Wajah.

Mr. Y.Wajah stated that there was a deficit of R2743-61 which was funded from General Funds. Of this amount, R1995-00 was given as prize money.

Mr. C.R.Clarke stated that prize money was a 'tradition' and not compulsory.

Mr. A.E.Fortuin stated that funds for the prize money was used from General Funds without being sanctioned by the Councillors and that the action should be condoned by the Councillors.

On the motion by Mr. E.Osman (SNTU) and seconded by Mr. M.Sheik (SETTA) the Executive's action was approved by the Councillors.

The Tournament Financial Statement was accepted on the motion by Mr. M.Khan (SWTTU) and seconded by Mr. D.L.Poonan (ETTU).

### 6.2 REPORT OF THE PLAYERS MEETING HELD IN DURBAN ON DECEMBER 30, 1985 :

The report was ratified for discussion on the motion by Mr. V.Govender (WPTU) and seconded by Mr. M.Sheik (SETTA).

The General Secretary, Mr. C.R.Clarke stated due to the lengthy earlier AGM meeting, proper justice was not done to the paper prepared by the Vice-President, Mr. S.B.Gumede. He suggested that in future the meeting should be made compulsory for all participating players.

The meeting adjourned for lunch at 13h20 and resumed at 14h15 .

6.3 REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE MEETING HELD AT THE JEEVAN KARA CENTRE, DURBAN ON FRIDAY, JANUARY 3, 1986:

The report was ratified for discussion on the motion by Mr. M.Khan (SWTTU) and seconded by Mr. M.Sheik (SETTA).

Mr. C.R.Clarke stated that the function organised by the host, Southern Natal, was not held due to the lack of interest on the part of the players. It had to be cancelled at the last minute and that this was not an acceptable situation. The matter had to be looked into as soon as possible.

Mr. E.Osman (SNTU) informed the meeting that the losses due to the cancellation were born by SNTU.

7. TASA SPORTSPERSON OF THE YEAR :

The closing date for nominations had been extended to February 28th and only 2 nominations of Mr. C.Bergman (from SETTA) and Mr. A.Solomon (from WPTU) were received. The motivations were circularised to all the affiliates.

The General Secretary, Mr. C.R.Clarke stated that in the past the TASA Executive had made the nomination decision. Now it had been left to the affiliates and players, but the response was very poor and disturbing.

The Assistant Secretary, Mr. Y.Bhyat agreed with the Secretary's sentiments and felt that we should look into the reasons for the poor and disappointing response.

Mr. E.Osman (SNTU) indicated that there may be some confusion regarding the nominations procedure. Affiliates could have failed to nominate any player because there was no player within their affiliate.

Both Dr. B.Brown (EPTU) and Mr. J.Wajah (SWTTU) suggested that we should consider nominating 2 or 3 players with their profiles from each affiliate and circularise all the nominations to all the affiliates for a final nomination.

Mr. A.E.Fortuin concluded the discussion by stating that affiliates should carefully re-consider the whole nomination procedure.

Mr. C.Bergman (from SWTTU), on the proposal by Mr. M.Sheik (SETTA) and seconded by Mr. D.L.Poonan (ETTU), was unanimously nominated the TASA Sportsman of the Year for 1986. Mr. A.Solomon's nomination, as proposed by WPTU, failed to get a seconder.

8. RULES GOVERNING TOURNAMENTS :

The proposals which were submitted by the President, Mr. A.E.Fortuin and circularised to all affiliates, was discussed.

Rule 4.1 : Mr. A.Sehlapelo (NTTU) stated that players who were not registered with TASA should not be considered for TASA activities.

Mr. A.E.Fortuin disagreed by stating that TASA should try and win all 'floating' players.

There was no amendment to this Rule.

Rules 3.7 , 4.5 & 7.0 : These 3 Rules were deleted. Rule 7.0 was replaced by 'All Entry fees to be included with Consolidated Form'.

Rule 7.1 : Mr. M.Sheik (SETTA) felt that the function should be a free affair.



The Treasurer, Mr. Y.Wajah disagreed by stating that the function should be used to raise funds for TASA.

There was no amendment to this Rule.

Rule 7.4 : Mr. M.Sheik (SETTA) felt that the host centre should be entitled to share any profits from local sponsorship.

It was unanimously agreed and Rule 8.1 was introduced to cater for the amendment. Rule 8.1 reads " The net profit derived from Tournament income, excluding any National obtained sponsorship, shall be divided on an equal basis".

Rule 8.0 Item 'g' : Mr. M.Sheik (SETTA) suggested that the host centre should raise a minimum of R2000 for prize money.

Mr. C.R.Clarke felt that this was not acceptable.

Mr. A.E.Fortuin stated this was a complete new concept and that the Councillors did not have a mandate from their affiliates.

There was no amendment to this Rule.

Rule 8.0 : It was unanimously agreed that an item 'i' be included which reads "Accomodation for TASA Officials".

On a suggestion by Mr. M.Sheik (SETTA) it was agreed that a public draw be made for all events. Thus, 10.9 to read "A public draw should be made for all events".

The Draft Rules and the amendments were accepted on the motion by Mr. V.Govender (WPTU) and seconded by Mr. M.Sheik (SETTA).

#### 9. RANKING SYSTEM :

The procedures to be followed in the ranking of players and the points systems which was circularised to all the affiliates was discussed.

Mr. V.Govender (WPTU) inquired on the omission of Miss B.Accom (WPTU) from the ladies ranking. He also stated that certain players had not played the required tournaments, i.e. National and 2 others, but had been included in the ranking list.

Mr. A.Sehlapelo (NTTU), as a member of the Panel of Referees, stated that it was an oversight on the part of the Referees and that the matter would be sorted out immediately.

#### 10. TO FINALISE TOURNAMENT DATES FOR 1986 :

##### 10.1 AFFILIATES OPEN TOURNAMENTS :

10.1.1 Northern Tvl Open : Mr. A.Sehlapelo (NTTU) stated that the sponsors, PUTCO had withdrawn the sponsorship, but they were looking into alternate sponsorship. Tentative dates of May 31st and June 1st was proposed by NTTU.

10.1.2 Eastern Province Open : Dr. B.Brown (EPTU) proposed the dates of May 8th to 11th. Accepted.

10.1.3 Transvaal Open : Mr. Y.Bhyat proposed the dates of October 10th to 12th at Lenasia. Accepted.

10.1.4 Boland Open : Mr. D.Samaai (BTU) proposed the dates of December 12th to 17th at Paarl. Accepted.

10.1.5 Western Province Open : Mr. V.Govender (WPTU) proposed the dates of December 18th to 22nd at Cape Town. Accepted.

All the dates proposed were accepted on the motion by Mr. M.Sheik (SETTA) and seconded by Mr. D.Samaai (BTU).

10.2 COKE JUNIOR MASTERS :

It was unanimously agreed on the dates of June 30th to July 4th.

10.3 TASA INTER PROVINCIAL :

The dates of December 23,26 and 27th were proposed, but it had to be confirmed with the host, WPTU.

It was unanimously agreed that the same rules as for 1985 would be used and that the deadline would be August 31st.

10.4 1986/1987 TASA NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS :

To be hosted by Boland Tennis Union at Paarl from December 29th to January 3rd.

4th BGM to be held on Sunday, December 28th.

Players meeting to be held in the evening after the BGM .

The TASA dates proposed were accepted on the motion by Mr. M.Khan (SWTTU) and seconded by Mr. A.Sehlapelo (NTTU).

11. JUNIOR TENNIS :

11.1 COKE MASTERS TOURNAMENT :

The proposals which were submitted by the President, Mr. A.E.Fortuin and circularised to all affiliates, was discussed.

Items 1.1 & 1.2 : Mr. V.Govender (WPTU) stated that each affiliate be entitled to submit 2 players per age group. Also, TASA to consider additional players if financed by affiliates themselves.

Mr. A.E.Fortuin stated that additional players would not be possible.

Mr. M.Sheik (SETTA) also suggested that each affiliate be entitled to 2 players.

After much deliberation, on the motion by Mr. M.Sheik (SETTA) and seconded by Mr. D.Samaai (BTU), it was unanimously agreed that the the Coke regions remain the same as 1985 and each region be entitled to send 2 players per age category.

Also, the 2 new affiliates FANITA & SWDTU to be assessed by Mr. A.Sehlapelo (NTTU) and Mr. D.Samaai (BTU) respectively as soon as possible.

Regarding the redundant Griqualand West and Stellaland Tennis Unions, it was agreed that any applications from them would be considered by the Panel of Referees and the Executive.

Item 1.4 : Regarding invited players, it was agreed that the Panel of Referees should inform the affiliates as soon as possible. Also, they should consider any exceptional cases.

The proposals were accepted on the motion by Mr. D.Samaai and seconded by Mr. T.Pongwana (STU).

11.2 JUNIOR COACHING COURSE PROPOSALS :

The proposals submitted by Mr. C.Bergman (SWTTU) which were circularised with the minutes of the AGM and the recommendations submitted by the President, also circularised, was discussed.

It was agreed that without sponsorship it would be difficult to embark on the project. Mr. Y.Wajah, the TASA Treasurer, was requested to pursue past negotiations with Dunlop as soon as possible.

The proposals were accepted on the motion by Mr. M.Khan (SWTTU) and seconded by Mr. M.L.Balwant (SNTU)

12. STANDING RULES :

The proposals submitted by the President, Mr. A.E.Fortuin were accepted without any amendments on the motion by Dr. B.Brown (EPTU) and seconded by Mr. V.Govender (WPTU).

13. THE SINGING OF NATIONAL ANTHEM AT TASA MEETINGS AND EVENTS :

At the AGM a delegate from SWTTU had requested that this matter be placed on the Agenda for the Councillor's meeting.

Mr. J.Waja (SWTTU), the delegate who had proposed this request, requested for the withdrawal of his request. Accepted.

14. TO DISCUSS ANY OTHER MATTERS :

14.1 CONSTITUTION :

The amended Constitution was ready for printing but it was the General Secretary's intention to produce a booklet containing the Constitution, Standing Rules, Tournament Rules and Ranking Grading if the rules were accepted at the meeting.

It was unanimously agreed to go ahead with the booklet.

14.2 TASA NEWSLETTER :

The Assistant Secretary, Mr. Y.Bhyat stated that there had been a NIL response from affiliates for articles for the Newsletter.

An urgent appeal was made to all affiliates to co-operate in getting this project off the ground. Affiliates were requested to submit any news, articles etc by the end of April.

14.3 TENNIS SCHOLARSHIPS :

This matter arose from the Executive meeting minutes of November 8th.

Mr. C.R.Clark was requested to pursue the matter and get detailed information as soon as possible.

14.4 TO READ AND CONFIRM THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT :

The Treasurer, Mr. Y.Wajah tabled a Financial Statement as at March 31, 1986. It was moved for adoption on the motion by Dr. B.Brown (EPTU) and seconded by M.Khan (SWTTU).

Mr. Y.Wajah inquired on the position of capitation for juniors.

The President, Mr. A.E.Fortuin stated that only juniors who were participating in senior activities were liable for capitation.

However, Dr. B.Brown ( EPTU) felt that all juniors should pay some sort of capitation.

On the motion by Dr. B.Brown (EPTU) and seconded by Mr. J.Welskit (SWDTU) it was unanimously moved that all juniors to pay 50 cents capitation.

Finally, Dr. B.Brown (EPTU) inquired on the status of players from Border who were participating in EPTU activites.

Mr. C.R.Clarke informed Dr. B.Brown (EPTU) that EPTU had to clear all players with TASA before playing. Also, they should be looking into the direction of forming their own Union.

15. TERMINATION :

The President thanked SNTU for hosting the meeting and expressed his appreciation fo the Councillors for attending the meeting. There being no further business, the meeting thereafter terminated at 17h00.

READ AND CONFIRMED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_ 198

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GENERAL SECRETARY

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