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I, CHARLES ROBBERTS SWART,
hereby make oath and say :

1.

I am the Minister of Justice and Head of the Department of Justice.

2.

I have duly considered all the facts relative to the technical recordings made by the S.A. Police of proceedings of, and speeches at meetings or conferences, and am of the opinion that the method used and the facts and circumstances relating to the method of the technical recording of the proceedings of, and speeches made at the meeting which was held by the organisation known as NATAL MIDLANDS REGION OF THE CONGRESS OF THE PEOPLE at REGENT THEATRE, PIETERMARITZBURG, on 5th DECEMBER, 1954, and also the methods used, as well as the facts and circumstances relating to the methods of technical recording at any other meetings or conferences of any organisation, are facts, matters and things within the meaning of Section 233 of Act 56 of 1955.

3.

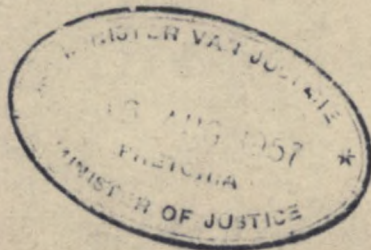
I object to the disclosure of the above facts, matters or things which on grounds of public policy and from regard to public interest ought not to be disclosed as I deem such disclosure to be against public policy and detrimental to public interest.

4.

I accordingly claim privilege for the above facts, matters or things from disclosure.

Ch Swart
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SWORN TO before me at PRETORIA on this the *16th* day of *August*, 1957. The Deponent has acknowledged that he knows and understands the contents of this affidavit.



F. J. van der Merwe
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COMMISSIONER OF OATHS.

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