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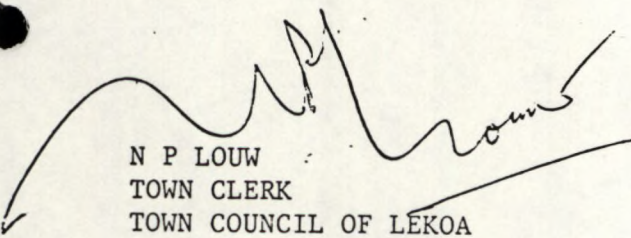
MEETING BETWEEN THE TOWN CLERK AND A  
DELEGATION FROM + 500 RESIDENTS FROM  
SHARPEVILLE ON WEDNESDAY, 5 SEPTEMBER  
1984 TO DISCUSS THE RENT ISSUE.

Present:

1. Rev B Photolo, Anglican Church, Evaton.
2. Meshach Chalo.
3. Mongesi Radebe, 4162 Sharpeville.
4. P Magwa, 5447 Sharpeville
5. Lydia Makume, 4023 Sharpeville.
6. Mantsoe Ramakhouse, 2288 Sharpeville.
7. Tshepo Photolo, 735 Evaton.
8. E Matthysen, Town Treasurer, Town Council of Lekoa.
9. J J Kruger, Township Manager.
10. Col. G J Viljoen, South African Police Krugersdorp.
11. N P Louw, Town Clerk, Town Council of Lekoa.

1. A request to reduce the house rental, service charges and metered services which amount + R90,00 per month in Sharpeville to an amount of R30,00 per month per household.
2. All the Councillors must resign and the Community will replace them with people of their own choice without indicating what system would be followed to accomplish such replacement of Councillors.
3. All detainees must be released from prison.
4. The South African Police must withdraw from Sharpeville.
5. No payment of house rental and service charges and metered service until the total rent package is reduced to R30,00 per month per house.
6. Buses must enter the township to transport residents to places of employment.
7. The delegation requests an interview with the Town Council of Lekoa to discuss the rent issue.
8. The increase in service charges of R5,90 per month must not be implemented.
9. Families must be able to visit the detainees in prison.
10. Residents must be allowed to attend funeral services of people who have died in the riots.

11. Lodger permit fees of family related lodgers to the permit holder must be scraped.
12. Allegations are made that Councillors do not pay their house rental service charges and metered services themselves.
13. The issuing of blankets to the old aged by Councillors of the Vaal Triangle Community Council before the general election of the Town Council of Lekoa during November 1983 was an effort to canvass for votes which the community does not like.
14. Permit holders are not permitted to negotiate with the Township Manager to swop houses unless it is approved by the appropriate resident Councillors.
15. Councillors of the Trade Committee are monopolizing the allocation of business either to themselves or to applicants they personally favour best.
16. They have objected to the increase of electricity deposit of R40,00 to R50,00 per household.
17. The payment of R15,00 for the testing of an electricity metre is unjustified.
18. Requesting an independant commission of enquiry pertaining to the allocations of businesses.
19. Objections were raised in regard to the tri-cameral parliamentary system of central government including Blacks.
20. The main objection was as referred to in (19) above and the fact that the Black Local Authorities Act, Act number 102 of 1982 was enacted by a White government for Urban Blacks without them being part of the law-making process.

  
N P LOUW  
TOWN CLERK  
TOWN COUNCIL OF LEKOA

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