

AUTHORISATION IN TERMS OF SECTION 21(3) OF ACT 76 OF 1962,
AND DIRECTION IN TERMS OF SECTION 152 BIS (1) OF ACT 56
OF 1955, AS AMENDED.

I, RUDOLPH WERNER REIN, Attorney-General of the Province of Transvaal, hereby authorise, in terms of Section 21(3) of Act 76 of 1962, that the undermentioned accused persons shall be tried for the offence of Sabotage.

1. NELSON MANDELA,
WALTER SISULU,
DENNIS GOLDBERG,
GOVAN MBEKI,
AHMED MOHAMED KATHRADA,
LIONEL BERNSTEIN, and
RAYMOND MAHLABA
} being members of an association of persons, within the purview of Section 381(7) of Act No 56 of 1955, as amended, known as The NATIONAL HIGH COMMAND, The NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENT, The NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE of The NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENT and the UMKONTO WE SIZWE (The Spear of the Nation).
2. NELSON MANDELA,
3. WALTER SISULU,
4. DENNIS GOLDBERG,
5. GOVAN MBEKI,
6. AHMED MOHAMED KATHRADA,
7. LIONEL BERNSTEIN,
8. RAYMOND MAHLABA,
9. JAMES KANTOR, who, in partnership with HAROLD WOLPE, conducted his profession under the style of JAMES KANTOR AND PARTNERS,
} an association of persons within the purview of Section 381 (7) of Act No. 56 of 1955, as amended.
10. JAMES KANTOR,
11. ELIAS MATSOALEDI,

12. ANDREW MLANGENI, and
13. BOB ALEXANDER HEPPLE,

FURTHER, AS I deem it to be in the interest of the safety of the State and in the public interest that ~~the~~ ~~aforementioned~~ accused persons, who are charged with having committed ~~the~~ offences of

1. SABOTAGE in contravention of Section 21 of Act No. 76 of 1962, as amended,
2. Contravention of Section 11(a), read with Sections 1 and 12, of Act No. 44 of 1950, as amended, and
3. Contravention of Section 3(1)(b), read with Section 2, of Act No. 8 of 1953, as amended.

shall be tried summarily in a superior Court without a preparatory examination having been instituted against them, now therefore in terms of Section 152 bis(1) of Act 56 of 1955, as amended, I direct that they be so tried

R.W. REIN.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

Given under my hand at PRETORIA this 9th day of OCTOBER 1963.

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