RESUME OF MR DESMOND L. MOELA

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1. INTRODUCTION

Desmond Moela is the first born child born between Mr Philemon and Elizabeth Moela followed by his three sibling brothers. Born and raised at Phola trust, which falls under the Hazyview zone. Desmond is customarily married to Ms Pretty Dube and together they have been blessed with two sons named Oratile (5) and Lethabo (1).

He has been involved in youth development from as early as ten years old during his active involvement at church.

At a time when student politics was still a bit foreign at Phola, Desmond became involved and active in school politics under the banner of Cosas where he later led as an LRC President at Mshadza High School. Under the same organization, he further served at provincial and National levels. His passion for youth development saw him being elected into the Yinhlelentfo Youth Development board where he served one term before moving to pursue his tertiary studies.

During his student days at the Tshwane University of Technology, Desmond was an active member of SASCO, serving in its finance committees led by the treasurer. He was part of a winning team, championing a number of successful campaigns all almed at making access to education easy for students.

In his tenure as Chairperson of the ANCYL in the province of Mpumalanga, Desmond successfully ran a series of regional Solomon Mahlangu and O.R Tambo lectures, specifically focusing on the lessons that could be drawn from these two leaders. It is an undisputable fact that Desmond was and is still able able to attract crowds from all corners of life including those from opposition parties. To wit, in one of such lectures, the targeted number of five hundred multiplied more than twice resulting in a total attendance of close to one thousand four hundred (1 400) youths.

Still as a Chairperson, Desmond successfully led a march supported by over two thousand young people and parents against the use of violence at a Mpumalanga private school, Cefups Academy where a learner had died due to injuries sustained after a beating at school. To date learners of the school have reported enjoying school appropriate punishment. This victory was made possible through collective efforts, but mainly because of the active participation and influence of the Chairperson who also serve as a senior official at the Mpumalanga Department of Education.

Desmond has for many years been a trusted member of the ANC and has been without a doubt one of the most trusted members who has been trusted with many processes include. He has



Stand no 149 Phola Hazyview 17 November 2016

The NEC of the ANCYL Mpumalanga Luthuli House

Dear Mr N Nzuza
ACCEPTANCE OF NOMINATION TO SERVE IN THE BOARD OF THE NYDA.

It is with great pleasure that I am writing this letter to you in order to accept the nomination to be a member of the board of the National Youth Development Agency (NYDA). I must say, I am deeply honored to know that my fellow members in the ANC Youth League felt me worthy of such major responsibility. Mother Theresa once said "You can do what I cannot do, and I can do what you cannot do but together we can do great things". With these words I continue to assure you that I am accepting this nomination to go and represent you and not my individual interests, where I will be short and when the going gets tough, I am still going to need your guidance and encouragements.

In accepting this position, I understand that I will be required to do outreach with different youths especially those from different backgrounds in the country and beyond the borders of the country or even continent. My responsibility will be to ensure that the mandate and vision of the agency is carried out to the benefit of the youth of the country. In doing so, I will not forget that we have a vision and a plan that is the NDP Vision 2030 and the Youth Accord. I see this nomination as one step towards the many strategic facets needed to ensure the effective realization of the resolutions of the very conference which elected me Deputy President of young people in South Africa.

I must say that I am eager to begin with the duties, and already have quite a few ideas for projects I would like to support. I want to see how much of a difference some greenhouse effects will be for our youth in farming. I would also like to focus a bit on our youth in the arts and entertainment industries, they have been sidelined for long and the Youth Policy compels us to include them in our programs because their participation in economic activities relies on their talent. These are but a few of many ideas and focus areas that I will be focusing on. These are not new, as they have always formed part of the vigorous debates we've been engaging in during our programs and commissions.

Yours comradely,

Cde Desmond Moela

ANCYL Deputy President

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been mentored by current Premier, Mr David Mabuza, sitting State Security Minister, Mr David Mahlobo and many other senior leaders in government and in the ranks of the ANC party Itself.

2. CONSTITUENCY

As ANCYL Deputy President, Desmond is responsible for all the young people of South Africa in all spheres: employed, unemployed, students, learners, abled and disabled, all races and all socio

He remains popular amongst the youth masses of Mpumalanga in general both in and out of

3. PERSONAL DETAILS

Name

: Desmond Lawrence Moela

Sex

: Male

Date of birth : 15 May 1982

ID No

Addresses

Contact No

Fax

Citizenship

: South African by birth

4. CAREER

Director: Human Resource Capacity at Mpumalanga Department of Education (December 2014

Parliamentary Liaison Officer: Department of Education 2011-2014

Supply Chain Officer: Department of Education: 2009-2011

5. EDUCATION

Currently pursuing National Diploma in Public Management with the University of South Africa (Expecting to finish in 2017)

Holds a Certificate in Supply Chain Management from Pro Active College Matriculated at Mshadza Secondary School in 2002.

6. POLITICAL

Desmond is a member of the ANC and ANCYL in good standing, and remains active at branch

He is the current seating national Deputy President of the ANCYL, as elected in September 2015 to date. Other key leadership positions historically held are listed below in their order:

- Member of the ANC in Mpumalanga from 2013 to date
- Provincial Chairperson of the ANCYL in Mpumalanga (January 2013 to date)
- Chairperson of the ANCYL at Ehlanzeni Region
- RTT Convener of the ANCYL at Enlanzeni Region

- Chairperson of the ANCYL branch in Ward 5, Hazyview zone
- Member of CoSAS NEC
- Provincial Chairperson of CoSAS in Mpumalanga
- Provincial Secretary of CoSAS in Mpumalanga
- Member of CoSAS at branch level, later deployed as LRC representative

7. OBJECTIVES

Better education

Equal and fair access to participation in sports and arts for young people of South Africa Improved healthcare for young people and all South Africans Technology to improve communication and education Food security

Youth Entrepreneurship

8. INTERESTS

Active supporter of Kaizer Chief Football Club Reading the Bible

9. KEY CONCERNS

Agricultural diversification Equitable wealth distribution HIV and AIDS and its impact in the lives of Africans Substance abuse

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Understanding and interpreting social dynamics
Working under pressure
Working with teams
Understanding Youth Development
Working with numbers
Organizing
Reading
Writing reports and papers
Conducting meetings
Communicating
Preparing presentations

REFERENCES

