

**IN THE JUDICIAL COMMISSION OF INQUIRY INTO CRIMINALITY,
POLITICAL INTERFERENCE AND CORRUPTION IN THE CRIMINAL
JUSTICE SYSTEM**

In the application of:

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Applicant

and

SECRETARY OF THE COMMISSION

Respondent

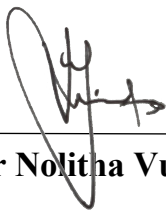
RULING

At the direction of the Chairperson, all members of the media are invited to show cause why a ruling should not be issued in the following terms:

1. The appearance of the applicant before this Commission shall be conducted virtually and off screen, but with an audio broadcast subject to paragraphs 2 to 5 below.
2. Only the following persons shall be permitted to remain present during the hearing of the applicant's evidence:
 - (a) the Commissioners, Evidence Leaders and staff of the Commission; and
 - (b) the parties and their legal representatives.
3. In the event that the Evidence Leader intends to ask the applicant any question, the answer to which is likely to enable members of the public to identify the applicant by means of material that has already been published in the media, the following protocol shall apply:
 - (a) Before asking such a question, the Evidence Leader or the applicant must notify the Commissioners that they intend to do so.
 - (b) The public broadcast of the proceedings must be temporarily suspended and the proceedings shall continue in camera until such time as—
 - (i) the question has been answered; and
 - (ii) the Evidence Leader and Commissioners have finished ventilating any issues flowing from the answer given by the applicant, whereafter the public broadcast shall resume.
 - (c) The record of that portion of the proceedings which was held in camera shall be—
 - (i) kept separately;
 - (ii) filed under seal with the Secretary; and
 - (iii) made available to the public only to the extent that, with redactions, it can be made available in a form that will prevent the disclosure of the identity of the applicant.
4. All persons present during the in camera proceedings in accordance with paragraph 2 shall be prohibited from disclosing any information revealed during those proceedings, save for purposes of these proceedings and as permitted by the Commission.

5. No persons may disclose the identity of the applicant or any information that is likely to lead to the disclosure of the identity of the applicant.
6. On request by any member of the media, the Secretary of the Commission shall make available the redacted affidavit of the applicant in support of the application and the transcript of the proceedings of 13 March 2026 in so far as they relate to the application brought by the applicant.
7. Any member of the media wishing to oppose the proposed ruling shall—
 - (a) give notice of their intention to do so on or before 23 March 2026, and
 - (b) file any affidavits in support of their opposition on or before 26 March 2026.
8. In the event that the proposed ruling is opposed, the applicant and the Evidence Leaders will be entitled to file replying affidavits on or before 31 March 2026 and the application will be set down for hearing on a date to be determined by the Commission.

DATED AT PRETORIA ON THIS 17th DAY OF MARCH 2026



Dr Nolitha Vukuza

Secretary

**Judicial Commission of Inquiry into Criminality, Political Interference and
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