

## **MEDIA STATEMENT**

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STATEMENT BY JEREMY MICHAELS, SPOKESPERSON OF THE JUDICIAL COMMISSION OF INQUIRY INTO CRIMINALITY, POLITICAL INTERFERENCE AND CORRUPTION IN THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM

The Judicial Commission of Inquiry into Criminality, Political Interference and Corruption in the Criminal Justice System is pleased to announce that its public hearings will commence on 17 September 2025.

The Commission notes the award of several contracts by the Department of Justice and Constitutional Development, including IT equipment and ICT infrastructure services. The Commission further notes that significant progress has been made by the appointed service providers to set up the various services in accordance with the Commission's requirements. It is anticipated that all work in this regard will be finalised in time for the Commission's hearings to commence without any further delays.

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