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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE AND CONSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

PROCLAMATION NOTICE 318 OF 2026

by the

PRESIDENT of the REPUBLIC of SOUTH AFRICA

JUDICIAL COMMISSION OF INQUIRY INTO CRIMINALITY, POLITICAL INTERFERENCE AND CORRUPTION IN THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM ARISING FROM SPECIFIC ALLEGATIONS MADE BY LIEUTENANT NHLANHLA MKHWANAZI ON 6 JULY 2025: AMENDMENT REGULATIONS

Under the powers vested in me by section 1 of the Commissions Act, 1947 (Act No. 8 of 1947), and having made the Regulations which were published under Government Notice No. R. 277 in *Gazette* No. 53183 dated 19 August 2025, I hereby amend the said Regulations of the Commission as outlined in the Schedule attached hereto.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Republic of South Africa at ...Pretoria..... on this day ...08... of ...June..... Two Thousand and Twenty-six.

President

By order of the President-in-Cabinet:

Minister of the Cabinet

SCHEDULE

Definitions

1. In this Schedule "the Regulations" means the Regulations of the Commission of Inquiry into Criminality, Political Interference and Corruption in the Criminal Justice System Arising from Specific Allegations Made by Lieutenant General Nhlanhla Mkhwanazi on 6 July 2025 published under Government Notice No. R. 277 in *Gazette* No. 53183 dated 19 August 2025.

Amendment of regulation 10 of the Regulations

2. Regulation 10 of the Regulations is hereby amended by the substitution for subregulation (6) of the following subregulation:

"(6) For the purposes of conducting an investigation the Chairperson, or any official of the Commission duly authorised by him or her in writing, may direct any person to submit an affidavit or affirmed declaration or to appear before the Commission to give evidence or produce any document in his or her possession or under his or her control which has a bearing on the matter being investigated, and such person may be examined by the Chairperson or other members of the Commission, or an evidence leader.".

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE AND CONSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

PROCLAMATION NOTICE 319 OF 2026

by the

PRESIDENT of the REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

AMENDMENT OF TERM: JUDICIAL COMMISSION OF INQUIRY INTO ALLEGATIONS REGARDING EFFORTS OR ATTEMPTS HAVING BEEN MADE TO STOP THE INVESTIGATION OR PROSECUTION OF TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION COMMISSION CASES

Whereas I have, in terms of Proclamation No. 264 of 2025, appointed a Judicial Commission of Inquiry into allegations regarding efforts or attempts having been made to stop the investigation or prosecution of Truth and Reconciliation Commission cases.

I hereby amend the Terms of Reference of the Commission as set out in the Schedule hereto.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Republic of South Africa at .....Pretoria..... on this ..08... day of .....June..... Two thousand and twenty-six.

President

By Order of the President-in-Cabinet:

Minister of the Cabinet

SCHEDULE

TERMS OF REFERENCE

OF THE

JUDICIAL COMMISSION OF INQUIRY TO INQUIRE INTO ALLEGATIONS REGARDING EFFORTS OR ATTEMPTS HAVING BEEN MADE TO STOP THE INVESTIGATION OR PROSECUTION OF TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION COMMISSION CASES

Amendment of Terms of Reference

1. The Terms of Reference of the Judicial Commission of Inquiry to inquire into allegations regarding efforts or attempts having been made to stop the investigation or prosecution of Truth and Reconciliation Commission cases published in Proclamation No. 264 of 2025 as amended by Proclamation No. 302 of 2025, is hereby amended by the substitution for paragraph 7 of the following paragraph:

"7. The Commission must—

7.1 complete its work within the period commencing from 18 September 2025 and submit its report to the President by 31 December 2026; and

7.2 upon submission of its final report, enter a winding down phase for a period of 60 days.".

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE AND CONSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

PROCLAMATION NOTICE 320 OF 2026

by the

PRESIDENT of the REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

AMENDMENT OF TERM: JUDICIAL COMMISSION OF INQUIRY INTO CRIMINALITY, POLITICAL INTERFERENCE AND CORRUPTION IN THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM ARISING FROM THE SPECIFIC ALLEGATIONS MADE PUBLIC BY LIEUTENANT GENERAL NHLANHLA MKHWANAZI ON 6 JULY 2025

Whereas I have, in terms of Proclamation No. 269 of 2025, appointed a Judicial Commission of Inquiry into criminality, political interference and corruption in the Criminal Justice System ("Commission") arising from the specific allegations made public by Lieutenant General Nhlanhla Mkhwanazi on 6 July 2025.

I hereby amend the Terms of Reference of the Commission as set out in the Schedule hereto.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Republic of South Africa at ..Pretoria..... on this ...08... day of .....June..... Two thousand and twenty-six.

President

By Order of the President-in-Cabinet:

Minister of the Cabinet

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TERMS OF REFERENCE

OF THE

JUDICIAL COMMISSION OF INQUIRY INTO CRIMINALITY, POLITICAL INTERFERENCE AND CORRUPTION IN THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM ARISING FROM THE SPECIFIC ALLEGATIONS MADE PUBLIC BY LIEUTENANT GENERAL NHLANHLA MKHWANAZI ON 6 JULY 2025

Amendment of Terms of Reference

1. The Terms of Reference of the Judicial Commission of Inquiry into criminality, political interference and corruption in the Criminal Justice System arising from the specific allegations made public by Lieutenant General Nhlanhla Mkhwanazi on 6 July 2025 published in Proclamation No. 269 of 2025, as amended by Proclamation No. 298 of 2025 and No. 312 of 2026, is hereby amended by the substitution for paragraph 13 of the following paragraph:

"13. The Commission must—

13.1 submit an interim report within three months after 17 September 2025;

13.2 submit a second interim report on or before 29 May 2026;

13.3 submit a final report at the completion of the Inquiry, on 31 August 2026; and

13.4 upon submission of its final report, enter a winding down phase for a period of 60 days, during which it shall—

(a) facilitate the referral of matters arising from its findings to the appropriate law enforcement agencies or relevant State institutions;

(b) ensure the proper handing over of all records, evidence, and documentation to such authorities or institutions; and

(c) undertake any other administrative tasks, as the Commission may deem necessary for the effective and orderly closure of its operations.".

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