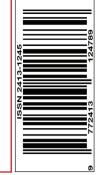


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STEP-ASIDE RULE DIVIDE NEC meeting erupted into chaos. They intended to resort to force

By Jimmy Masombuka

BUHLEBESIZWE 2 - The African National Congress (ANC introduced the rule that those comrades who are under investigation should step aside from their positions.

The crux of the matter are the allegations level against the ANC secretary-general Ace Magashule. He appeared in Bloemfontein Magistrate Court November 13, 2020 allegedly with corruption charges related to the asbestos contract while he was a Premier of Free State.

early elective conference should Magashule forced to step aside

> The national executive committee (NEC) of ANC wanted to implement the step aside rule that denotes those who are facing criminal charges must vacate their positions.

Magashule's allies had none of it but rallied behind him and fought back against those who intended to implement the rule.

As a result, the NEC meeting erupted into chaos. They intended to resort to force early elective conference should Magashule forced to step aside. However the NEC was given an opportunity to revisit the 7 days implementa-

tion of the rule and altered to 14 days. But that proposal was rejected too by Magashule's allies.

According to the reports, another NEC member denoted that Magashule will be removed through consensus.

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HELP POLICE LOCATE MISSING MOMAN

By MP Staff Reporter

HENDRINA - Members of the public are urged to assist police in locating Agnes Kedibone Mampone (21), from Kwazamokuhle in Hendrina. She reportedly went missing on 05 March 2021.

According to information on police disposal, Mampone left her home in the morning of the said day where she reportedly informed her family that she was going to withdraw cash and that was the last time her family saw her. It is said that she left behind her two children with her mother. The family became worried when she did not come back home and out of concern, they tried to call her but without any success. The matter was then reported to police hence the quest to know of her whereabouts.

It is also reported that Mampone was wearing a brown summer dress with white takkies on the day she went missing. Anyone who knows her whereabouts should contact Detective Constable Tshepiso Mphenyane at 073 746 8044 or call the Crime Stop number at 08600 10111, alternatively a tip-off can be given on the MySAPSApp. All received information will be treated as confidential and callers may opt to remain anonymous.



WHAT HAPPENS TO LIFE COVER AFTER DIVORCE?

By Saai Mahlangu

Many individuals who get married place emphasis on taking out life cover to protect their families in the unfortunate event of death.

However, when going through the emotional stages of a divorce, reviewing and updating your life policy can often be the last thing on your mind. Lee Bromfield, CEO of FNB Life says, similar to the process of entering into a marriage contract, partners should factor in unfortunate circumstances like a divorce when taking out life insurance for their families, especially if there are children involved. He unpacks five options available to consumers after a divorce:

• Changing beneficiaries – if you are no longer financially dependent on each other, you should review and update your beneficiary details. This is to ensure that the correct beneficiaries are paid out should anything happen to one of you.

• Banking details – individuals who are paying their policies from a joint account should contact their insurer and update their banking details, to avoid the policy lapsing if premium payments are no longer honoured.

If your policy lapses, you will no longer be guaranteed the same premium on a new policy, due to factors such as age and your current health conditions, amongst other factors.

Similarly, if you were financially dependent on your partner, you can either takeover the policy payments or discuss the way forward during your divorce settlement negotiations.

• Financial need of children – when there are children involved, an agree-

ment should be reached by both parties in order to protect them financially should both or one of you no longer be around. The decision taken will be based on your individual circumstances as well as estate planning arrangements.

- Sum insured your financial situation may change after a divorce, making it necessary to adjust your life cover amount to cover any shortfall.
- New policy individuals who did not have a policy of their own while married should now consider taking out their own policy.
- "Failure to review and update your life policy after a divorce, may not only lead to family disputes and costly legal battles, but those who are dependent on you in financial distress," concludes Bromfield.

Economic Freedom Fighters (EFF) advocate for postponement of local government elections to 2024

By Jimmy Masombuka

BUHLEBESIZWE 2 – COVID – 19 pandemic changes from normal contexts to abnormal including the political fraternity. In South Africa, the mood of local government elections kicks in as they were expected to be held between August and November 2021. The term of office of South African councillors come to end.

Communities in various spheres were expected to elect councils for all dis-

trict, metropolitan and local municipalities in each of the nine provinces. Julius Malema, the EFF leader emphasised the fact that if the elections continue will be the sense of depriving the opposition parties an opportunity to practice free and fair elections considering the fact that they did not have fair time to campaign for elections. Malema emphasised that the Independent Electoral Commission (IEC) to champion the postponement processes. "Under the current conditions, there will not be

free, fair, transparent, and safe elections in South Africa.

Our demand for the postponement of elections does not mean that we are afraid to take the ruling party in different municipalities head-on," said Malema. The president of a new political party, Action SA, Herman Mashaba said, "to postponed local elections will be unconstitutional. The ANC and EFF are interfering with the country's democracy."

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Abo soonkomo: Kuphuma abakhulumisi beenkomo bayokuthokoza (Bayokulotjhisa)

Abo soonkomo: Mkhozi bakwasgedegejana (Batjho is'bongo sekhabo) bayathokoza/bayalotjhisa.
Bakwa mkhozi: Mkhozi bakwa sgedegejana (Batjho is'bongo sekhabo) bayathokoza. (bese babuyisele ipendulo kibobaba).

Abo soonkomo: Mkhozi size embelekweni.

Bakwa mkhozi: Akhe siyok'bikela abobaba mkhozanami (Bayakhamba bayok'bikela abobaba bese babuyisela ipendulo)

Bakwa mkhozi: Imbeleko ngeyethu soke mkhozi (Bese abo soonkomo babuyisela ipendulo kibobaba)
Bakwamkhozi baletha amarhajana amabili kibobaba, amarhajana la abizwa ngokuthi bo-Jojwana. Abobaba bayangena ngejarideni kodwana abayi kude nesango bese bakghuthula abojojwana ababilaba (Babakghuthulela ngemuva kwabo khona abomkhozi bangakazukubabona) bese bathi kibomkhozi:
Abo soonkomo: Mkhozi semukwe bentwana

Bakwa mkhozi: Abentwana ngabethu soke mkhozi. (Bakwamkhozi baletha elinye irhabha kibomkhozi bese ke abomkhozi bayalisela)

Abo soonkomo: Mkhozi sephulwa bentwana

Bakwa mkhozi: (Bathumela isokana lizokuthatha iintonga zabakhwenyani bese abakhwenyani balandela isokanelo, isokaneli liyobaphekelela ngendlini le ezabe bakhethelwe yona bona yindlu yabakhwenyani)

Abobaba baya ebandla bayokukhulumisana ngamalobolo bese babawela iinkomo abeze nazo isiruba (isibaya). Ngemva kwalokho bayathathwa batjhingiswe ngendlini bese bahlatjiswa imbuzi (Mseme) Imbuzi le idliwa ekuseni ngaphambi kobana kuyokukhulunyiswa iinkomo. Umseme lo kuyindlela yokwamukela iinkomo zakwamkhozi (Zabo soonkomo). Inyongo yembuzi yomseme ithwalwa/ibotjhwa ngusoonkomo. Umkhono wembuzi le, iskhumba sayo kanye nomseme owendlalelwe usoonkomo bazokukhamba nazo ziba sibiko nabafika ekhaya. Omunye umkhono kuba ngewompheki wembuzi leyo.

Kuthi kungakhonjiswa usoonkomo imbuzakhe yomseme bese kuthathwa imvu iyokukhonjiswa abakhwenyani bese iyahlatjwa kuba sitjhebo sabakhwenyanabo abazakulala batjhetjiswe ngaso mhlokho nabalele ebukhweni besokanelo (umthathi). Imvu leyo ibizwa ngokuthi yimvabayenyana. Inyongo yemvu leyo ayisetjenziswa ngombana isitjhebo.

EKUSENI

Ngemva kokuphakululela abobaba umratha, badla imbuzi yomseme kasoonkomo leya ahlatjiswe yona ngayizolo entambama nabafikako, kuyaphunywa ke kuyiwe esibayeni kuyokukhulunyiswa iinkomo. Bakwamkhozi bajama ngehlangothini elinye kanti nabobaba (usoonkomo kanye nabaphekeleli bakhe) nabakhwenyani bajama ngakelinye ihlangothi.

Kuthoma abobaba bakhulumise iinkomo abeze nazo. Iinkomo zikhulunyiswa ngiloyo okhethelwe ukuba ngumkhulumisinkomo. Iinkomo ngilezi ezilandelako:

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- 4. Mgada/iqaba likababa
- 5. Sthole sakoMisa (Ikomo yakomswa ko mntwanyana)
- 6. Yimbevula

Mkhulumisi nkomo: Mkhozi nantiya ibherha (Ulikhomba ngedondolo) Bakwa mkhozi : Mkhozi ngisayok'bikela abobaba.

(Uyakhamba uyobabikela bese abobaba bayatjho bona bayayanela na bese babuyisa ipendulo)
Bakwa mkhozi: Mkhozi abobaba bayathokoza.

Mkhulumisi nkomo: Mkhozi ngisayokubikela abobaba.

(Uyakhamba uyobabikela bona bakwamkhozi bayamukele begodu bayayanela bese uyabuya uyokukhomba elandelako)

Mkhulumisi nkomo: Ukhomba ikomo elandelako (Njalonjalo nakilezi ezilandelako)

Kuthi abosoonkomo bangaqeda ukulobolela umkhozi, kutjhugululwa amajamo bakwamkhozi bajama lapha gade kujame khona bekhabo lesokana (bako soonkomo) kanti bekhabo lesokana bajama lapho gade kujame khona bakwamkhozi.

Bakwamkhozi bakhombisa bekhabo lesokana ingubo (Ikomo ekhule nomntwana) namawolwaphasi.

Bakwa Mkhozi: Mkhozi nasiya ikomo ekhule nomntwana. (Uyikhomba ngedondolo)

Bako soonkomo: Siyathokoza mkhozi. Akhe siyok'bikela abobaba mkhozi. (Bayakhamba bayok'bikela abobaba bese bayatjho bona bayayamukela begodu bayayanela na bese ubuyisela ipendulo)

Bako soonkomo: Mkhozi abobaba bayathokoza (Nebakwamkhozi bayakhamba bayokubikela abobaba bona bako soonkomo bayamukele begodu bayanele ingubo yomntwana bese bayabuya bazokukhomba elandelako) Bakwa mkhozi: Mkhozi nakaya amawela phasi. (Ukhomba ngedondolo) (Nawo abikelwa abobaba njengaleya ekhule nomntwana kubuyiselwane iimpendulo njengekuthomeni) Bakwa mkhozi: Mkhozi nasiya imvulela (Imvulela yikomo esengela abentwana. Ikomo leyo ikhitjhwa ngumkhozi ka soonkomo kuba yikomo yakwa mkhwenyanakhe azanande asengela kiyo abentwana ibisi. Ikomo leyo iyaragwa kukhanjwe nayo ekhabo lomkhwenyani bese uzakuthi nasele akhile umzakhe bese ukhamba nayo ngakwakhe) Nasele baqedile ukulobolelana abakhozi, iinkomo ezimbilezi (Ekhule nomntwana (ingubomntwana) kanye namawolwaphasi) ziyahlatjwa. Lokha nazihlatjwako kuthonywa ngekomo ekhule nomntwana maqangi bese kulandelwa ngamawelaphasi, kodwana ke ngebanga lokuthelelana kwemilambo (ukwahlukana kobuhlanga) abanye bathoma ngekomo yamawelaphasi. Inyongo yengubo (Ikomo ekhule nomntwana) ibotjhwa mlobokazi ohlatjiswako loyo kuthi inyongo yekomo yamawelaphasi ibotjhwe mkhwenyanani/isokana elithathakwelo.

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Iinkomezi zahlukaniswa phakathi bese bakwamkhozi bathatha ihlangothi lekomo ekhule nomntwana nehlangothi lemvu yabayenyana. Iimfunzi zikhamba nesokana zombili neenkhumba zombili.

Iinhloko zisala zombili kanye neenredlo zoke ngezabantazana bemzini loyo. Iinredlwezi aziphekwa, abentazana balapho bayazabelana nomunye athathe istokana nomunye athathe istokana ukuya ngendlela le ebaneliseka ngakhona. Kuthathwa imihlwehlwe yeenkomo zombili bese abomkhozi bayayibambisana kanye kanye bese omunye hlangana nabo bobabili usika mbijana ngomukhwa kodwana angaphumisela, godu anikele umkhozakhe bese naye asike aphumisele (bayawuhlukaniselana). Nabasikako nje bavakhuluma bobabili bathi "mkhozi siqedile ukulobolelana, asirhelebhane

ukwakhisa abentwana". Kugawulwa imingolo eenkomeni zombili ibe mibili ekomeni ekhule nomntwana, ibe mibili ekomeni yamawelaphasi ibe mincani ifakwe eenkotlelweni ezimbili ezahlukeneko kudojwe amatjana amabili afakwe esikotlelweni ngasinye (amatjana amabili esikotlelweni ngasinye) bese kuyiwa ngentumbeni. Nakuyiwa ngentumbeni, uyise lesokana uphatha isitja esinemingodlwana emibili namatjana amabili wekomo yamawelaphasi kandi uyise likamakoti uphatha isitja lesi esinemingodlwana emibili namatjana amabili wekomo ekhule nomntwana (Ingubo).

Ngentumbeni kulapha kukhulunywa khona iinkinga namagulo wabentwana. Naselekukhulunyiwe ngamagulo nofana iinkinga zabentwanezo ngentumbenapho, omunye nomunye kibomkhozi ababilaba uthatha ilitjana linye nomngodlwana munye afake esitjeni sakamkhozakhe. Amatje la nenyamana le (mingodlwana le) Akulahlwa kungakafikwa ekhaya (Ekhabo lesokana) imingodlwana leyo namatjana layo akghuthulelwa ngenyameni. Ukuwalahla endleleni kukwahlukanisa abentwana. Amatje la azakulahlwa mpheki welisu nabafuna ukupheka, kodwana bazawalahla ngejarideni lekhayapho. Nakuphele ngentumbeni kuphelile abomkhozi (Abo soonkomo) sebangakhululeka ngesinye nesinye iskhath ukubuyela ekhaya.

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By MP Staff Reporter

On Sunday, 11 April 2021 - Premier Refilwe Mtshweni-Tsipane learnt with shock and disappointment of an incident involving a three-weeksold baby, the unfortunate incident occurred at Bernice Samuel Hospital in Delmas at the Victor Khanye Local Municipality.

The Premier together with MEC for Health Sasekani Manzini visited the child and the family at Witbank Hospital to give them support, monitor the baby's recovery progress and to assure the family that they don't take what has happened lightly.

The three-week old baby was admitted for diarrhoea at Bernice Samuel Hospital and had to be transferred to Witbank hospital after complications which led to the amputation of the

baby's hand. According to information, a drip immediately was put on the hand when she arrived, she was also dehydrated, and when the mother went to feed the child the following day she found that her hand had turned blue and black.

The child had to be transferred to Witbank hospital and her hand was amputated.

The Premier has assured the family that a thorough investigation will be conducted. "While the investigation begins the medical staff involved should be suspended with immediate effect and we should get a preliminary report by next week.

We need only the truth as to what happened, but we also need to make sure we support the family and offer counselling to the young mother

and the rest of the family," said the Premier.

Both the Premier and MEC agree that as government they should take full responsibility of what has happened while a proper investigation is conducted.

"We condemn such unfortunate incidents at our health facilities that's the reason the Premier and I as mothers ourselves saw it fit that we come here in person to show the family that they are not alone and that we committed in ensuring that they get justice for this baby," said MEC Manzini.

The MEC said the department is working tirelessly to ensure efficiency at its health care facilities and they won't rest until such is done.





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POLICE SEARCHING FOR THREE SUSPECTS WHO ESCAPED FROM LAWFUL CUSTODY

By MP Staff Reporter

KRIEL - Police in Mpumalanga are searching for three suspects who escaped from the holding cells at Kriel Police Station. The trio are reported to have escaped in the early hours of the 07 April 2021. An investigation into how these men escaped is underway and police have launched a manhunt. The suspects are 18 year Siyabonga Mlotshwa, Thabo Motaung aged 24 as well as 35 year Njabulo Nelson khoza. The suspects were

initially arrested for rape, robbery, possession of drugs, housebreaking and theft, as well as contravention of the Immigration Act. Police members who were on duty indicated that they heard strange noise coming from the said holding cells where suspects were locked and went to investigate.

That is when they discovered that the trio made their way to an undue freedom. A case of escape from lawful custody was immediately opened and investigation regarding this matter is underway. Police are appealing to members of the public, including families of the suspects to assist with information that may lead to their re-arrest to contact Detective Sergeant Sipho Nkuna at 0727909238 or call the Crime Stop number at 08600 10111. Alternatively, members of the public can send information via MYSAPSAPP. All received information will be treated as confidential and callers may opt to remain anonymous.





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FORFEITURE OF ANNUAL LEAVE

By Saai Mahlangu

Can annual leave be forfeited? The answer is YES, a non-statutory annual leave can be forfeited.

Leave in excess of the statutory minimum is not regulated by the Basic Conditions of Employment Act (BCEA), but by the contract of employment.

The parties can therefore determine by

agreement how much leave may be accumulated, when it would be forfeited,

In terms of the BCEA an employee is entitled, in respect of every 12 months leave cycle, to 21 calendar days' leave. Meaning, "The number of working days' leave to which the employee is entitled is equivalent to that which the employee would normally work in a

three week period". The employer is obligated to grant annual leave not later than six months after the end of the annual leave cycle.

The employee should apply for all the annual leave accrued in the most recent leave cycle, and this must be taken within the 6 month period after the end of the leave cycle.

If the employer refuses to grant such leave, the employee may approach their union representative or alternatively the Department of Labour to assist with enforcement.

If the employee fails to apply for leave or the employee does not go on leave, such leave would be forfeited.



VARIOUS TRIBAL AUTHORITIES WITHIN THE THEMBISILE LOCAL MUNICIPALITIES LOCAL MUNICIPALITIES – PUBLIC CONSULTATION NOTICE IN TERMS OF INTERIM PROTECTION OF INFORMAL LAND RIGHTS ACT, 1996 (ACT NO. 31 OF 1996)

Residents of Kwagga A, Kwagga B, Miliva RDPs and Tweefontein E Tribal Authorities situated within wards of the Thembisile Local Municipalities are invited to public participation meetings to take a resolution regarding the proposed development on their arable land parcels for the extension / upgrading of National Route R573 Section 2 between Tweefontein E to Kwaggafontein.

The proposed consultation meetings will take place as follows:

Name of Community	Venue	Ward Councilor	Traditional Leader	Date	TIME
1) Kwagga A Community	Thembisile Local Municipality: Traditional Office	Cllr:Msiza 0724743118 Cllr: Mahlangu 0724208514	Headmen: Mabhena 0762760890 Ndzudza Mabhoko Traditional Council	20 April 2021	First Group: 10h00 – 11h30
			Traditional Council		Second Group:
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2) Kwagga B Community	Thembisile Local Municipality: Sindawonye	Cllr: Mahlangu 0723052096	Headman: Mahlangu 0826478056	21 April 2021	First Group:
Community	School	072002030	Ndzudza Somphalala Traditional Council		10h00 – 11h30
					Second Group:
					12h00 - 13h30
3) Miliva RDPs /	Thembisile Local	Cllr: Mogoboya	Headman: Tshabangu	20 April 2021	First Group:
Tweefontein F Community	Municipality: Sports Ground next to Library	0714385694	0761204373 Ndzudza Mabhoko Traditional Council		10h00 – 11h30
					Second Group:
					12h00 - 13h30
4) Tweefontein E	Thembisile Local	Cllr: Majungu	Headman: Mahlangu	21 April 2021	First Group:
Community	Municipality: EmaCentre	0726074431	0729001569 Ndzudza Fene Traditional Council		10h00 – 11h30
					Second Group:
					12h00 – 13h30

Please Note

Due to the National State of Disaster declared by the President Cyril Ramaphosa and the prohibition of a gathering of more than 100 people. A maximum of 100 people will be allowed in the meeting and should more than 100 people attend, a second meeting will follow immediately after the first one to accommodate people who could not attend the first meeting

Those who have queries or objections to the proposed development should, within a period of 21 days from the date of announcement of this notice, contact the following persons:

- 1. Ms Pheladi Kekana Department of Rural Development and Land Reform Cell: 0829476247 or Email Address: pheladi.kekana@drdlr.gov.za
- 2. Mr Humbulani Netshakhuma Department of Rural Development and Land Reform Cell: 0796992434 or Email Address: Humbulani.Netshakhuma@drdlr.gov.za
- 3. Mr David Thubane Land and Valuation Project Manager, South African National Roads Agency SOC Limited (SANRAL) Cell: 083 283 6089 or Email Address: thubaned@nra.c.o.za
- Ms Melba Geca Stakeholder Manager, South African National Roads Agency SOC Limited (SANRAL)
 Cell: 083 284 5942 or Email Address: gecam@nra.co.za
- 5. Mr Makhaya Msiza Project Liaising Officer, PLO Cell: 079 626 7267 or Email Address: gecam@nra.co.za

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Akukho enzelwa khona ngombana uhlolile, wenze into engenziwako.

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FOUR SUSPECTS APPEARED BEFORE COURT FACING TWO COUNTS OF MURDER AND ASSAULT ALLEGATIONS



By MP Staff Reporter

PIET RETIEF - On April 12, 2021 Danile Malan (38), Cornelius Gryeyling (25), Othard Klingenberg (53), and Ignitius Steynberg (31) appeared before the Piet Retief Magistrate's Court. The men are facing two counts of murder after two men were reportedly shot and killed at a certain farm in Dirkieskop on Friday 09 April 2021.

They (suspects) are alleged to have also assaulted another man hence a third count of assault with intent to inflict grievous bodily harm has been added against them.

Their court appearance spiral from an incident in which, the suspects are said to have gone to the farm owner to seek employment as seasonal workers. It is said that the farm owner informed these men that they are not welcome on his premises.

It is said that those who came to ask for employment then decided to leave the farm but later realised that one of them was left behind. They then went back only to find that he was kept at the farm by the suspects. It is said that as the men demanded that they let him go, a scuffle broke where two men were reportedly shot and died at the scene. Three other men are said to have also sustained serious injuries.

The residents of Mkhondo gathered and protest outside Piet Retief Magistrate Court where the four suspects of Piet farm murders were appearing for formal bail application.

The protest outside the court was also supported by various political parties. The community do not want the court to grant bail to the suspects. According to the family, what is making the pain even more profound is that the two were breadwinners who were looking after their frail over seventy year old mother and their siblings.

The Premier, Ms Refilwe Mtshweni-Tsipane visited the bereaved family and was accompanied by Vusi Shongwe (Community Safety, Security and Liaison MEC) and Ms. Lindiwe Ntshalintshali (Social Development).

The Premier indicated that the family will receive pyschosocial support and it will also be assisted with burial arrangements. She has condemned the incident in the strongest possible terms. She went on to appeal for the speedy finalization of the case at hand and all other cases involving violations of the rights of people living in farming communities.

On the other hand, MEC Shongwe says racism must not be allowed to thrive in rural areas. He has called on farm owners to always report to the police when they have problems and not take the law into their own hands.

The bail hearing has since been postponed to 19 April 2021 to enable the police to carry out further investigations into the case. The four remain in custody.

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CHIPPA UNITED HOT COACHING



MP Press Staff Reporter

Siviwe "Chippa" Mpengesi has done it again and fired coach Dan Malesela a day after Chippa United was handed an embarassing 5-1 by Maritzburg in a league match.

Malesela joined United in December in a deal that was meant to last until the end of the season, with an option to renew for a season. Dance, who has beeen fired by Mpengesi on several occassions in the past, joined Chippa in December having been fired by TS Galaxy for a week earlier, having gone six matches withou a win.

Recently, Chippa United have terminated Belgian coach Luc Eymael's contract with immediate effect, at the back of calls and pressure from EFF Eastern Cape and many quarters for his alleged racist slurs he uttered while with Tanzania's Young Africans SC, calling supporters monkeys and dogs. The chilli boys side, has gained reputation for being trigger-happy with their quick firing reaction.

Here's the full list of head coaching appointments at the club since it was promoted to PSL in 2012.

- 1. Manqoba Mngqithi
- 2. Julius Dube (caretaker) 12
- 3. Roger Sekhakhane
- 4. Farouk Abrahams
- 5. Wilfred Abrahams
- 6. Mark Harrison
- 7. Ian Palmer
- 8. Vladislav Heric
- 9. Kosta Papic
- 10. Roger Sekhakhane
- 11. Ernst Middendorp
- 12. Mich d'Avray
- 13. Velile Eddie Dyaloyi
- 14. Roger Sekhakhane
- 15. Dan Malesela16. Mbuyiselo Sambu
- 17. Dan Malesela
- 17. Dan Maleseia 18. Teboho Moloi
- 19. Vladislav Heric
- 20. Dan Malesela21. Eric Tinkler
- 22. Joel Masutha
- 23. Clinton Larsen
- 24. Duran Francis
- 25. Norman Mapeza26. Rulani Mokwena
- 27. Lehlohonolo Seema
- 28. Dan Malesela

HEFTY SENTENCES METED AGAINST TWO AFTER MURDER OF MUNICIPAL OFFICIAL

By MP Staff Reporter

STANDERTON - Police management in Mpumalanga has welcomed hefty sentences handed down by the Mpumalanga Division of the High Court sitting in Breyten against Themba Solomon Mhlongo, aged 27 and Fanyana June Mthembu, aged 33. The two were sentenced today, Thursday 01 April 2021, after they were convicted for the murder of 37-year-old Sithelwesihle Mathenjwa in Standerton on 17 November 2017.

Details of how Mathenjwa was killed were heard in court where it was uncovered that on the sad day, Mathenjwa who was employed as a Community Project Manager at the Lekwa Municipality in Standerton, was kidnapped by his assailants where they robbed him of his personal belongings, including

his blue Nissan Tiida and a laptop. He was then murdered and his body buried in a shallow grave at a certain farm in Standerton.

Meanwhile in the process, Mathenjwa's family became worried when they could not get hold of him for a while. On 20 November 2017, they then informed police about his disappearance. Police then opened a missing person's file and immediately sanctioned a search party for him but without any success. On 25 November 2017, they made a breakthrough when they spotted Mathenjwa's motor vehicle in Standerton driven by the two men. The duo were then arrested after failing to explain why they were driving Mathenjwa's car.

Nevertheless, the astute members continued with their probe until the men

finally came clean and told police what transpired. They confessed to police that they murdered Mathenjwa and concealed their actions by burying his body. The suspects also pointed out to the exact spot where they buried him. A murder case was then opened with additional charges of kidnapping, robbery with aggravating circumstances as well as possession of suspected stolen property. The team of investigators also managed to confiscate Mathenjwa's laptop as it was found in the suspects' possession during the tour of their investigation. The men were charged accordingly and indicated that there were two other men who assisted them in kidnapping Mathenjwa however, the court acquitted them due to lack of evidence to prosecute, meanwhile Mhlongo and Mthembu were sentenced as follows:

• Mthembu was only sentenced to five

years imprisonment for possession of stolen property.

- Mhlongo received a life sentence for murder.
- He was further sentenced to 15 years imprisonment for robbery with aggravating circumstances and three years for kidnapping. The court directed that all his sentences run concurrently with the life sentence.
- He (Mhlongo) was also found to be unfit to possess a firearm.

Police management in the province has commended the exceptional work done by the investigating team, the Prosecution as well as the Judiciary in ensuring that the offenders get a punishment that is befitting. The sentences should serve as a deterrence to others who might want to emulate such heinous acts.