

ISITATIMENDE NOKUXOLISA ESDILANGALALENI KULABO ABAYIZISEBENZI ZAKWASARS ABATHINTEKA NGEZINYATHETO EZATHATHWA USARS NABANYE ABANTU ABASECELENI NGONYAKA 2014-2018

Tshwane, 11 kuLwezi 2022 - Kuyintokozo kuSARS ukumemezela ukuthi usuyiphothulile inqubo yangaphakathi yokulungisa nezisebenzi ezithile azazithintwe ngezehlakalo ezenzeka ngesikhathi kubanjwa uSARS ngobhongwana phakathi konyaka wezi-2014 nowezi-2018. Lokhu kulandela ukuxolisa okwenziwa kulabo ababeyizisebenzi zakwaSARS ekuqaleni kwaleli sonto.

UKhomishana uKieswetter, egameni likaSARS, uwakalisa ukuxolisa esidlangularalenzi kuzisebenzi zazo ngezenzo zenhlangano nalokhu inhlango engakwenzanga okwaba bomthelela omubi ezimpilweni zabo. USARS uyazisola ngobuhlungu nenhlupheko okubehlele bona nemindeni yabo ngenxa yezenzo ezithile ezenziwa uSARS ngalesi sikhathi.

Ukuphothulwa kwenqubo kungezinye zezinomo zeKhomishana eyayibheka ukuphathwa kwentela kanye nokubusa kukaSARS eyaziwa nge (Nugent Commission) eyathola ukuthi uSARS awubanga nasithunzi futhi wahluleka ukubusa ngesikhathi sikaKhomishana wangaleso sikhathi uMnu. Tom Moyane. Embikweni wokugcina wezinomo zombiko weNugent Commission wokuthi uSARS kumele uzame ukulungisa kuzisebenzi zakwaSARS nalabo ababesebenzela wona, hhayi ngokusebenzisa imali, abathinteka ngenxa yezinyathelo ezathathwa uSARS ngenxa yombiko, phakathi kweminye, kaSikhakhane nowe-KPMG.

Ekuqashweni kwakhe kuNhlaba wezi-2019, uKhomishana uKieswetter wathola isimo sisibi ukwedlula lokhu okwakuvezwe embikweni weNugent Commission. Wafike waqalisa ukusebenzisa izindlela eziningi ngemizamo yokuzinzisa izisebenzi, ukubuyisela ugqozi nenkuthalo kuzisebenzi nokusungula kabusha ukwethembeka kwenhlangano.

Izinyathelo ezathathwa zibandakanya lokhu:

- Umkhankaso wokuhola "nokulalela" ohlose ukunika izisebenzi ithuba lokukhuluma nokwabelana ngezinto ababhakene nazo,
- ukubuyiselwa kwezisebenzi "ezengeziwe" lapho zazisebenza khona noma zibekwe lapho zizodlala khona indima ebonakalayo kanjalo nokuqashwa futhi kwezinye izisebenzi ezingongoti ezashiya uSARS phakathi konyaka wezi-2014 nowezi-2018.
- Ukubuyekezwa kophenyo olwenziwa ngaphandle nangaphakathi, nezinyathelo ezathathwa zokuqondisa izigwegwe kanjalo nezinye izindaba eziphathelene

nokuqashwa okubonakala ukuthi zazingafanele kodwa ezenziwa kanye nazo zonke lezi zindaba sekuphothuliwe.

- Ukwensiwa kwenqubo yokulungisa kulabo abaseyizisebenzi zakwaSARS okwathikamezeka izikhundla zabo balungiselelwé izindlela eziningi zokungelela, okubandakanya ukwelekelelwá ngokwelulekwa ngokomphefumulo, usizo lokufunda iziqu ezingaphezulu, ukweseka eHhovisi loMmeli woMbuso, ukukhokhwa kwezindleko zezomthetho kanjalo nezindleko zokwelashwa.

UKhomishana uKieswetter, egameni likaSARS, uthe: "Ngiyazi ukuthi inhlango yalimala kakhulu kangakanani kanye nezisebenzi zethu. Ngethemba ukuthi ukuphothulwa kwale nqubo, labo abathinteka neminden yabo bazokwazi ukudlula kulokhu baqhubeke nokwelaphika emoyeni. Ngiyabonga kini ngabanye ngabanye ngokuzinikela kuSARS nalokhu okumelwe uSARS. ngiyakuncoma ukubekezelwa kwabo behlale kwaSARS ngaphansi kwezimo ezinzima kangaka kanye nokuba negalelo ekwakheni kabusha isikhungo esisebenza ngobuhlakani 9smart), sakamuva esinesithunzi esingangabazeki esethenjwayo nesiysisibonelo.

"Ngendlela yokuthi abanye bezisebenzi ezikhona manje zathinteka kakhulu ngesikhathi sophenyo lukaSikhakhane noluka-KPMG, uSARS uyabona ukuthi uphenyo kanye nemiphumela eyavela lapho okwensiwa yiSikhakhane ne-KPMG akuzange kuhambe kahle, kanti uSARS usukwenze kwacaca futhi wagcizelela ukuthi angeke uze ukusebenzisele nanoma yini. USARS uyavuma ukuthi le mibiko kwakungamele isetshenziselwe ukuthatha izinyathelo kulabo abathinteka ababebamba iqhaza kanye nezinye izisebenzi zakwaSARS."

"Omunye umyalezo wami kuzisebenzi zethu", kusho uKhomishana uKieswetter: "Abaningu benu basebancane ukuthi nisengakwazi ukuba negalelo elibonakalayo kwaSARS, futhi ngifisa ukunikhuthaza njengoba sizama ukudlulisa lezi zinto ezimbi esizibonile, ukuthi nihlale njalo nizibandakanya ngomoya omuhle. Nginifisela izibusiso ngesikhathi nisaphumula."

USARS uphinde wakhipha ukuxolisa kulabo abathinteka kanye neminden yabo ngabanye ngesehlo ababhekana naso nokulimala okwenzeka phakathi kowezi-2014 kuya kowezi-2018 nasesikhathini eside emva kwalokho.

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