

# Uzobhadla 48 weminyaka ejele ngokukhwabanisela abakhokhintela

**Tshwane, 24 kuNcwaba 2021** – Indoda ekhwabanisele abakhokhintela abaningi, uKhathutshelo Mashau, igwetshwe iminyaka engama-48 ibhadla ejele emva kokulahlwa amacala okweba, ukukhwabanisa kanye nokwephula uMthetho wokuVinjelwa koBugebengu obuHleliwe (i-POCA).

INkantolo kaMantshi yaseBoksburg ilalele kulandiswa ngokuthi uSARS wathola isikhalazo kumkhokhintela ethi imali eyambuyela emva kokuthumela amaphepha entela yakhokhwa ku-akhawunti yasebhange engeyiyo. USARS wenza uphenyo wabe esethola ukuthi imali okwakumele imbuyekele yakhokhwa ebhange lase-FNB engaphansi kwegama likaKhathutshelo Mashau.

kwaphinde kwatholakala ukuthi kukhona nezinye izimali okwakumele zibuyekele abakhokhintela ezakhokhelwa ku-akhawunti efanayo. Abakhokhintela abathintekayo baphika ukuthi bayayazi le akhawunti okuyiyo okwafakwa kuyo lezi zimali. Baphinde bathi abakaze bacele ukuba imininingwane yabo neyasebhange ishintshwe kufakwe ekaKhathutshelo Mashau.

UMashau uphinde abe nenye i-akhawunti yebhange lase-Capitec okwakhokhwa kuyo ezinye izimali okwakumele zibuyekele abakhokhintela abane. Azikho izimali ezatholakala ngoba izimali zase zikhishiwe ngesikhathi kuqalwa ngophenyo.

UKhomishana wakwaSARS u-Edward Kieswetter uxwayise abakhokhintela ngokuthi kumele basebenzise ongoti bezentela ababhalisile uma bedinga usizo ngezindaba zabo zentela.

“Abantu abangenaziqu zokufundela intela nabathembisa abakhokhintela izimali ezinkulu ezizobabuyela, kungenzeka ukuba bazibandakanya ezenzweni zokukhwabanisa ezizolimaza umkhokhintela. Abakhokhintela kumele bababike ngokushesha abantu abanjengalabo ukuze abanye abakhokhintela bezovikeleka kulezi zigebengu.

“USARS uyabacacisela abakhokhintela uphinde uhlinzeke ngesiqinisekiso ngokuthi yimiphi imigudu abakhokhintela abangayisebenzisa ukuxhumana noSARS, kanti futhi leyo yiyona kuphela imigudu okumele bayisebenzise. Uma le migudu ingenele ukuhlangabezana nezidingo zomkhokhintela, abakhokhintela kumele basebenzise ungoti wezentela ogunyaziwe,” Commissioner Kieswetter said.

Ukubika ngezinsolo zokukhwabaniswa kwentela, abakhokhintela bangasebenzisa i-SARS Anti-fraud Hotline ngokushayela le nombolo 0800 00 2870.