

Isinqumo seNkantolo Ephakeme

Tshwane, 18 kuLwezi 2021 – UKhomishana woPhiko Lwemisebenzi Yemalingeniso Eeqqwayo LwaseNingizimu Afrika (SARS), uMnu Edward Kieswetter, usiqaphela isinqumo esikhishwe yiNkantolo Ephakeme yaseGauteng odabeni obeluphakathi kwe-Arena Holdings nabanye bebhkene noSARS nabanye mhla ziyi-16 kuLwezi 2021, ekukhishweni kolwazi olumayelana nomkhokhintela.

“Udaba lobumfihlo bomkhokhintela akulona olwemininingwane yomuntu kuphela, kodwa lumayelana nalokhu iziphathimandla zentela emhlabeni wonke ezikuthatha njengomgom osemqoka wokwethembana phakathi kwazo nomphakathi wazo okhokha intel. Kuphinde kube wumongo wenlososu lokufinyelela lapho abantu sebezithobelela bona ngokuzikhethela. Abakhokhintela badinga ukuqinisekiswa ukuthi uSARS angeke uvele udalule nje ulwazi onalo odalulwe kuwo, olukubo ngoba bethenjiwe, nanjengoba kuyisidingo somthetho. Isinqumo sokuqala sakwaSARS sokuphikisa lesi sicelo sasithathwe kubhekwa le migomo emithathu ngokuphelele. Izinkinga zibalulekile kimi njengoKhomishana wakwaSARS, kuSARS njengesikhungo, nasemphakathini jikelele, okufakazelwa yizincwadi ezifungelwe esazithumela eNkantolo Ephakeme ngaphambi kokulalelwa kwecala lapho sasiphikisa khona lokhu okwakucelwa umfakisicelo.

Kubalulekile ukuqaphela ukuthi ngisho noNgqongqoshe weziMali benoNgqongqoshe woBulungiswa Nokuthuthukiswa Komthethosisekelo nabo bebephikisana nesicelo sokuthola ulwazi lwentela oluyimfihlo lomkhokhintela.

“Ngikuqaphela ukuphawula okuningi ngesinqumo, kwabezindaba nasezinkundleni zokuxhumana kanti futhi ngiyaqonda ngokuphelele ukuthi abezindaba, ongoti bentela nezomthetho, kanjalo nabakhokhintela balinde ukuqonda ukuthi umiphi uSARS ngalokhu futhi sihlose ukwenzani ngakho. Ngifisa ukuqinisekisa umphakathi ukuthi isinqumo, nalokhu uSARS angakhetha kukho, okwamanje kusadingidwa kabanzi. Kuyothi kungaphothulwa lezi zingxoxo, sekuthathwe nesinqumo sokugcina, ngiyathembisa ukuthi sizokhuluma ngakho uma isinqumo sesithathiwe.”

USARS ufisa ukuqinisekisa abakhokhintela, abahwebi kanye nongoti bentela ukuthi ukuhlinzekelwa kwentela, njengoba kuvela kumthethonqubo ofanele, kusalokhu kuyikho okubophezelu uSARS kanye nazo zonke izisebenzi zikaSARS, nokuthi nakuphi ukudalulwa kolwazi lomkhokhintela oluyimfihlo kuyohlala kuyicala lobugebengu.

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