

Mantswe a matjha a Afrika a thusa ho ntlafatsa maiteko a mabapi le ponaletso ya lekgetho

Cape Town, Labone la 6 Phupu 2023 – Ditshebeletso tsa Lekgetho tsa Afrika Borwa di sikere Kopano ya 13 ya Africa Initiative nakong ya matsatsi a mabedi, kopano ena e kopantse Bakhomeshenarakakaretso ba bolaodi ba makgetho ho phatlalla le Afrika, baemedi ba maemo a hodimo, ditsebi, mmoho le mekgatlo ya mabatowa le ya matjhaba le ya baahi.

Kopano e ile ya bulwa semmuso ke **Letona la Ditjhelete, Mong. Enoch Godongwana** ya ileng a toboketsa bohlokwa ba disebediswa tsa ponaletso ya lekgetho ho tse mabapi le taolo ya lekgetho le ho lwantshana le ho se ikobeke tefo ya lekgetho: “Maemo a matjhaba a sebediswang ho tsa ponaletso ya lekgetho a ipakahaditse e le sesebediswa se sebetsang ka ho phethahala ho nonyetsa ho qoba ho lefa lekgetho le diphallo tse seng molaong tsa ditjhelete le ho tla ka lekgetho la tlatsetso le tlang ho sebedisetswa tsa ntshetsopele le phano ya ditshebeletso tsa setjhaba.” o ipileditse ho *Global Forum* ho “tswela pele ho sebeletsa dinaha tsa Afrika le ho tshehetsa *Africa Initiative* maitekong a yona a ho aha le ho ntlafatsa bokgoni ba yona ba ho sebedisa maemo a Phapanyetsano ka Lesedi ka ho phethahala kontinenteng.”

“Kgonahalo ya se ka bakang kotsi ho tsa lekgetho e fumanehang kae kapa kae, ke kgonahalo ya se ka bakang kotsi hohle. Bolaodi ba lekgetho bo lokela ho tsitlallela ho ba bo tlišang diphetoho le ho ba tshebetso e intshang sehlabelo molemong wa kontinente ya Afrika ka ho qolleha. Tshebedisano e bohlokwa ebang re batla ho kgotsofatsa maikemisetso a rona ho tse mabapi le tshebediso e phethahetseng ya mehlodi twantshong ya bofuma, ho hloka mesebetsi le ho se lekane,” **ho rialo Edward Kieswetter, Khomishenara ya Ditshebeletso tsa Lekgetho tsa Afrika Borwa (SARS) eo hape e leng e mong wa badulasetulo ba Africa Initiative.**

“Re dutse re sa suthe boitlamong ba rona ba ho thusa dinaha tsa Afrika ho tobana le diphephetso tsohle tse mabapi le ho phethahatswa le ho una molemo ho tswa maemong ana a ponaletso ya lekgetho. Hobane ha re le mmoho, re tla fihlella tse ngata,” ho rialo **Philippe Kokou B. Tchodie, Khomishenara-Kakaretso wa Ofisi ya Pokello ya Lekgetho Togo (OTR) eo hape e leng e mong wa badulasetulo ba Africa Initiative.**

“Mananeo a rona a moraorao tjena, *Train the Trainer* le *Women Leaders in tax Transparency*, a bontsha ditholwana tse ntle Afrika mme re tla tswela pele ho ntlafatsa maiteko a rona a ho thusa ho pahahamisana ponaletsoya lekgetho molemong wa dinaha tsohle tsa Afrika le baahi ba yona,” ho rialo **Zayda Manatta, Hlooho ya Bongodi ba Global Forum.**

Kopano ena e tsamaisana le ho kgakolwa ha *Tax Transparency in Africa 2023* kajeno e emetseng dinaha tsa Afrika ho tobana le tsa moraorao tjena tse mabapi le ho qoba ho lefa lekgetho mmoho le diphallo tse seng molaong tsa ditjhelete. ka tshebediso e eketsehileng ya phapanyetsano ka lesedi (EOI) ho tsa lekgetho, mmoho le disebediswa tsa *Global Forum* tsa thuso ya ho tshelwa ha madiboho ho ya fumana ditseko tsa lekgetho.

Tlaleho ya 2023 e akaretsa dinaha tse 38 tsa Afrika. E pepesa kgahlamelo e ntle ya maiteko a *Africa Initiative* a mabapi le dintlafatso tse ntseng di tswella tsa bolaodi ba makgetho le pokello ya bona ya lekgetho. E boela hape e fana ka dintlha tse batsi tsa diketsahalo tsa kaho ya bokgoni tse entsweng ke *Global Forum* le balekane ba yona ho phatlalla le 2022 mme ebile e hlahisa mawala a sebetsang ho fumana tswelopele e nngwe.

Dikatlheho tse bonahalang dilemong tsa morao tjena di akaretsa:

- Dinaha tsa Afrika ka kopanelo di bile le tleho ya tjelete e fetang 310 million EUR ka lebaka la phapanyetsano ka lesedi ha le koptjwa (EOIR) haesale ho tloha ka 2014, le bonnyane ba tjelete e kana ka 1.69 billion EUR ya pokello ya tlatsetso ya lekgetho (lekgetho, tswala le dikotlo) tse hlokometsweng lebatoweng lena haesale ho tloha ka 2009, ka tshebediso ya mananeo a tshenolo ka boithaopi a kgakotsweng pele ho lena la pele la phapanyetsano ka lesedi, EOI mmoho le diphuputso tsa lekeno le thepa tse mose. Lekgetlo la pele, naha e le nngwe ya Afrika e tlahile hore e bokelletse makgetho a tlatsetso (10.6 million EUR ka 2022) ka tshebediso ya data ya CRS.
- Dinaha tsa Afrika tse 23 jwale ke karolo ya tumellano ya mafapha a mangata e bitswang *Convention on Mutual Administrative Assistance in Tax Matters*, sena ke sesebediswa se felletseng bakeng sa mefuta yohle ya tshebedisano ho lwantshana le ho se ikobele tefo ya lekgetho, mme sena se atolose dikamano tsa tsona tsa phapanyetsano ya othomathike ka lesedi (EOI) le marangarang a tsona.
- Ho fihlela jwale, ke dinaha tse 10 tsa Afrika tse itlamelletseng ho phetha tsa phapanyetsano ya othomathike ka lesedi (AEOI) ho latela letsatsi le itseng mme tse ngata di lebelletswe ho etsa jwalo haufinyane, ka thuso ya *Global Forum* le balekane ba yona.
- Ke diketsahalo tse 15 tsa thupelo tse ileng ts hlophiswa ka 2022 mme bana ke bahlanka ba 1 170 ba emetseng dinaha tsa Afrika tse 37. Ho feta moo, ke bahlanka ba bang ba fetang 1 800 ba tlatsetso ba ileng ba rupellwa mabapi le EOI ke barupelli ba lehae ba bileng le seabo lenaneong la *Train the Trainer*.
- Dinaha tse 4 tsa Afrika (Rephablike ya Congo, Angola, Zimbabwe le Sierra Leone) di ikamahantse le *Global Forum* ho ba ditho tsa palo ya 165, 166, 167 le 168 haesale ho tloha ka Phuptjane 2022, sena se boela se bontsha ho nkelwa hloohong ho matla ha lenanetsamaiso la matjhaba la ponaletso ya lekgetho.

Lena le kgakotsweng ka 2014 ha jwale le tshhetswa ke banyehedi le balekane ba ntshetsopele ba leshome le metso e tshetseng, *Africa Initiative* e batla ho netefatsa hore dinaha tsa Afrika di na le bokgoni ba ho ba le seabo le ho nka menyetla e tswang ke tsa ponaletso ya lefatshe, hore di tle di tsebe ho lwantshana le ho qoba ho lefa lekgetho le diphallo tse seng molaong tsa ditjhelete hore qetellong di ntlafatse mehlopi ya tsona ho ntlafatsa ntshetsopele ya tsona.

Global Forum ke moifo o itlhomngeng pele wa mafaphafapha oo thomo ya ona e leng ho netefatsa hore mabatowa lefatsheng ka bophara a ikamahanya le molao - a o phethahatsa ka botlalo - le hore phapanyetsano ka lesedi e koptjwa ho latela maemo le maemo a phapanyetsano ya othomathike ka lesedi. Maikemisetso ana a fihlellwa ka tshebediso ya peholeihlo e matla le tekolano e etswang ke dithaka. *Global Forum* e boela e fana ka mananeo a phethahetseng a kaho ya bokgoni ho tshetsa ditho tsa yona ho phethahatsa maemo le ho thusa bolaodi ba makgetho ho sebedisa dikanale tsa lesedi le fumanwang ka karolelano ho phatlalla le madiboho ka tsela e hlwahlwa.

Ho fumana lesedi le fetang lena, ikopanye le:

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