

## ZANU PF BULAWAYO PROVINCE

TO : THE NATIONAL SECRETARY FOR ADMINISTRATION, CDE I. CHOMBO  
FROM : ZANU PF BULAWAYO YOUTHS  
DATE : 01 MARCH 2017

### SUBJECT: PETITION ON THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS OF BULAWAYO YOUTH LEAGUE PROVINCE

1. The Acting Youth League Chairperson, **CDE Anna Mokgohloa**
2. The Acting Secretary for Administration, **CDE Leo Nyoni**
3. The Sec. for Commissariat, **CDE Boniface Mutsure**
4. The Sec for Transport & Welfare, **CDE Maqhawe Sibanda**
5. The Sec. for Production and Labour, **CDE Dean Hlomai**

### INTRODUCTION

Reference is made to the collective letter written to your office dated 30 November 2016 about the political situation in Bulawayo. The expression of concern was clear and called upon action on the problems bedeviling the Province.

We the ZANU PF BULAWAYO District Members across the Youth League, individually and collectively express our discontent in the leadership of the aforementioned leaders who are clearly steering Youth League into the wrong direction.

ZANU PF Bulawayo Province remains under threat due to the incompetencies of this ideologically insolvent gang of five that has vowed to "control" Bulawayo towards what seems to be a dead end. It is in the interests of the Party that we draft this petition so that your attention can be drawn towards the tomfooleries that appear to be a systematic program designed to leave the Party on its knees.

Attached to this petition are a chronological array of allegations against the five and the signatures of the petitioners

## **THE ALLEGATIONS**

### **1. Source of the Problem**

The problems and poor performance facing Bulawayo can be largely attributed to the person of Cde E.N Sandi-Moyo who the five mentioned leaders publicly declare is the one behind them. She has been involved in many under dealings that include the shadowy handling of the Party Youths stands by making sure her five Youth provincial members “handle” the Youth league.

### **2. Illegal and Factional Suspensions of Party Members**

The political landscape in Bulawayo is so much fragile that members of the Province now live in fear of dismissals or suspensions if they challenge the current order. The suspensions are usually unconstitutional and illegal as they are done with no basis, the only basis being that they have the support of the aforementioned Politburo member. Recently, the Five purport to have suspended two members of their Executive, a move denied by fellow members of the Youth executive and the entirety of Bulawayo Districts who feel the two are being victimized for standing for the right thing.

### **3. UDCORP YOUTH Stands**

The issuance of stands for the Youth as directed by H.E CDE R.G Mugabe is under threat since the five members have taken upon themselves to frustrate the program. They continue to thwart and silence any talk of the stands by the Youths and it is clear why: they have benefited from underhand dealings. Any move to question the existence of the stands is diverted to the office of the Provincial Affairs Minister who instructed them to do so.

## **6. Incompetency**

The Party is under serious threat in Bulawayo as the leadership of the cabal of five as they hold senior and critical positions of the Party. The five through their errors of omission and commission failed to effectively prepare for the 21<sup>st</sup> February Movement Celebrations. The level of incompetence is of alarming proportions as was witnessed in Matopo. Hundreds of Party youths were left stranded at Matopo after failing to get food and Transport. Hundreds of the same youths walked the 25km stretch from the venue of the celebrations back to Bulawayo despite CDE Anna Mokgohloa and CDE Boniface Mutsure's clear and blatant lie on National TV to the effect that they was enough buses and food for all youths.

The level of incompetence by the five is so alarming that youths are wondering whether their continued stay will be good for the Province or not. We demand that they be relieved of their duties so that we can effectively prepare for the 2018 elections as a united and competent Youth league.

## **7. Misappropriation of Party Funds and Resources**

The Province received 6800 litres of fuel for the transportation of youths to Matopos. Through a systematic and corrupt way, the Secretary for Transport, CDE Maqhawe Sibanda, conniving with CDE Dean Hlomai converted 3 600 litres of the allocation into their personal use. A total of 15 buses were left with no fuel as the pair was alleging all the fuel allocation was being administered by **CDE Eunice Sandi Moyo** who they also secretly accuse of taking the larger part of the stolen fuel. It is important to note that the same CDE Maqhawe Sibanda and CDE Leo Nyoni given votes of no confidence last year for misappropriation of Million Man March funds, a move that was quashed by the National Executive. Hundreds of youths walked from Matopos back to Bulawayo and one of the youths was raped before she arrived home late at night

## **7. Constitutionality of the Province**

The Youth league notes with concern that after the latest suspensions the Youth league stands dissolved if the suspensions are allowed to stand. This is because since their inception in 2013, the number of members who have lost office due to suspensions, dismissals or resignations has

now exceeded the constitutionally provided one-third of the Executive. 15 members have left their positions either through suspensions, resignations or expulsions and hence the Province has automatically dissolved itself. The basis of this argument by the Youth League is based from General Provisions of the Party Constitution.

***“Any office which falls vacant in any organ of the Party, other than the Central Committee, shall be filled by co-option by the Executive Council/Committee of the appropriate organ until the next elections but where the vacant offices are one third of the total membership that organ shall automatically dissolve itself and new elections shall be held.***

***A motion of no confidence shall be by a simple majority of all members of the appropriate organ. Provided that where a vote of no confidence is passed against one third of the total membership of any organ, that organ shall automatically dissolve itself and new elections shall be held”***

#### Members who have lost office since 2013

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| 1. Khumbulani Mpofu       | - | Chairperson                                  |
| 2. Archibald Chiponda     | - | Vice Chairperson                             |
| 3. Cecelia Verenga        | - | Sec for Administration                       |
| 4. Tapiwa Moyo            | - | Sec for Finance                              |
| 5. Methuseli Ndlovu       | - | Sec for Production & Labour                  |
| 6. Bhekinkosi Dube        | - | Deputy Commissar                             |
| 7. Israel Msimanga (late) | - | Dep Information and Publicity                |
| 8. Quiet Moyo             | - | Deputy Economic Affairs                      |
| 9. Munashe Mtutsa         | - | Deputy Education                             |
| 10. Sindiso Banda         | - | Deputy Gender and Culture                    |
| 11. Nomaqhawe Mokoena     | - | Deputy Disabled & Disadvantaged Persons      |
| 12. Calvin Musuta         | - | Deputy Business Liaison & Development        |
| 13. Obert Msindo          | - | Deputy Indigenisation                        |
| 14. Garikai Zonde         | - | Deputy Science and Tech                      |
| 15. Davis Muhambi         | - | Sec for Indigenisation/ then Sec for Finance |

#### **8. Absence of Interdistrict meetings**

CDE Anna Mokgohloa and Boniface Mutsure have effectively refused to cause for constitutionally provided Interdistrict meetings. This is because CDE Anna Mokgohloa was

imposed by the National Youth Executive. Her behavior testifies to the fact that she was merely thrown to a position she has no caliber and stature to occupy. She contested National Executive Elections in 2014 and Bulawayo youths made it clear that they do not view her as a leader and voted her out only for the national executive to re-admit her without consultation with the electorate, hence imposition.

### **RECOMMENDATIONS**

As ZANU PF Bulawayo Youth league members, we present the above allegations for your perusal and examination. We are very aware of the dictates of the Constitution pertaining VOTES OF NO CONFIDENCIES.

We recommend that a fact finding team be sent to Bulawayo and the membership of the Party will be willing to give testimony on the shenanigans currently obtaining in the province.

We recommend the total and unequivocal suspension of the said comrades as we reiterate that until they vacate OFFICE no program or respect will be accorded to them.

We no longer recognize them as Provincial members and wish to have the Party move forward by the removal of these.

WE no longer have a Chairperson, and the Secretaries for Admin. Commissariat, Transport and production.

### **CONCLUSION**

We, ZANU PF BULAWAYO members further reaffirm our position to protect the interests of the Party by being wary of divisive elements that may want to bring the name of the Party into disrepute. We unanimously;

1. Reaffirm the endorsement of CDE R.G. Mugabe as the Party Presidential Candidate for the 2018 Elections
2. Shun factionalism and hence act decisively on divisive elements with an unbridled desire to divide the Party and hence negatively affect and soil the name of the President.

## **ZANU PF BULAWAYO MEMBERS**

CC: The 2<sup>nd</sup> Secretary and Vice President, **Hon. Emmerson Mnangagwa**  
The 2<sup>nd</sup> Secretary and Vice President, **Hon. Phelekezela Mphoko**  
The National Secretary for Commissariat, **CDE Saviour Kasukuwere**  
The National Secretary for Legal Affairs, **CDE Patrick Chinamasa**  
The National Secretary for Women, **Dr. Grace Mugabe**  
The National Secretary for Youth, **CDE Kudzanai Chipanga**

















