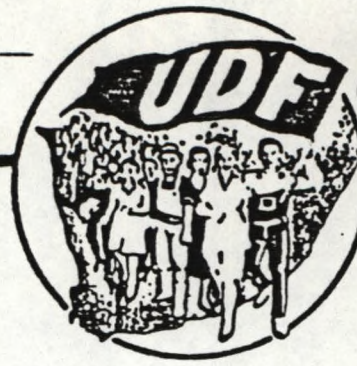


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MEMORANDUM

TO : All Regional Secretaries
FROM: National Office - Trevor Manuel
DATE: 23 October 1984

RE: NATIONAL EXECUTIVE ASSESSMENT AND REDEFINITION OF OBJECTIVES

The following categories are suggested as guidelines for an assessment process within the National Executive Committee and a redefinition of objectives.

Broadly 3 categories:

- 1) Administrative
- 2) Organisational
- 3) Political

Regions are reminded that their guidelines for this workshop must reach the National Office by 29 October 1984. Suggested areas to be covered are outlined below:

1. ADMINISTRATIVE

Role of Head Office - holding different regions together

Portfolios of National Office bearers

Administration within Regional and National Offices

Resources - Who is responsible for collecting resources?

How are resources kept and used?

Co-ordination of resources between regions

Records - UDF statements, messages of support, speeches, etc.

Finances:-

What is the present financial position of the Regions and UDF Nationally?

Budgeting - How? What criteria, etc?

Control of finances

Fundraising

TO : All Regional Secretaries
RE : Suggestions for National Executive

Communication :-

Flow of communication: between regions

: between regions and national office

Communication Re: Publicity/ National, International Affairs
Follow up of Reports and Minutes

2. ORGANISATION

Decisions

Broadness of the Front

Objectives: general and specific

Relationship between affiliates and the Front (expectations both ways)

Criteria for regions

Criteria for affiliates

Relationship of affiliates and Front to non-affiliates

Implementation of resolutions

Accountability

Discipline

Goal setting (MSC)

Method of work: urban, rural, inter-regional

Role of all office bearers in relation to affiliates

Education and Training

3. POLITICAL

Role of Declaration - How have we used it?

Freedom Charter

Response to militants within the Front

Broadness of the Front

Working Class Leadership

Primacy of African masses (issues that affect them)

Political accountability

Redefinition of objectives

Procedures for resolving conflict

Method of work: urban/rural

UDF image/profile - Publicity

Leadership

Principles/Strategy/Tactics

Unity of the Front

Response to State Strategy - Engaging the State

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