



## **MEDIA ADVISORY: TRC Cases Inquiry to hear oral arguments in recusal application brought by former presidents**

*Wednesday, 14 January 2026* – The Judicial Commission of Inquiry into Allegations Regarding Efforts or Attempts to Stop the Investigation or Prosecution of Truth and Reconciliation Commission Cases will hear oral arguments on Friday, 16 January 2026, in an application for the recusal of its Chairperson, Justice Sisi Khampepe.

This application was brought by former President Jacob Zuma and former President Thabo Mbeki.

Arguments will be heard in the SAP Auditorium, located on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor of the Sci-Bono Discovery Centre, at the Corner of Miriam Makeba and Helen Joseph streets, Newtown, Johannesburg, and proceedings will commence at 10:00.

Documents and further information are available on the Inquiry's website: [www.trc-inquiry.org.za](http://www.trc-inquiry.org.za).

All hearings and sessions are open to the public. While seats are limited, members of the public who wish to attend any sitting/hearing can book a seat on the website <https://www.trc-inquiry.org.za/book/booking.php#>. Those who secured a reservation should collect their passes from 08:30 and be seated by 09:30.

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