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The Secretary

TRC-CASE INQUIRY

“URGENT”

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Dear Commissioners and Secretariat of the Commission (TRC)

RE: APPLICATION TO CROSS EXAMINE ACKERMANN SC

1. We act for Adv Simelane and have instruction to file the application attached hereto for permission to cross-examine Adv Ackermann SC.
2. We have been advised that Ackermann SC has agreed to be cross-examined and the Commission has scheduled 19 and 20 March 2026 as the date on which Ackermann SC will be cross-examined.

3. For reasons that are set out in the application we believe that permission to cross examine Ackermann SC is necessary and would advance the mandate of the Commission and therefore should accordingly be granted.
4. We look forward to the Commission's ruling on the application.

Yours faithfully

(Signed Electronically)

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