

BEFORE THE JUDICIAL COMMISSION OF INQUIRY TO INQUIRE INTO ALLEGATIONS REGARDING EFFORTS OR ATTEMPTS HAVING BEEN MADE TO STOP INVESTIGATION OR PROSECUTION OF TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION COMMISSION CASES.

AFFIDAVIT

I, the undersigned

JÜRGEN KÖGL

Do hereby state under oath that:

1. I am an adult businessman residing in Johannesburg, South Africa.
2. The facts deposed to in this affidavit are within my personal knowledge and are to the best of my belief true and correct.
3. On or about 29 May 2025 the President of the Republic of South Africa, Mr Matamela Cyril Ramaphosa issued the Proclamation Notice 264 of 2025 which established a Commission of Inquiry into allegations regarding efforts or attempts having been made to stop investigation or prosecution of Truth and Reconciliation Commission ("TRC") Cases ("the Commission").
4. The Terms of Reference of the Commission require that the said Commission must inquire, formulate findings, report and make recommendations amongst other things but with specific regard to:

"1.1.....whether, why and to what extend and by whom, efforts were made to influence or pressure members of the South African Police Services or the National Prosecuting Authority to stop investigating or prosecuting TRC cases."...

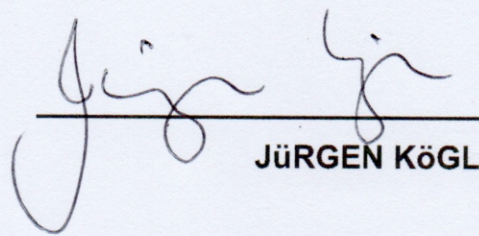
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"1.2whether any members of the South African Police Service or the National Prosecuting Authority improperly colluded with such attempts to influence or pressure them".

5. I confirm that I have no knowledge of any collusion, influence or pressure on members of the South African Police Service or the National Prosecuting Authority to stop investigating or prosecuting TRC cases. I further confirm that I have never interfered nor was I involved in attempting to prevent or halt any investigation or prosecution in respect of the TRC cases.
6. I confirm that I acted in the capacity of facilitator between the various stakeholders from 1998 until approximately March 2003, at which time the process was concluded.
7. In my role as facilitator, my functions were limited to arranging and providing forums for meetings and offering logistical and practical support during the stakeholders' deliberations, involving principals and related parties.
8. In my capacity as facilitator, I did not contribute to or influence the substance of the deliberations between the parties involved, who at all times retained ownership and responsibility for the content of their respective submissions.
9. The aforesaid support was rendered voluntarily, in my private capacity and utilising my own material resources.
10. The deliberations were guided by the provenance provided by the Indemnity Act 35 of 1990 and the Promotion of the National Unity and Reconciliation Act of 1995.
11. As facilitator at the time, I neither authored, generated, nor assumed ownership of the content arising from the stakeholders' deliberations. Consequently, I have no knowledge of any efforts or attempts made to halt or interfere with the investigation or prosecution of any TRC matters.
12. The aforesaid is the extent of my knowledge and involvement with regards to the Terms of Reference of the Commission.



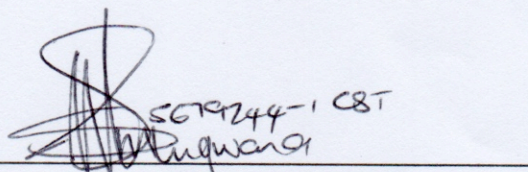
13. In the circumstances, I respectfully reiterate that I am not in a position to assist the Commission in uncovering or advancing the substantive aspects of its mandate, as I possess no direct knowledge of, nor involvement in, the content of the deliberations in question. I trust that the above clarifies my role and position in this matter.


JÜRGEN KÖGL

SIGNED AND SWORN before me at Rosebank on the 23 day of February 2026, the deponent having acknowledged that he knows and understands the content of this Affidavit, the regulations contained in Government Notice R1258 of 21 July 1972, as amended, having been complied with, the deponent having stated that:

- He knows and understands the content of the declaration;
- He has no objection to taking the prescribed oath; and
- He considers the prescribed oath as binding on her conscience
- The deponent thereafter having uttered the following words: "I swear that the content of this declaration is true, so help me God."




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