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Dear Ms Van Staden,

CORRESPONDENCE TO LEGAL PRACTICE COUNCIL FOR SERVICES OF LETTERS FROM THE LEGAL PRACTITIONERS

The Office of the Premier Gauteng ("OoP") has observed recently that legal correspondence addressed to the Premier or/and the Director General by Legal Practitioners often does not receive urgent attention and responses. The reason for this is most if not all correspondence sent by Legal Practitioners is addressed to officials who do not deal with legal matters and thus do not appreciate the urgency that accompanies such matters.

For this reason and to ensure that all legal correspondence receives our urgent attention, we kindly request the Legal Practice Council to inform all Legal Practitioners to address any legal correspondence intended for the OoP, to the following officials in the State Law Advisory Services located in the OoP, and they will accordingly inform the Premier.

- Mr Brucely Shipalana, Deputy Director: State Law Advisor
Email: Brucely.Shipalana@gauteng.gov.za;
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Your assistance will be greatly appreciated.

Yours faithfully,

.....*Phindile Baleni*.....

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Director General

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