

**Commission of Inquiry into Allegations of Racism at Stellenbosch University:
Extension of Deadline for Submissions**

- 1 The Commission of Inquiry into Allegations of Racism at Stellenbosch University is mandated to—
 - 1.1 investigate incidents of racism and harassment related to racism;
 - 1.2 report on its findings; and
 - 1.3 make recommendations to the Rector to assist Stellenbosch University in improving its culture of diversity, equity and inclusion with reference to racism that will safeguard and promote the dignity and self-worth of all students and staff.

- 2 In order to fulfil these objectives, the Commission’s Terms of Reference stipulate that the Commission must consider the following:
 - 2.1 Incidents of racism at the University, with reference to the recent occurrences at Huis Marais and the Faculty of Law’s Law Dance;
 - 2.2 The current state of diversity, equity, and inclusion within the University campus culture, with specific reference to racism;
 - 2.3 Given the University’s stance of zero tolerance towards racism, whether the current structures of the University and its material university policies, rules and processes, are sufficient and most effective to address the lived experience of students and staff with regard to racism in all its guises; and
 - 2.4 Related issues and concerns that may arise in the course of the inquiry, including the need for further investigation or consideration of related issues.

- 3 On 21 June 2022, the Commission issued a call for submissions from all students and staff members who possess any knowledge or experience that relates to the Commission’s work, to be submitted by Friday, 8 July 2022.

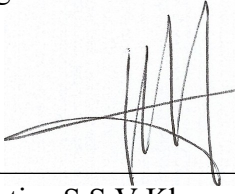
- 4 The Commission hereby extends the deadline for submissions to Tuesday, 26 July 2022.

- 5 Submissions must be emailed to the Commission at the following address: commissionsubmissions@ethics-line.co.za.

- 6 Any party seeking guidance on the format of submissions is directed to rule 5 of the Commission’s Rules.

- 7 In accordance with its Terms of Reference, the Commission will treat the evidence and identity of witnesses as confidential.

Signed on 29 June 2022.

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Justice S S V Khampepe

Retired Justice of the Constitutional Court of the Republic of South Africa

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Chairperson of the Commission