

## Ukuthuthukiswa Komnotho Wabansundu kuyimpoqo ekukhuleni komnotho

genyanga ka-Mbasa kulo nyaka, ukuthengiselana okuyingqophamlando okugxile ekuthuthukisweni komnotho wabantu abamnyama kwaphothulwa eMpumalanga Kapa nokwenza ngcono ngokubonakalayo ukubandakanyeka kwamabhizinisi aphethwe ngabesifazane abamnyama emkhakheni wezamandla.

**Vuk'uzenzele** 

Umgudu kawoyela olawulwa yinkampani i-BP Southern Africa e-East London usuthengiselwe i-Wasaa, okuyinkampani ezimele yamakhemikhali kaphethiloli. I-Wasaa izuze yonke impahla yalo mgudu kanye nezabelo ezingama-20% zamapayipi kawoyela.

Umbiko wangowezi-2020 weKhomishana Ebhekele Ukuthuthukiswa Komnotho Wabantu Abamnyama ubonisa ukuthi imikhakha eminingi yezomnotho iyahluleka ukuthola abesifazane abamnyama abanamabhizinisi, ngakho-ke ukuthi le nkampani kawoyela kube ngeyowesifazane omnyama kuyingqophamlando.

Kufaka igalelo emzamweni wethu njengezwe ukuthi siphinde sibhekane nokungalingani futhi siqinisekise ukuthi kukhona ukuzibandakanya kwezwe okuningi emnothweni wethu.

Kamuva nje, ngamemezela ukubekwa koMkhandlu Ocebisa Ngokuthuthukiswa Komnotho Wabantu Abamnyama omusha, ofaka phakathi uhulumeni, amabhizinisi, ezabasebenzi kanye nabanye ababambiqhaza. Wasungulwa ukuze weseke inqubo yokuguqulwa komnotho.

Umkhandlu lo unomsuka wawo osembikweni wangowezi-2001 owethulwa yiKhomishana ye-BEE. Lo mbiko ususelwe kucwaningo olunzulu ngokwakheka komnotho waseNingizimu Afrika, nokuthi yini eyayidingeka ukuguqula umnotho, kukhuliswe amabhizinisi abantu abamnyama, kuqinisekiswe ukwanda kwabaphathi abamnyama kanye nobunikazi kubantu abamnyama emabhizinisini, kanye nokubuyisa abesifazane abamnyama kuchungechunge lomnotho.

Ngonyaka ozayo, kuzobe kuyiminyakashumi emibili selokhu uMthetho Wokuthuthukisa Umnotho Wabantu Abamnyama (i-B-BBEE) – okuyiwona owasungula umkhandlu – waphasiswa.

Ukuzinikela kwethu ukuqinisa nokujulisa ukuthuthukiswa komnotho akungabazeki. Yingakho ukuthuthukiswa komnotho wabamnyama kungummongo wokwakhiwa kabusha nokuvuselelwa komnotho wethu ngemuva kobhubhane lwe-COVID-19.

Lesi ngesinye seziqiniseko engazisho kuMkhandlu Wosomabhizinisi Abamnyama ekuqaleni kwenyanga eyedlule, lapho sadingida khona isimo se-B-BBEE kuleli lizwe, inqubekelaphambili esiyenziwe nokuthi yini edinga ukuthi siyenze ngokubambisana ukuze sakhe kulokho esikuzuzile.

Ngesikhathi bekulokhu kukhona inqubekelaphambili ebonakalayo kule minyakashumi emibili eyedlule, kunezinye izindawo lapho kube khona ukudodobala. Sibuyele emuva uma kuziwa ekwandiseni abantu abamnyama abalawula amabhizinisi, ukuthuthukiswa kwamakhono, ukuqinisa ukuthuthukiswa kwamabhizinisi kanye nokwandisa izindlela zokuthengiselana ukuze kuzonikwa abesifa-

zane abamnyama nentsha amathuba.

Uhulumeni wesikhathi sobandlululo wenza ngamabomu wakha umnotho ohlanekezelwe owawakhelwe ukuthi kuzuze abantu abamhlophe. Iningi labantu baseNingizimu Afrika babekhishwe inyumbazane emnothweni, nosomabhizinisi babevaleleke ekubeni nezitolo ezincane emalokishini.

Ekupheleni kobandlululo, ubunikazi babantu abamnyama ezinkampanini ezisohlwini lwe-JSE babungaphansi kwephesenti elilodwa. Leli nani alikabi ngcono kangako eminyakeni engama-28 eyedlule.

Ngaso leso sikhathi, sekube nemizamo ebalulekile yomkhakha ozimele kanye nezinyathelo zikahulumeni zokulawula ukubamba iqhaza okukhulu nokubonakalayo kwabantu abamnyama emnothweni.

Phakathi kowezi-2017 nowezi-2020, cishe izicelo zokuthuthukiswa kwamabhizinisi ezingama-500 zalethwa ukuze zibhaliswe kuKhomishana ye-B-BBEE. Emkhakheni ehamba phambili efana neyokwakha, eyezakhiwo, ulwazi nobuchwepheshe bezokuxhumana, ezokuvakasha nezokuthutha, ubunikazi babantu abamnyama sekwedlulele kulokhu obekubhekiwe.

Ukuguqulwa nokukhula komnotho kungamathe nolimi. Ngeke kube khona okunye ngaphandle kokunye.

Ngokuhlanganisa uguquko kwinqubo yokuthuthukiswa kwezimboni, senza ngcono indlela yokukhulisa umnotho efaka wonke umuntu eyabelanayo, kunokugxila emnothweni.

UMnyango Wezokuhwe-

belana, Izimboni kanye Nokuncintisana (i-DTIC) iphishekela ukuzuza lokhu ngokusebenzisa izinhlelo ezahlukahlukene. Lezi zinhlelo zibandakanya uhlelo lokweseka amabhizinisi asemalokishini, uqeqesho mayelana nokuthunyelwa kwempahla kwamanye amazwe olwenziwa Abezokuthuthukiswa Kwezimboni i-Industrial Development Corporation (i-IDC) kubantu besifazane abamnyama kanye namabhizinisi aphethwe yintsha, kanye nokukhulisa isabelomali sengqalasizinda kwezokuThuthukiswa Kwezomnotho eTshwane.

Ngokulandela izinhlelo ezinkulu kulo mkhakha siqhuba ukuqhutshwa kwamabhizinisi khona lapha ekhaya okuzozuzisa amabhizinisi abantu abamnyama. Isibonelo, izindawo zabalimi abamnyama zokufuya izinkukhu eziyishumi zisunguliwe ngotshalomali lwezigidi ezingama-R336 njengengxenye vohlelo olukhulu lomkhakha wezinkukhu. Uhulumeni uphinde wethula uchungechunge lwabamnyama lokuthunyelwa kwempahla kwamanye amazwe oluzoxhumanisa izinkampani zabamnyama zokudla, zemikhiqizo yobunjiniyela, ezezingxenye zemoto, ezemikhiqizo yokunakekela isikhumba kanye neminye imikhakha yomnotho.

Njengengxenye yomkhankaso wethu wokusungula isizukulwane esisha sosozimboni abamnyama, ngonyaka owedlule uhulumeni wagunyaza izigidigidi ezi-R2.5 ukweseka kabusha osozimboni abamnyama abayi-180 ngendlela yemalimboleko yakwa-IDC kanye ne-National Empowerment Fund (i-NEF) kanye nezibonelelo eziphuma ohlelweni lokukhuthaza lakwa-DTIC. Eminyakeni emithathu ezayo ezinye izigidigidi ezingama-R21 zithenjiswe yi-IDC, i-NEF kanye nezinye izikhungo ukuze kuzokwesekwa osozimboni abamnyama. Ezinye izigidigidi ezingama-R25 zithenjisiwe ukuze kuzokwesekwa izinkampani zabesifazane abamnyama, intsha kanye neziphethwe ngabasebenzi.

Kucace bha ukuthi usemuningi umsebenzi okumele wenziwe ukubhekana nezinselele amabhizinisi abamnyama abhekana nazo. Lokhu kubandakanya ubunzima ekufinyeleleni emalini yokuqala ibhizinisi kanye nokulikhulisa kanye nekhono lama-SMME ukuthola imakethe yemikhiqizo yawo. Amabhizinisi aphethwe ngabesifazane abamnyama, ikakhulukazi, abhekana nobunzima ekuthatheni ithuba lokuthengiselana ngempahla enkulu.

Ukunqamula ukhondolo lokungathuthuki ngokusebenzisa ukuthuthukiswa komnotho wabamnyama akukona nje ukulunga okuyimpoqo; kodwa kulungele nebhizinisi.

Ukukhishwa inyumbazane kweningi labamnyama okuqhubekayo emnothweni kucindezela ukukhula komnotho, okuthunaza wonke amabhizinisi. Ukukhulisa isisekelo samabhizinisi kuleli lizwe kubaluleke kakhulu ekukhuleni komnotho.

Sabelane ngesibophezelo sokuqhubela phambili ukuqiniswa kwe-B-BBEE ngoba lokhu kumayelana nokuqeda nya ukungalingani. Iminotho engalingani iholela emiphakathini engalingani, futhi imiphakathi engalingani ayikhuli idlondlobale.

Hhayi nje ukuthi kuyiphutha kuphela, kodwa futhi akusimeme, ukuthi amabhizinisi agcine izikhundla zabaphathi nezobunikazi kungezabamhlophe noma amadoda.

Ekugcineni, ngumphakathi waseNingizimu Afrika ongabathengi abahamba phambili bezimpahla zabo kanye nezinsizakalo. Lokhu kumele kugqanyiswe ekwahlukahlukaneni kokuqashwa nasezindleleni zokuphatha, ebunikazini kanye nasekuthengiselaneni.

Ukuthuthukiswa komnotho wabantu abamnyama kuzophumelela kuphela ngokusebenza ngokubambisana kanye nokuzimisela okufanayo kuguquko lomnotho.

Ukubekwa koMkhandlu we-B-BBEE kuzosisiza ukuthi sinwebe imingcele yokuthuthukiswa komnotho wabantu abamnyama. Nginxusa amabhizinisi, abasebenzi kanye nezimboni ukuthi basebenzisane nomkhandlu njengoba uqala lo msebenzi obalulekile.

## Ukukhipha isisu ngendlela ephephile nesemthethweni kumahhala

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sikho isizathu sokuthi abesifazane basebenzise imitholampilo ekhipha izisu engekho emthethweni nengaphephile uma befuna ukukhipha isisu.

Lokhu kushiwo iPhini likaNgqongqoshe Wezempilo uDkt Sibongiseni Dhlomo, ochaze wathi, ngokomthetho bonke abantu besifazane banelungelo lokukhipha isisu, mahhala, kunoma yisiphi isibhedlela noma umtholampilo kahulumeni emasontweni ayi-12 okuqala okukhulelwa kwabo.

"Kuyadabukisa kithina njengabaholi bakahulumeni ukubona abantu bakithi beshiya izinsizakalo zezempilo eziphephile futhi ezimahhala, noma ngabe yingasiphi isizathu, bahambe bayokhokha imali yabo yokugcina le abangenayo bayokhokhela umuntu ozobeka impilo yabo engcupheni. Asikho isizathu sokuthi abesifazane balungise iphutha lokukhulelwa okungahlelelwe ngokukhipha isisu ngendlela engaphephile futhi engekho emthethweni ngoba sonke siyawenza amaphutha. Ukukhipha isisu ngendlela engekho emthethweni akusona isisombululo," kusho uDkt Dhlomo.

UMnyango Wezempilo unezikhungo zezempilo zomphakathi ezingama-346 ezihlinzeka ngokukhishwa kwesizu okuphephile, ethasisela.

Lezi zikhungo zitholakala eMpumalanga Kapa (46), eFreyistata (16), e-Gauteng (25), KwaZulu-Natali (56), e-Limpopo (54), eMpumalanga (27), eNyakatho Kapa (6), eNyakatho Ntshonalanga (26) kanye naseNtshonalanga Kapa (90).



## Izinkinga ezidalwa ukukhipha isisu ngokungemthetho

IBamba likaMqondisi Wezempilo Yomntwana Nabesifazane eMnyangweni Wezempilo KwaZulu-Natali, uPhalanndwa Muthuphei, uthi abesifazane bangabhekana nezinkinga eziningi uma bekhipha isisu emtholampilo ongekho emthethweni.

"Inkinga yokuqala ngqa ifaka ukopha kakhulu, ukudabuka komlomo wesibeletho, ukumoshakala kwezitho zangasese nasesiswini, ukusuleleka ngamagciwane ngaphakathi esiswini kanye nobuthi egazini.

"Emva kwesikhathi eside, abesifazane bangaba sengcupheni yokungatholi abantwana, ukuhlala kombungu ngaphandle kwesibeletho, ukuchitheka kwesisu noma ukubeletha kungakafiki isikhathi noma ukufa imbala," kusho uMuthuphei.

"Abesifazane bangaphinde bashayeke ngokomuzwa ngenxa yokukhipha isisu okungaphephile, nokungekho emthethweni, okubandakanya ukucindezeleka emva kokukhipha isisu, ukhwantalala kanye nezinkinga kwezobudlelwano. "Ukukhipha isisu

ngokungemthetho kungaholela futhi emiphumeleni engemihle kwezenhlalomnotho kwabesifazane, izingane, imindeni kanye nemiphakathi," engeza.

## Izindlela zokukhipha isisu ngokusemthethweni

UMuthupei uthi abesifazane abafuna ukukhipha isisu banezindlela eziphephile futhi ezimahhala ukwenza lokho emitholampilo nasezibhedlela zikahulumeni.

"Izindlela ongakhetha kuzona kufanele zibe khona, zonke okumele zenziwe udokotela noma umhlengikazi oqeqeshiwe futhi owaziyo umsebenzi," engeza.

Lezi zindlela, kungaba ukukhipha isisu ngendlela yokwelapha noma yokuhlinzwa, kume ekuthini owesifazane usekhulelwe isikhathi esingakanani.

Ukukhipha isisu ngendlela yokwelapha, okufaka ukuthatha amasethi amabili amaphilisi ukukhipha isisu, kungenziwa kokhulelwe ukufika emasontweni ayisishiyagalolunye.

"Isiguli sizobe sesikhipha isisu ekhaya hhayi emtholampilo noma esibhedlela," kusho uMuthuphei.

Ukukhipha isisu ngendlela yokuhlinzwa kwenziwa ngumhlengikazi osemthethweni (ukuya emasontweni ayi-12) noma udokotela (kusuka emasontweni ayi-12 kuya kwangama-20).

NgokoMthetho Wokuzi-

khethela Ukukhipha Isisu wangowe-1996 (Umthetho wama-92 wangowe-1996), ukukhipha isisu kungenziwa futhi ukusuka emasontweni ayi-13 kuya kwangama-20 uma udokotela, emva kokuxoxisana nowesifazane okhulelwe, ukholelwa ukuthi:

- Ukuqhubeka nokukhulelwa kubeka engozini impilo yowesifazane ngokomzimba noma ngokwengqondo.
- Kunobungozi obukhulu bokuthi umbungu ungahaqwa isimo esingajwayelekile ngokomzimba noma ngokwengqondo.
- Owesifazane ukhulelwe ngenxa yokudlwengulwa noma yokulalana kwezihlobo.
- Ukuqhubeka nokukhulelwa kuzokhinyabeza izimo zenhlalo noma zomnotho zowesifazane.

Ukukhipha isisu kungenzeka futhi emva kwesonto lama-20 uma udokotela, emva kokuxoxisana nombelethisi osemthethweni, ukholelwa ukuthi ukuqhubeka nokukhulelwa kuzobeka engozini impilo yowesifazane, kungaholela ekonakaleni kombungu noma kunobungozi bokulimala kombungu.

Ngokusho koMthetho, bonke abesifazane, ngisho ngabe yizingane ezingaphansi kweminyaka eyi-18 ubudala, banelungelo lokukhipha isisu.

Abayidingi imvume yomzali noma yomna-kekeli wabo. Ngokusho koMnyango Wezempilo eNtshonalanga Kapa, uma uyingane, uzokwelulekwa ukuthi ukhulume nomuntu omdala ongamethemba kanye nokuza nomuntu ozokuphelezela uma uze emtholampilo. Nomakunjalo, awuphoqiwe ukukwenza lokhu.



Ngemininigwane ethe xaxa ngosizo lokukhipha isisu ngokuphepha, nangokusemthethweni noma ngokukhulelwa kanye nezeluleko zokugwema ukukhulelwa, vakashela isikhungo sezempilo somphakathi esiseduze nawe.