COUNCIL RESOLUTION

COUNCIL RESOLUTION REGARDING THE COMPLAINTS AND COMPLIANCE COMMISSION (CCC) RECOMMENDATION IN RESPECT OF THE MATTER BETWEEN THE SABC AND TRUSTEES FOR THE TIME BEING OF THE MEDIA MONITORING PROJECT BENEFIT TRUST, SUPPORT PUBLIC BROADCASTING COALITION (S.O.S), AND FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION INSTITUTE (FXI)

The Council of the Independent Communications Authority of South Africa hereby resolves that it has:

- Recognized the recommendations of the Complaints and Compliance Committee dated 3 July 2016;

- Recognized the nature and gravity of the non-compliance by the SABC;

- Recognized the consequences of the non-compliance by the SABC;

- Recognized the circumstances under which the non-compliance occurred; and

- Resolved that it directs the SABC to desist from any further contravention;

- Resolved that it directs the SABC to withdraw its resolution as published in its statement of 26 May 2016, which states that the SABC will no longer broadcast footage of destruction of public property during protests;

- Resolved that it directs the SABC to implement the withdrawal retrospectively from the date when the resolution was taken on 26 May 2016;

NA Batyi, P Mashile, K Modimoeng, MR Mohlaloga, BC Mokhele, KGS Pillay, PJ Zimri (Councillors), PK Pongwana (CEO)
Resolved that it directs the Chairperson of the SABC Board to confirm in writing to Council via the Office of the CCC Coordinator within seven (7) calendar days from the date on which the order is served that the resolution was taken as ordered.

Rubben Mohlaloga  
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Councillor

Paris Mashile  
Councillor

Signed on this 11 day of July 2016.