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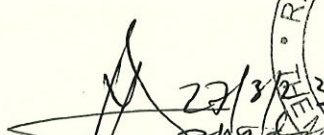
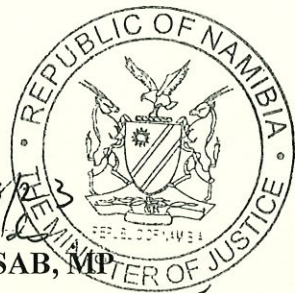
Dear Mr. de Klerk,

**RE: AN ANALYSIS OF THE SEPTEMBER 2022 REGULATIONS TO THE
AFFIRMATIVE ACTION (EMPLOYMENT) ACT AND EMPLOYMENT
SERVICES ACT**

1. I refer to your letter dated 20 March 2023 and the report attached thereto for which I thank you.
2. In view of the current economic realities in Namibia, it is now clear that the government alone will not be able to combat the continuous increase in the rate of unemployment among the youth. A partnership between the government and the private sector is critical.

3. It is, therefore, necessary for more stakeholders, especially the private sector to collaborate with the government through efforts like these on how to improve our economy and solve socio-economic challenges.
4. Mr. de Klerk, please accept assurances of my highest esteem.

Yours sincerely,



YVONNE DAUSAB, MP
MINISTER

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