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REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

MEDIA ALERT!!

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EMBARGO: None

SUBJECT: THE SANDF WARNS OF AN INTEGRATION SCAM

The South African National Defence Force (SANDF) is aware of allegations that groups or individuals calling themselves Amabutho and the South African Cape Coloured Corps are soliciting money from young and unemployed youths promising them integration into the SANDF. It is further alleged that such groups or individuals are demanding a certain fee for administration, t-shirts and caps from prospective victims.

The SANDF strongly condemns activities aimed at deliberately misleading members of the public regarding integration in the SANDF. Members of the public are encouraged to report such activities or any people who solicit money from them with the promise of integration into the SANDF to the nearest South African Police Service station or SANDF base or station.

The SANDF reiterates that there is no integration into the SANDF following parliament's promulgation of the Termination of Integration Intake Act of 2001 and the Demobilisation Amendment Act of 2001 that formally and legally brought the integration process to an end on 31 December 2002.

Once again, it is illegal for those who are taking advantage of young SA by promising them integration into the SANDF.

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