

SACBC STATEMENT ON THE PROCESS OF REBUILDING TRUST
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The SACBC took note of the way in which the State President, Mr F. W. de Klerk has initiated steps to rectify recent events that have rocked government credibility. We further note the appointment of a small advisory committee from the private sector to advise on existing secret special projects and also the appointment of a judicial commission of inquiry. And we are hoping this advisory committee and standing commission will be fully representative of all South African men and women of integrity.

The historical perspective of recent events makes it ever more necessary to strive for true democratic process if public trust is to be restored. Political expediency alone will not do this. One speech will not do this – but future actions can.