

Draft COMMUNIQUE

EXTRAORDINARY ORGAN TROIKA SUMMIT OF SADC HEADS OF STATE AND GOVERNMENT

5 December 2015

SANDTON, REPUBIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

- 1. The Extraordinary Summit of the Heads of State and Government of the Southern African Development Community (SADC) Organ Troika was held in Sandton, Republic of South Africa on 5 December 2015.
- 2. Summit was attended by the following Heads of State and Government:

Mozambique H.E. Filipe Jacinto Nyusi

South Africa H.E. Jacob Gedleyihlekisa Zuma

Tanzania Ambassador Liberata Mulamula, Permanent Secretary,

Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation.

- 3. Summit was also attended by the SADC Facilitator to the Kingdom of Lesotho, Deputy President of the Republic of South Africa, H.E Cyril Ramaphosa and the Executive Secretary of SADC, H.E. Dr. Stergomena Lawrence Tax.
- 4. Summit received the report of the Commission of Inquiry to the Kingdom of Lesotho into the circumstances surrounding the death of Brigadier Maaparankoe Mahao.
- 5. Summit noted with great concern that the Commission of Inquiry has been taken to court, and mandated the Facilitator to expeditiously communicate the concerns of SADC to the Kingdom of Lesotho.

Done in Sandton, Republic of South Africa 5 December 2015