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PEOPLE OF JOBURG LEGALLY OPPOSES THE UPLIFTING OF THE SUSPENSION OF THE Public Investment Corporation Ltd (PIC), CEO, PATRICK DLAMINI

Context

People of Joburg (POJ), a community movement and duly registered political party in the Republic of South Africa, is an applicant/intervening Party in the matter between the suspended PIC CEO, Mr Patrick Dlamini and PIC SOC Ltd, Finance Minister and PIC Board.

Representing its constituency of teachers, general workers, nurses and grassroots communities, POJ will oppose the lifting of Mr Dlamini's suspension as per his prayer to the said court. The dissolution of the PIC Board and unprecedented resignations, which media reports attribute to alleged coercion by the Minister of Finance, Mr Enoch Godongwana, infer nefarious motives but more seriously undue political interference.

PIC is in control of billions of workers pensions as directed by the Government Employees Pensions Fund. Thus, maladministrations and allegations of impropriety cannot be left only to the hands of the disappointing ministers and so called government leaders. It is up to ordinary South Africans such as ourselves to take matters in our own hands and determine our destiny.

POJ and its members will be in attendance at the North Gauteng High Court tomorrow to present our prayers, through our legal representatives, on behalf of the downtrodden and marginalised majority.

Details:

Venue: North Gauteng High Court (Pretoria)

Date: 28 July 2026

Time: 09h30

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