

LET'S GROW SOUTH AFRICA TOGETHER

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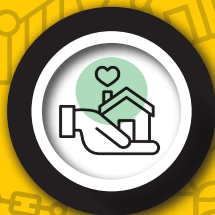



ANC ELECTION MANIFESTO

PEOPLE'S PLAN FOR
A BETTER LIFE FOR ALL



A BETTER LIFE FOR ALL





*"This is a moment of renewal.
It is an opportunity to restore
our democratic institutions and return
our country to a path of transformation,
growth and development."*

Cyril Ramaphosa

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A BETTER LIFE FOR ALL

Together with the people of South Africa, the ANC is ready to write the next chapter in our country's history.

A chapter of new hope in the fight to eradicate unemployment, poverty and inequality.

A chapter where we uproot corruption.

A chapter of renewal.

A chapter of rebuilding.

A chapter that pursues shared prosperity and inclusive growth.

Let's turn the page and **LET'S GROW SOUTH AFRICA, TOGETHER.**

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Cyril Ramaphosa". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

This summary is a guide to the 2019 ANC Election Manifesto. Our vision and plan as we grow South Africa will focus on these priority areas:

- Creating new and decent jobs
- Transforming the economy to serve all people
- Ensuring universal access to quality health care
- Providing comprehensive social security
- Building safer communities
- Fighting corruption and strengthening governance
- Uniting South Africans and embracing our diversity

Ours is a plan about you, South Africans, black and white, young and old, rural and urban.

You have helped us develop this Manifesto.
Let us work together to implement it.



A BETTER LIFE FOR ALL



"Our Manifesto is a coherent and bold
people's plan for a **better life for all.**"

Our **STRUGGLE** for SOCIO-ECONOMIC
TRANSFORMATION **continues.**



UNEMPLOYMENT
remains high



The **LAND** question has
not been fully addressed



Levels of **WEALTH**
INEQUALITY are
extremely high



Gender-based
VIOLENCE has reached
crisis proportions



Drugs, crime and
gangsterism are threatening
COMMUNITIES



CORRUPTION threatens
our young democracy



Our **EDUCATION,**
TRAINING and **HEALTH**
systems need radical
improvement



The ANC
ACKNOWLEDGES
we have **made**
mistakes and
VEERED
OFF COURSE.



CORRUPTION has harmed
our society and the economy



Some state institutions and
political organisations
have **LOST INTEGRITY**



We have not been
vigilant enough to stop
LAWLESSNESS and
GREED

After a **DIFFICULT TIME**,
we are on the **cusp** of a
NEW ERA OF HOPE and
RENEWAL – the **New**
Dawn is upon us.



We can **SELF-CORRECT** where
mistakes have been made



We can **UNITE SOUTH**
AFRICANS around our common
challenges



We have **LISTENED** to many
voices when drafting this
Manifesto



The **PEOPLE'S PRIORITIES**
have been incorporated



The **COMMITMENTS** we make
are in the spirit of **Thuma Mina**



Our Manifesto is a **COHERENT**
PLAN to address unemployment,
poverty and inequality



On April 27, 1994,
THE ANC COMMITTED
TO BUILDING A
BETTER LIFE FOR ALL.

Today, we look back
proudly on our progress.

A **CONSTITUTION** embraced
by ALL South Africans

Strong **CHAPTER
NINE** institutions,
judiciary and
Parliament



Improved **GENDER
EQUALITY** and
empowerment of
women



Unleashed **CREATIVITY**
in the arts, sports,
science and technology



A society that
REFUSES to
accept **RACISM**
as the norm



25 YEARS CELEBRATING DEMOCRACY

36% of South Africans **had** electricity

1994

80% of South Africans **have** electricity

TODAY

Access to **ELECTRICITY**



BENEFITS



REDUCED EXPOSURE to dangerous air **POLLUTION** from coal, wood and charcoal



Progress towards **RENEWABLE ENERGY** from the sun, wind and water

60% access to clean water

1994

90% access to clean water

TODAY

Access to **CLEAN WATER**



BENEFITS



South Africans spend **LESS TIME** gathering water



Women and girls have more time for activities like **EDUCATION**

3.2 million free houses built

14 million people benefited

Government Employee Housing Scheme provides **ALLOWANCES** for 1.2 million workers

SINCE 1994

Access to **HOUSING**



BENEFITS



Massive jump in **home OWNERSHIP**



South Africans' **productive assets** are **GROWING**



Progress towards **ending race-based SPATIAL SEPARATION**



THE LIVES OF THE MAJORITY OF SOUTH AFRICANS HAVE IMPROVED



PAST 10 YEARS

R2 trillion **INVESTED** in infrastructure projects





LITERACY

90% of adult South Africans can **READ AND WRITE**



EDUCATION

PUBLIC SCHOOLS



90% of public schools have become '**NO-FEE schools**'



Learners **benefit** from **FEEDING SCHEMES** and subsidised **PUBLIC TRANSPORT**

INCREASED ATTENDANCE

99%

51% in 1994



Near-universal **basic education ACCESS** for children aged **7 to 14**

MATRIC

78%

INCREASED PASS RATE

50% before 1994

HIGHER EDUCATION 1994 - 2018



SUPPORT for university and TVET college **students** from poor backgrounds up from R70 million to **R15 billion**



Student **ENROLMENT DOUBLED** to over **2 million**



FREE HIGHER EDUCATION introduced for **first-year** students from poor families



All **undergraduate** students will be **FULLY FUNDED** by 2024

HEALTH



AVERAGE LIFE EXPECTANCY



Increased to **64 YEARS** in 2018, from 53 years in 2005

HIV AND TB



More than **4.5 MILLION HIV+** South Africans now **receive antiretrovirals**, up from 2.4 million in 2014

TB-related deaths dropped to 29 000 in 2016 from 69 000 in 2009



MATERNAL HEALTH

Massive **reduction** in **MATERNAL MORTALITY**

Mother-to-child **HIV TRANSMISSION** drastically **reduced**



PRIMARY HEALTH CARE

FREE PRIMARY HEALTH CARE expanded to ALL South Africans
Thousands more **doctors and nurses TRAINED**

NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE

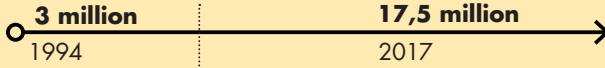


Pilot sites ROLLED OUT across the country
LEGISLATION being drafted for country-wide introduction of the **NHI**



SOCIAL SECURITY

SOCIAL GRANTS for children, the elderly, people with disabilities and veterans



UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE FUND



UIF EXTENDED to most workers, including domestic workers



BENEFIT PAYMENT period increased from 6 to 12 months



Women now receive a **flat rate** of 66% of their salary

MATERNITY LEAVE



Benefits period EXTENDED to between 17 and 32 weeks



Benefits apply to the **LGBTIQI** community

NATIONAL MINIMUM WAGE



Unprecedented legislation in South African **HISTORY**



At least **6 million workers** earning below R20/hour **will benefit**

ECONOMY



The size of the economy has doubled **Since 1994**



Improved GDP per capita

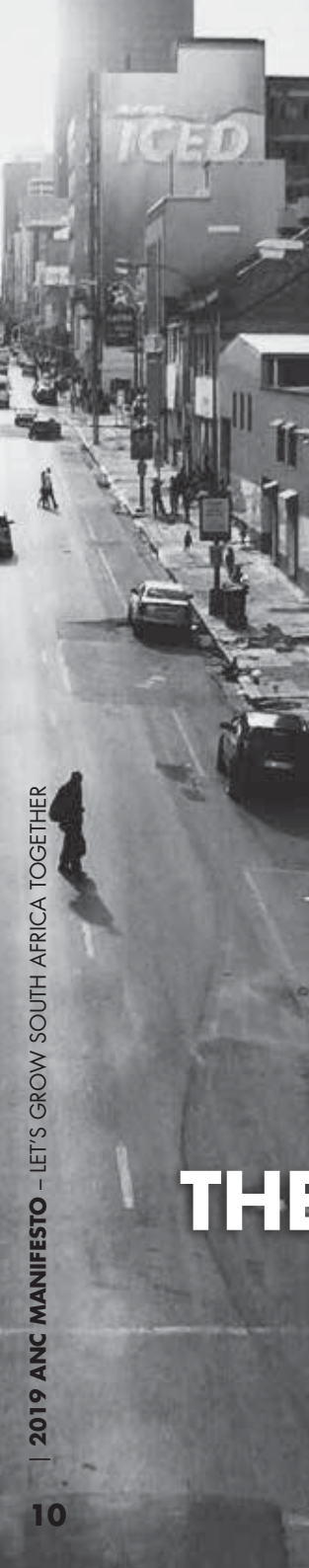


Over **16 million** people are **working**



More **protection** for workers through **LABOUR LAWS**

Growth of BLACK MIDDLE CLASS due to affirmative action, black industrialisation and broad-based black economic empowerment



*"Let us grow the economy
so that all may have decent jobs
and an improving quality of life."*

THE **TRANSFORM ECONOMY**

MORE DECENT JOBS



"At the centre of our Manifesto is a plan to create many more jobs and ensure that all workers can earn a decent living."

WE WILL:



Work with social partners to implement the Presidential Job Summit to **create an additional 275,000 JOBS** a year

Protect existing **JOBS**



Take steps to **prevent RETRENCHMENTS** and review retrenchment procedures

Set bold **targets** for **YOUTH INTERNSHIPS**



Remove work experience as an entry-level **WORK REQUIREMENT** for youth



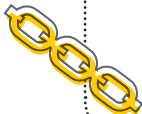
Boost **support** for small and medium-sized businesses, co-operatives and township enterprises



Increase **PARTICIPATION** in **public employment programmes**



Roll out the **NATIONAL MINIMUM WAGE** to cover workers in vulnerable sectors

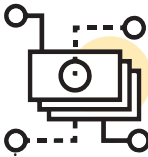


Introduce legislation to **regulate LABOUR BROKERS**

Develop a plan to insource support services back into the public sector

Ensure **firms OBEY THE LAW** when employing foreign nationals

INVESTMENT FOR INCLUSIVE GROWTH



"Investment in the economy ... has stagnated, stifling growth and job creation. We have a plan to turn this around."

WE WILL:



- Increase levels of **INVESTMENTS** by **R1.2 trillion** over the next 4 years
- **UNLOCK investment resources** by investigating the introduction of prescribed assets on financial institutions' funds
- Work with business and labour to **BOOST INVESTMENT** in **infrastructure projects**
- Establish a **Sovereign Wealth Fund** to **INVEST** in strategic sectors and social needs
- Establish an **Infrastructure Fund** to finance **KEY PROJECTS**
- Strengthen the **Presidential Infrastructure Coordinating Commission** to **fast-track** transport, water and other **PROJECTS**



INDUSTRIAL PLAN



LOCALISATION

WE WILL:



BOOST government procurement and **LEVERAGE** private procurement to support local enterprises

Promote local goods through the 'BUY LOCAL' campaign and the **LOCAL PROCUREMENT ACCORD**



Form **partnerships** with the retail sector to benefit **LOCAL INDUSTRIES**

Penalise state entities that fail to **COMPLY** with our commitments

Use **INCENTIVES** and other measures to **encourage** the **private sector** to match government commitments



Enable institutions like **SARS** to better combat **illegal imports**, smuggling and **fraud**

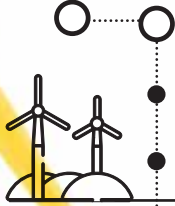


Apply tariffs and other measures to **PROTECT labour-intensive industries** such as textile, agriculture and others

INDUSTRIAL PLAN

RENEWABLE ENERGY

WE WILL:



Continue to **GROW renewable technology** in the country's energy mix

Advance the **Green Economy Accord** to transition to a **LOW-CARBON FUTURE**

Implement a **dedicated renewable energy TRAINING PROGRAMME** for young people

BOOST DEMAND for renewables like solar, wind and biogas through **investment**

REPOSITION Eskom to play an **active role** in the **renewable energy sector**

Promote PUBLIC OWNERSHIP of renewable energy infrastructure

Investigate **the use of solar panels in state buildings**

Mandate that **clean energy solutions** be used in **NEW DEVELOPMENTS**



MINING

WE WILL:



Support the local **RECYCLING INDUSTRY**, especially metals, rubber and paper

Introduce an **EXPORT TAX for scrap metals** to boost local use

Ensure **Mining Charter provisions BENEFIT** state, community and employee ownership

STRENGTHEN the **state mining company**



INDUSTRIAL PLAN

TEXTILES AND FOOTWEAR

WE WILL:

- Boost **existing initiatives** to **GROW** the industry
- **STRENGTHEN** the 'Buy Local' campaign
- Intensify the fight **AGAINST illegal imports**
- **IMPROVE FUNDING** for **women** entrepreneurs and small and worker-owned businesses
- Consider **ESTABLISHING** a **Special Economic Zone** for clothing, textile and footwear



PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY

WE WILL:



Establish a **state-owned pharmaceutical company** to promote **AFFORDABLE** medicines and vaccines

Use public procurement and other measures to **SUPPORT** the **local pharmaceutical industry**



INDUSTRIAL PLAN

TOURISM

WE WILL:



Reduce **VISA REQUIREMENTS** for tourists

Introduce new measures to **IMPROVE** the **security of tourists**



Identify **ICONIC SITES** that can be expanded for local and international **tourists**

CREATIVE INDUSTRIES

WE WILL:



SUPPORT diverse industries – from folk art and festivals to video games

Ensure **funding schemes** include the **CREATIVE SECTOR**

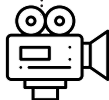
Work with the **private sector** to increase **INVESTMENT**

Develop **CULTURAL PROJECTS** in schools and **communities**

Promote and **invest** in museums and **CULTURAL PROJECTS**

Take measures to ensure **artists' copyright** is **protected**

Promote the **AFRICAN FILM INDUSTRY** by investing in more **local content** and developing **skills**



INDUSTRIAL PLAN

OCEAN ECONOMY

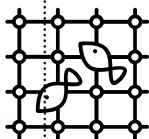
WE WILL:



Promote **INVESTMENT** in **offshore oil** and **gas exploration**



Develop **marine transport infrastructure** and **expand ports**



Finalise **FISHING QUOTAS** to support **aquaculture** and sustainable **livelihoods**



Develop a **MARINE POLICY** to use **South African ships** in our international **trade**

DIGITAL REVOLUTION

"We see a country that has embraced the benefits of technology for economic growth, social development and for more effective governance."

WE WILL:



Create a legal framework to **PROMOTE INNOVATION**



Use the Presidential Digital Industrial Revolution Commission to **SHAPE A DIGITAL FUTURE**



Increase spending on **INNOVATION** and technological **RESEARCH**

Train young people to **OPERATE NEW TECHNOLOGIES** and **BOOST** their digital skills



Work with **ICASA** and competition authorities to make **DATA CHEAPER**

LICENSE the available radio frequency spectrum

Extend the government **BROADBAND** rollout programme



Re-skill and **SUPPORT** workers **DISPLACED** by new technologies

Ensure **SMALL BUSINESSES** are **INCLUDED** in the digital economy



Support **E-COMMERCE** to allow small businesses to **SELL** their **PRODUCTS** online



Create start-up **SUPPORT PROGRAMMES** to allow young people to **DEVELOP NEW TECHNOLOGIES**

Establish a **DIGITAL INNOVATION CENTRE** within the next **3 YEARS**



Increase efforts to **DIGITISE GOVERNMENT** and use big data for planning

Speed up **E-GOVERNANCE** so citizens can access services **ONLINE**



Prioritise **NEW TECHNOLOGIES** to create smart schools, health services and community policing

OWNERSHIP OF THE ECONOMY

"For centuries, the majority of South Africans have been deliberately excluded from economic activity ... We will build an economy in which all our people have a meaningful stake and from which they can all benefit."

WE WILL:



Introduce legislation to **BROADEN** company ownership through **worker ownership schemes** and similar measures



Introduce minimum **thresholds** and **conditions** for **WORKER-OWNERSHIP FUNDS**

Support the **social and solidarity economy**, which addresses social and environmental **needs** rather than profit maximisation



Assist employees in purchasing **VIABLE BUSINESSES** from retiring owners

Improve **GOVERNANCE** of **state-owned enterprises** so they can support socio-economic transformation



EXTEND public ownership in pharmaceuticals, renewable energy and banking



Monitor BBBEE compliance to ensure participation by black people, women, youth and people with disabilities

SUSTAINABLE LAND REFORM

"Our approach to land reform is guided by the Constitution and by the need to advance economic development, agricultural production and food security."

WE WILL:



Support the **AMENDMENT** of section 25 of the **Constitution**

SUBMIT the revised **Expropriation Bill** to Parliament

Clearly **define the conditions for EXPROPRIATION** without compensation

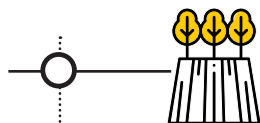
SPEED UP outstanding **land claims**



Work with **AGRIBUSINESS** to:

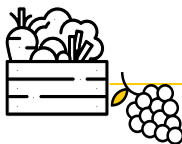
- **INCREASE** **export earnings**
- **SUPPORT** **small-scale** farmers
- **INVEST** in agricultural **research** and smart **technologies**
- **WORK** with like-minded countries towards **fair international trade**
- **DEVELOP** an agriculture **strategy** that mitigates **climate change** and identifies new **growth areas**





CONSOLIDATE **government** support for small-scale farmers to **boost production**

TACKLE dominance by **big business** and **monopolies** in agro-processing and food retail



PROMOTE **urban agriculture** and **community food gardens** so no land is wasted

DEVELOP skills for **land-related careers** such as land surveying and town planning



INTRODUCE measures to address high **land** and **property costs**

SPEED UP **title deeds transfer** to rightful owners

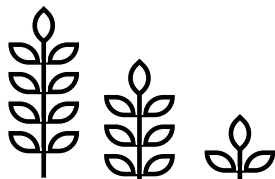


PROTECT the rights of **long-term occupiers**, women and labour tenants in communal land tenure

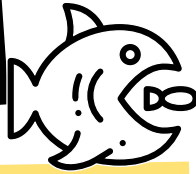
HELP women to **access land** and participate in agriculture



PROMOTE **sustainable water use**



MONOPOLIES



"We will open up markets for new, emerging companies by ending monopolies and behaviour that stifles competition."

WE WILL:



Give **competition authorities** the **legal power** and **financial resources** they need to address the problem of monopolies



Take action to **deconcentrate** the economy



Combat **unfair trading conditions** and **discrimination** against small businesses



End **abuse of dominance** by large firms











Ensure broad-based **ownership** in companies during **mergers**

SMALL BUSINESSES AND TOWNSHIP ECONOMIES

"Our Manifesto has a specific focus on the economies of townships and villages. We will encourage the growth of enterprises in these areas."

WE WILL:

-  Improve **access to funding** and strengthen competition legislation
-  Set up **business incubation centres** in townships and rural areas
-  Spend at least **30% of government procurement funds** on goods from small businesses, co-operatives and township enterprises
-  Set up the **training academy** and development agency for co-operatives provided for in the amended Co-operatives Act
-  Establish a fund to support township and village economies and **create business centres** in these areas
-  Launch local and provincial government campaigns to **formalise township and village enterprises**
-  Address the **impact of big retail chains** on local businesses
-  Crack down on **illegal trading** by foreign nationals in townships and rural areas
- Create a **network of suppliers** from rural and township areas

THE FINANCIAL SECTOR

WE WILL:

"The lack of funding for small enterprises, township and village businesses is holding back the growth of the economy. We will ... unleash their economic potential."



Make it **easier** for small and medium-sized enterprises, co-operatives and black industrialists to **access credit** and **loans**



Work with the financial sector to implement its commitment of **R100 billion to black-owned enterprises** over the next 5 years



Change legislation to allow key state-owned enterprises to **acquire banking licences**



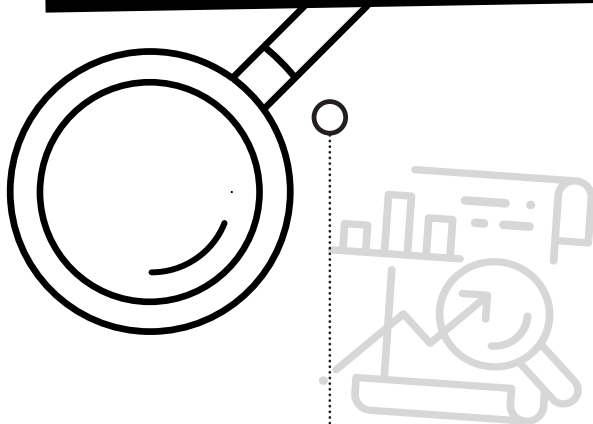
Ensure **development finance institutions focus** on job creation, empowerment and small business

Investigate the introduction of **prescribed assets to unlock funding** for social development projects and job creation



Increase **public funding** and strengthen legislation to support the **co-operative banking** sector

MACRO-ECONOMIC FRAMEWORK



Align fiscal and monetary policies to support our **Manifesto commitments**



Review the mandate of the **SA Reserve Bank** to drive a more **flexible monetary policy** that takes into account the need for job creation and growth without sacrificing price stability





ADVANCE SOCIAL TRANSFORMATION

"Social security is a necessity for the social well-being of the people ... Over the next five years, the ANC will make comprehensive social security coverage a major priority."

HEALTH

"We will finalise enabling legislation for the NHI and make sure that everyone has access to quality health care, regardless of their ability to pay."



WE WILL:



Implement the next phase of the **NHI programme** over the next **5 years**



Create a publicly administered **NHI Fund**



Improve public health facilities so they meet the standards for NHI



Strengthen the public health system to **deliver services** covered by the NHI



Fill critical vacant posts for full implementation of universal health care



Ensure enforcement of **health and safety regulations** in the workplace



Absorb over 50,000 community health care workers into the public health system



Enhance **management** in the entire health sector to **improve service delivery**



Consolidate nursing colleges into **one major nursing college** with satellites in each province



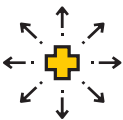
Develop policies and legislation to **reduce risks** related to **medical litigation**



Expand the **Mandela-Fidel Castro Programme** to produce more health professionals



Test an additional **2 million people** for **TB**



Delegate responsibility to district and frontline health service managers in hospitals and clinics to eliminate long queues for treatment



By 2020, ensure 90% of people know their HIV status, 90% of HIV+ people receive treatment and 90% of those on ARVs achieve viral suppression

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

“By opening up the doors of learning to all, by focusing on quality and innovation, we will equip young South Africans for the world of tomorrow.”

EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT [ECD]

WE WILL:



Make **2 years of ECD compulsory** for all children



Transfer responsibility for ECD to the **Department of Basic Education**



Provide a **package of ECD services**:

- birth registration
- parenting support
- quality learning and more



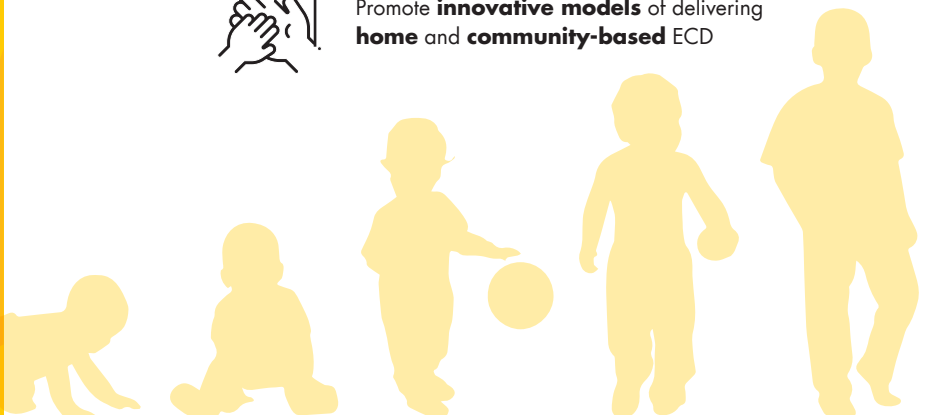
Standardise ECD norms and **guidelines**

Set **employment targets** in the ECD sector

Develop a **plan to care** for the first 1 000 days of life – from pregnancy to 2 years of age



Promote **innovative models** of delivering **home and community-based ECD**



BASIC EDUCATION

WE WILL:



Prioritise policies for **upskilling educators** and **school management**

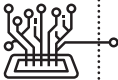


Amend legislation to **enforce accountability**

Appoint **qualified teachers** with the right subject content knowledge



Implement the **National Integrated Assessment Framework** for assessing learners in Grades 3, 6 and 9



Amend the curriculum and **prepare learners** for the **4th Industrial Revolution**



Continue **upgrading school buildings** and inadequate **toilets**

POST-SCHOOL EDUCATION AND TRAINING

WE WILL:

Extend **free higher education** for the poor and the 'missing middle'



Provide **sufficient funding** for TVETs and community colleges



Ensure the **private sector** and other **partners** work with training authorities to **grow skills**



Target skills development programmes at the unemployed, youth and the self-employed

Ensure **SETAs are aligned** with national priorities and our industrial plan



COMPREHENSIVE SOCIAL SECURITY

"The programmes to provide social assistance to the most marginalised in society will continue ... and initiatives to ensure sustainable livelihoods will be intensified."

WE WILL:

Define a bigger basket of **social security services** and make these **easier to access**



Ensure **grants reach vulnerable groups** like orphans, people with disabilities and the elderly in remote areas



Increase UIF coverage as currently only **5%** of the unemployed benefit



Support **child-headed families**



Finalise a **social security policy** that includes low-paid workers, informal traders and pregnancy and maternity benefits



HOUSING, HUMAN SETTLEMENTS AND PUBLIC TRANSPORT

"We seek to ... transform human settlements and to ensure that the delivery of housing is used to restructure towns and cities ... and overcome apartheid spatial patterns."

HOUSING

WE WILL:

Develop **projects** that bring together jobs, housing, technology and transport



Transform the property market to promote **access to affordable housing** in **urban** areas



Release **state land** for people to **build** their own homes



Speed up **new legislation** to **eliminate** property speculation



Align housing provision with other **services**, like schools and transport



Tackle the **title deeds** backlog



Develop a more **coherent** and inclusive **approach to land**



Revise regulations and incentives for housing and land-use **management**

PUBLIC TRANSPORT

WE WILL:



Invest in **safe** and **reliable train services** and other public transport systems



Work with the **taxi industry** to ensure it is **safe**, clean and reliable



Support **driver training**



Modernise public transport **permits** to prevent corruption



Support **Bus Rapid Transport System rollouts** in more cities



Work towards more **integrated public transport** through a single ticketing system

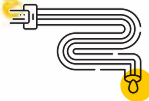


Shift freight from road to **rail**

WATER AND SANITATION

"Providing access to clean water for all has been an ANC goal since 1994 and ... we will continue to expand our water infrastructure."

WE WILL:



Continue to prioritise the **roll-out of water infrastructure**



Fast-track and unblock key **water projects**



Eradicate **bucket systems** and **pit latrines** where they still exist



Review the **Minimum Free Basic Water** policy to further **help the poor**

BUILD SAFER COMMUNITIES

"We must ... build a society where everyone is able to walk the streets, to play and work at all hours of the day and night, without fear."



SAFER COMMUNITIES



GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE

WE WILL:



Launch a **national plan** of action against **gender-based violence**



Offer **psychological and social support** to vulnerable learners and work with young children to **change social attitudes**



Call for **stricter sentences for perpetrators** of domestic violence and sexual offences



Equip the police and courts to deal with **survivors**



Expand the **Thuthuzela Care Centre** network and other **survivor care centres**



PREVENTING CRIME

WE WILL:



Ensure police are **trained to investigate** cases successfully



Improve budgeting and planning across the criminal justice system



Increase **police visibility** in communities



Strengthen **Community Policing Forums** and **Community Safety Forums**



Focus on **reducing violence** against vulnerable groups



Target gang violence and drugs with **new anti-gang units**



Work with law enforcement to **fight substance abuse** among young people



Run national campaigns to **build respect for the rule of law**



Introduce laws to **keep taverns and liquor stores away** from schools and places of worship



Take **tough measures** against **undocumented immigrants** involved in crime, including **illegal trading** in townships



FIGHT CORRUPTION AND STRENGTHEN GOVERNANCE

*"We call on our people to join us
in this endeavour to build a capable
and ethical state and to ensure that those
who are responsible for stealing
both public funds and private investments
face the full might of the law."*

FIGHT CORRUPTION AND PROMOTE INTEGRITY

"We will actively promote a culture of integrity throughout the state, society and within our people's organisation – the ANC."

WE WILL:



Strengthen the **criminal justice system** to recover stolen funds



Take **action** against companies and other entities that facilitate **tax avoidance**



Implement **lifestyle audits** of public officials



Implement laws to **prevent public servants** from **doing business** with the state



Make **tenders** more **efficient** and **transparent**



Develop initiatives to **discourage** those who turn a **blind eye to corruption**

STRENGTHEN GOVERNANCE AND

ACCOUNTABLE GOVERNMENT

WE WILL:



Conduct forums and imbizos to **improve government's interaction** with communities



Step up public service **performance inspections** and unannounced visits



Strengthen the oversight role of **Parliament** and the **provincial legislatures**



Continue to **strengthen agencies** like the Hawks, NPA and SIU



Continue to **support judicial independence**



Implement **accountability** and **consequence management**



Support organisations that promote **democracy**

TRADITIONAL LEADERSHIP

WE WILL:



Promote **co-operation between government and traditional leaders** in all spheres, including economy and land use



Investigate measures to **manage the relationship** of municipalities and traditional authorities



Work closely with **Contralesa** to strengthen relations with traditional leaders

PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

WE WILL:



Ensure residents are **actively involved in decisions** about their ward, town or city



Improve the **work of municipalities** through **effective technology** use



Enforce appropriate standards for **government officials** to **improve the skills base**



Deploy **district support teams** of engineers, planners and financial **experts**



Support municipalities in **reshaping** our towns and cities to **correct economic and racial divides**



Use the Integrated Urban Development Framework to **grow cities sustainably** and **improve urban links** to rural areas



Build municipal capacity to **deliver basic services** and **enforce regulations effectively**



BUILD NATIONAL UNITY AND EMBRACE DIVERSITY

"The ANC is a political movement dedicated to building a united and democratic South Africa free from all forms of racism, sexism, xenophobia and hate crime."

BUILD NATIONAL UNITY AND EMBRACE DIVERSITY

WE WILL:

Implement **indigenous language programmes** in schools



Finalise legislation aimed at preventing **hate crimes**



Promote non-racialism and **non-sexism** through sports, culture and the arts



Train teachers and public servants to **deal with discrimination**



Organise programmes to **honour veterans** of the liberation struggle



Promote the **study of history** in schools



Prioritise gender equality and the needs of **people with disabilities** in all government programmes

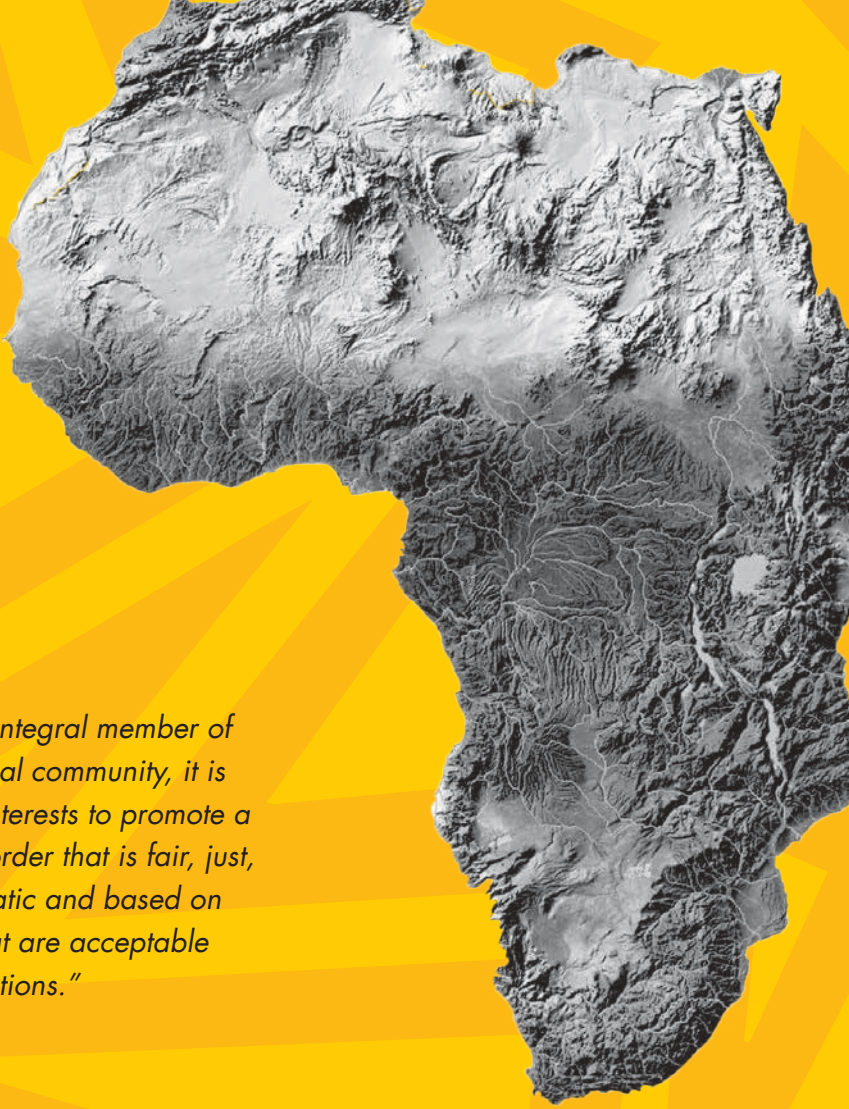


Advance **media freedom** and **diversity**, with a focus on alternative and community media



Celebrate all cultures during national holidays





“As an integral member of the global community, it is in our interests to promote a global order that is fair, just, democratic and based on rules that are acceptable to all nations.”

SOUTH AFRICA, AFRICA AND THE WORLD

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WE WILL:



Enhance **regional integration** and **balanced trade** in the SADC region



Support the creation of the **African Continental Free Trade Area**



Work with **African Union** countries to advance **Agenda 2063**



Promote cross-border infrastructure, tourism and manufacturing value chains in the **Southern African region**



Promote peace, security and **stability across the continent**



Amplify the voices of **developing countries** within the UN and other institutions



Use **South Africa's tenure** on the **UN Security Council** to promote peace and security



Dedicate **resources** to our **continental and global commitments**



Recommit South Africa to tackling **climate change** in line with the Paris Agreement



Work with other countries to **create incentives** for immigrants to **stay within their own borders**



Ensure our **regional policies** address the resolution of **immigration matters**

FELLOW SOUTH AFRICANS



We are under no illusions of the difficulties and obstacles we will encounter along the road to a better future for all.

Throughout this Manifesto we have emphasised that ours is a plan about you, South Africans, black and white, young and old, rural and urban.

We firmly believe that the coherent and achievable plan set out in this Manifesto is in accord with the needs and aspirations of the South African people and the goodwill of the progressive people around the world.

You have helped us develop this Manifesto. We must work together to effectively implement it.

Let's Grow South Africa Together.





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