

### THE SPEAKER

### **COUNCIL ITEM**

REQUEST FOR APPROVAL TO WRITE OFF RATES AND TAXES OF HLANO FINANCIAL SERVICES (FORMERLY KHYALATHU HOME LOANS) REPOSESSED HOUSES IN MANGAUNG METRO MUNICIPALITY (PHASE TWO AND BOTSHABELO) AND THE TRANSFER OF THESE HOUSES TO BENEFICIARIES ASSISTED WITH GOVERNMENT NON-PROJECT LINKED INDIVIDUAL SUBSIDY HOUSING PROGRAMME

#### PURPOSE

- 1.1 To inform the Council about the Non-Project Linked Individual Housing Subsidy Programme implemented by the Free State Department of Human Settlements in Mangaung in order to assist qualifying beneficiaries occupying properties that were repossessed by Khayelethu/ Hlano Housing Solution after owners defaulted on their mortgage loans.
- 1.2 To request the Council to approve the write-off of outstanding rates and taxes on the 314 properties attached as **Annexure "A"** and to issue Clearance Certificate to enable the transfer of these properties by Hlano to the beneficiaries approved by the Provincial Human Settlements under the Non-Project Linked Individual Subsidy Housing Programme.

### 2. STRATEGIC INTENT

- 2.1 To provide access to state housing assistance where qualifying households wish to acquire an existing house thus promoting home ownership and discharging the state constitutional obligation as enshrined in section 26(2) of the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa.
- 2.2 To give effect to the principles of co-operative governance as contained in section 41 of the Constitution by ensuring that there is coherence in programmes implemented by three spheres of government in order to provide housing assistance to citizens.
- 2.3 To contribute to the government target of ensuring the creation of 1, 5 million housing opportunities as contained in Outcome 8 of the 2014- 2019 Medium Term Strategic Framework.
- 3. FOR CONSIDERATION AND DECISION BY
- 3.1 Council
- 4. BACKGROUND INFORMATION
- 4.1 HISTORY OF KHAYALETHU HOME LOAN/HLANO FINANCIAL SERVICES
- **4.1.1** The South African Housing Trust Limited was incorporated in terms of the Companies Act, 1973 (Act No. 61 of 1973), as a company having a share capital with its main business being the promotion of the construction of low-cost housing in South Africa.
- 4.1.2 The Company was funded mainly by the Government of the Republic of South Africa and the private sector to carry out its main function; and government later became the sole stakeholder of the company.

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- 4.1.3 Two wholly-owned subsidiaries of the company were established, namely Nu-way Housing Developments (Pty) Limited and Khayalethu Home Loans (Pty) Limited, which catered for the property development business and the home loan business of the company, respectively.
- 4.1.4 The delay in, and low profitability of, stand sales together with the bond repayment boycotts by home owners severely hampered the growth of the company and the company had substantially accumulated losses for each year from 1995 to 1998.
- **4.1.5** During the year 2000 Cabinet approved the sale of the South Africa Housing Trust's subsidiaries (Nuway and Khayalethu) and they were sold as going concerns for the best prices available.
- 4.1.6 Hlano Financial Solutions bought the portfolio of debt of Khayalethu, and as a result, it had to recover all the outstanding home loans owed to Khayalethu by borrowers. The South African Housing Trust was later disestablished through an Act of Parliament. Hlano Financial Services is a successor in law of Khayalethu Home Loan.
- 4.1.7 During the nineties, the banks pulled out from the townships as a result of bond boycotts. The Government realized that very little end-user finance in the form of housing credit had been available to low-income households, which, in turn, impeded the ability of many households to improve their housing condition.
- 4.1.8 The first step in creating an enabling environment for private investment in housing was the signing of the Record of Understanding between the Government and the Association of Mortgage Lenders.
- **4.1.9** The agreement served as a foundation for a number of measures undertaken by the Government to normalize the housing environment. Various forms of subsidies were made available to defaulting borrowers who met the qualifying criteria.
- **4.1.10** It is against this backdrop of the above-mentioned agreement that the Free State Department of Human Settlements seeks to assist beneficiaries occupying Hlano Financial Services houses in Phase Two and Botshabelo.

### 4.2 NON-PROJECT LINKED INDIVIDUAL SUBSIDY HOUSING PROGRAMME

- **4.2.1** The program envisages a funding arrangement for housing assistance to individual households who wish to acquire properties of choice.
- 4.2.2 The programme accommodates both beneficiaries who wish to access only subsidy funding to acquire a residential property or persons who have acquired vacant serviced stands without state assistance and who need assistance with the construction of a house.
- **4.2.3** To promote a secure tenure right, the National Housing Code requires payment of the approved subsidy to be made upon receipt of change of ownership of the purchased property in favor of the approved beneficiary.
- **4.2.3** In order to qualify the applicants must meet the following requirements:
  - He or she is lawfully resident in South Africa.

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- He or she is legal competent to contract.
- Neither the applicant nor his or her spouse has previously derived benefits from any housing subsidy scheme.
- A person who has not owned fixed residential property may apply, except where the applicant has acquired a vacant serviced site and needs assistance to construct a house.
- The grossly monthly household income of his or her household may not exceed the amount of the maximum income limit as approved by the minister and currently is R3501.00.

## 5. DISCUSSION

- 5.1 During the 2014/2015 financial year the Department was inundated with complaints from occupants of Hlano Financial Services houses, who alleged that Hlano sold their houses after they defaulted on their home loans and they are being evicted from the houses. Subsequent to the complaints, The Department had a meeting with Hlano Financial Services officials, and Mangaung Metro Municipality which culminated into the following agreement (see the attached letters as Annexure "B"):
  - Hlano will submit a list of all their Property in Possession(PIPs); See the attached list as Annexure
    "A";
  - The attached houses will be sold to the occupant who qualify for non- project linked individual subsidy housing programme;
  - The purchase price will be the maximum subsidy amount, regardless of the market value of the property because adherence to the market value will stall the process in instances where the value is above the subsidy quantum (R 160 753.00).
  - Mangaung Metro Municipality promised to consider issuing rates clearance certificates to
    expedite the process of registration of ownership to qualifying beneficiaries because the housing
    policy dictate that payment of the purchase price will only be made once the property is
    transferred to the beneficiary.
  - The Department will continue assisting qualifying beneficiaries until the Hlano Financial Services
    portfolio of qualifying beneficiaries is finalized in the Free State Province, in our case Botshabelo
    and Phase 2.
  - All the parties agreed that the process will take several financial years to complete, and Hlano will suspend evictions of occupants of the repossessed properties.
  - Hlano agreed that due to the fact that the majority of the occupants are pensioners, unemployed
    and child headed families, it won't self their portfolio to the private sector who are strongly
    demanding to buy the portfolio in Mangaung.
- 5.2 Pursuant to the agreement, the MEC of the Free State Department of Human Settlements approved some of the applications of the beneficiaries of Hlano Houses during the 2014/2015 financial year and



waited for the officials of Mangaung Metro Municipality to present the matter to Council for the write-off of debts. Refer to **Annexure "C"**.

### 6. LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

- 6.1 Currently, the occupants of Hlano houses are not regularly paying services, which means Mangaung Municipality is losing out on the expected revenue. The properties are registered under Hlano Financial Services; upon registration of title deeds they will be registered under the approved beneficiary's names.
- 6.2 Upon registration of title deeds into the beneficiary's name, Human Settlements Directorate must inform Finance and Engineering Services to install prepaid water meters, in order to minimize the risk of unpaid water accounts.
- 6.3 If this submission is not approved by Council, Hlano Financial Services will be entitled to evict the occupants and sell the properties to willing buyers. And, in terms of the Prevention of Illegal Eviction of Occupants Act and the latest Constitutional court cases on evictions, the Municipality is responsible for providing alternative and/or temporary accommodation to evicted occupants. Currently, Mangaung Metro does not have the budget to provide serviced sites and temporary shacks to 315 households.
- 6.4 HLANO as part of its social responsibility to Mangaung's community is willing to pay for the outstanding rates and taxes of 58 approved beneficiaries, refer to Annexure "D". Council is therefore requested to write-off the rates and taxes of 257 beneficiaries, which is the remainder from Annexure "A".
- 6.5 At the moment, Provincial Human Settlements has approved 84 beneficiaries, refer to **Annexure "E"**. The remainder will be submitted as and when applications are approved.

### 7. RECOMMENDATIONS

It is therefore recommended that:

- 7.1 Council takes note that Hlano Financial Services has 315 properties in Mangaung Metro Municipality (Phase Two and Botshabelo) registered in their name at the Deeds Office.
- 7.2 Council takes note that the undertaking letter signed by the Director: Legal Services of the Free State Department of Human Settlements after verification and approval, will serve as a confirmation that housing subsidy has been approved for the respective beneficiary, and the Municipality may issue clearance certificate upon receipt of the afore-said letter.
  - 7.3 Council to delegate all administrative functions relating to the writing-off of these debts to the HOD: Human Settlement.
  - **7.4** The Municipality's Human Settlement Directorate after conducting verification will provide finance with a letter confirming that the property forms part of Hlano Housing solution and it's purchased with government housing subsidy.



- 7.5 The regularization of the tenure of occupation of the beneficiaries of Hlano houses in Mangaung will create revenue for the Municipality as many occupants will start paying for services because properties are registered in their names.
  - 7.6 Council takes note that the transfer of properties to the beneficiaries will contribute to the government target of ensuring creation of 1,5 million housing opportunities as contained in Outcome 8 of the 2014-2019 Medium Term Strategic Framework.
  - 7.7 Council approve the issuing of Clearance Certificate without payment of outstanding debt for respective properties excluding the ones in **Annexure**"D", in order for Hlano Housing Solution to transfer the properties to the approved beneficiaries.

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SUBMITTED BY

Adv MHN Phaladi

**HOD: Human Settlements** 

Recommended/Not Recommended

Adv. T/Mea

City Manager

Approved/Not Approved...

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**Executive Mayor** 

Annexure 'A"

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2	668	В	BOTSHABELO
3	849	В	BOTSHABELO
4	1075	С	BOTSHABELO
5	1640	С	BOTSHABELO
6	2660	С	BOTSHABELO
7	552	С	BOTSHABELO
8	640	С	BOTSHABELO
9	834	С	BOTSHABELO
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11	1872	D	BOTSHABELO
12	195	D	BOTSHABELO
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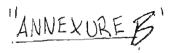
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Dear Sir

# CONFIRMATION OF INDIVIDUAL SUBSIDY ASSISTANCE TO APPROVED BENEFICIARIES

The above matter refers.

The Department hereby confirms that occupants of Hlano houses, whose houses have been repossessed or who are interested in buying the house, may apply for the individual subsidy assistance.

The Department further confirms that upon approval of the application, payment will be made to Hlano on receipt of a title deed registered in the beneficiary's name.

However, payment of these subsidies is dependent on the available budget per district for a specific year.

Yours faithfully

ADV MJN PHALADI

DIRECTOR: LEGAL SERVICES

6th May 2014



2014-05-10

ADV Phaladi Free State Province Human Settlements Department

Dear Madam

### INDIVIDUAL SUBSIDY ASSISTANCE TO APPROVED BENEFICIARIES

The above matter as well as your letter dated 6th May 2014 refers.

I am pleased to advise that we accept your proposal to assist ALL owners/occupants, irrespective of the ROU, via the Individual Subsidy Programme.

I confirm the following salient points of our agreement:-

- Hlano will stop the sale of further PIPs that is leading to mass evictions.
- Hlano will stop the legal action on bonded properties to convert them to PIPs.
- Serious attempts will be made to complete this project in the next 4 to 5 years.
- Bonded properties Hlano will accept the settlement balance or the subsidy quantum applicable at the time, acknowledging that this will be increased from time to time, whichever is lower in full settlement.
- PIPs Hlano will accept the subsidy quantum applicable at the time as a discounted purchase price for ALL PIPs and will pay the transfer fees, irrespective of market value.
- The Department will assist in approaching the relevant Municipality to secure a rates clearance certificate to facilitate the transfer of PIPs.
- Hlano acknowledges that it will be required to provide proof of transfer or bond cancellation when making a claim.

We look forward to your co-operation in resolving this issue and providing unencumbered housing to the poorest of the poor in our communities.

Yours Faithfully

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ADV. J PHALADI HOD: HUMAN SETTLEMENTS MANGAUNG METROPOLITAN MUNICIPALITY

# CONFIRMATION OF THE INDIVIDUAL HOUSING SUBSIDIES FOR BENEFICIRIES OF HLANO PROPERTIES IN MANGAUNG METRO MUNICIPALITY

- 1. The above-mentioned subject refers and your email dated 5th October 2018.
- 2. Pursuant to our meeting with Hlano Housing Solution on the 7<sup>th</sup> of September 2018, we hereby confirm the resolutions of our meeting:
- 2.1 The Department of Human Settlements will assist qualifying beneficiaries of Hlano Properties with Individual Housing Subsidies in order for Hlano to transfer ownership of each property to the approved beneficiary.
- 2.2 The maximum purchase price for each property must not exceed R160 000.00.
- 2.3 The original title deeds of each property must be submitted to the Department together with the claim for payment of the purchase price.
- 2.4 Hlano Housing solution will suspend all the evictions in the Free State Province particularly in the Mangaung Metropolitan Municipality, and allow the Department to assist qualifying beneficiaries with Housing Subsidies.
- 3. We hope the above is in order.

Regards,

Mr. T Motaung

Director: Legal Services
Date. 08/10/20/8

Annex-182 "C"



who will pay the Municipality in order to get a Clearance Certificate to transfer the property?

# The Proposal

After much deliberation and motivation to my BOD, we have decided as part of our social responsibility programme, to accept the subsidy quantum as a highly discounted purchase price as well as pay the conveyancing and legal fees of approximately R6000 per property. We thus seek the Municipality to join us in this tripartite agreement to provide unencumbered housing to the Poorest of the Poor in our community. To summarise the deal, each party will contribute as follows:

- 1. Provincial Human Settlements Department: Over a 3 year period will make available the subsidy quantum and pay this over to Hlano in full consideration of the purchase price once the property is transferred to the occupant.
- Hlano: Will cancel all sales that will lead to evictions and displacement of 315 families, will accept the subsidy quantum as a highly discounted purchase price and pay all legal and conveyancing fees to transfer the property to the new owner.
- Mangaung Municipality: Will write off all necessary amounts in order to issue a Clearance Certificate.

### Conclusion

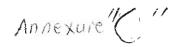
The Provincial Human Settlements Department has set aside a budget to deal with these 315 properties and is already in the process of verifying applicants.

Hlano cannot afford to subsidise this deal any further than it already has. The Municipality is likely to gain 315 paying accounts once unencumbered ownership is passed to the occupants and will be in a better economic position than the current one. This deal is only possible with the assistance of the Municipality. An urgent response is awaited.

Yours Faithfully

Selvan Govender

Chief Operating Officer





2016-02-12 The Municipal Manager Mangaung Municipality Free State

Attention: Mr Mofokeng

Dear Sir

### WRITEOFF OF RATES, TAXES AND OTHER AMOUNTS OWING

Further to the meeting held at your offices between officials of your Human Settlements Department, Provincial Human Settlements Department and Hlano, I would like to formalize our request and offer some background as discussed at the meeting. There were positive indications at the meeting that our request will be favourably considered.

### Introduction and Background

Khayalethu Home Loans was a fully owned government entity that was sold by public tender to Hlano in and around the year 2000 in its entirety. The asset base consisted of Secured Home Loans as well as Properties in Possession (PIPs). Although the portfolio of properties in Free State is approximately 3500, our request in this letter only relates to 315 PIPs.

Due to a culture of nonpayment by our customers, Hlano is under tremendous financial pressure and has decided to sell all its PIPs. Most of these properties are in Mangaung which represents fair value and demand. We have various offers on the table for bulk purchases as well as a high end user demand.

### The Dilemma

Whilst we are a commercial organization, we have thus far dealt with our portfolio across the country in a socially responsible way and will only displace families as a last resort and only in instances where Provincial and Municipal structures are uncooperative and/or unwilling to partner us to provide unencumbered housing to the Poorest of the Poor.

The Free State Human Settlements Department have requested that we DO NOT sell these properties on the open market as it will cause mass evictions and will become a political time bomb. They have agreed to pay a subsidy to the occupant and requested that we sell the property to the existing occupant at the prevailing subsidy quantum. These properties currently sell between R150 000 and R300 000, depending on condition. Should we accept to sell these properties at such a massive discount, there are two further obstacles we need to overcome in order to facilitate this transaction ie. (1) Who will pay the conveyancing and other legal fees and (2)

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