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SUBJECT: SUBJECT: AZAPO CENTRAL COMMITTEE MEETING

Today **AZAPO's** highest structure after the national conference, the Central Committee, held a meeting to finalize the preparations for the national elections of the Republic of South Africa.

The meeting has concluded and adopted the final draft of its **Elections Manifesto**.

The **Manifesto** touches on various aspects affecting our people and how **AZAPO** will position herself and champion the critical challenges faced by our people.

The date for the **Manifesto** launch is earmarked for the **23rd March 2024**.

AZAPO believes that these coming elections are a do-or-die for our people, especially the poor, and thus urges all eligible voters to continue to register on the on-line platform or the offices of the Independent Electoral Commission (IEC) in their various local/regional offices.

AZAPO reiterates that voter apathy is no cure to rotten and corrupt politics.

Corruption pours dirty waters on the sacrifices of the people to bring about liberation and democracy.

AZAPO calls upon our people to interrogate the track record of political players and diligently assess who is best suited to advance their long-term interests, instead of being hoodwinked by immaterial and short-term items like free t-shirts, food parcels etc.

AZAPO emphasises the fact that Black people deserve better, and restoration of the land is the first step, towards giving Black people dignity and true economic freedom.

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