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**JUDICIAL COMMISSION OF INQUIRY INTO ALLEGATIONS OF STATE CAPTURE,  
CORRUPTION AND FRAUD IN THE PUBLIC SECTOR INCLUDING ORGANS OF STATE**

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Dear Advocate Lebala

**RE: ORAL EVIDENCE OF MS LYNETTE BROWN**

1. We refer to your client Ms Brown evidence before the Commission that was previously scheduled during the week of 25 May 2020. As a result of the declaration of the state of disaster to combat the spread of COVID-19, the functioning of the Commission has been affected and evidence that was scheduled to be presented during the lockdown period has had to be rescheduled. As a result, this has had a knock-on effect on the scheduling of the hearings.
2. In the light of this, your client will not be required to testify at the Commission during the week of 25 May 2020. You will be notified when new dates have been scheduled.
3. You are further advised that the Commission determines the dates and does not negotiate dates with any person who must appear before it or with their lawyers. The Commission would never be able to do its work if it were to negotiate the dates of hearing with all the people who must appear before it.
4. Please contact the Secretariat of the Commission ([WarrenR@commissionsc.org.za](mailto:WarrenR@commissionsc.org.za)) regarding any queries relating to this matter.

Yours sincerely



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