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POSITION OF OEAS ON MATABELELAND

The OEAS is committed to providing a forum on the independence of Matabeleland and deplores the current economic and political crisis caused by the ruling ZANU PF government of Zimbabwe which is oppressing the people of Matabeleland through neocolonialism and economic malfeasance.

It is the position of the OEAS that all the people of Matabeleland should decide via referendum the future of their country whether that is as an independent state, kingdom, or autonomous region.

The OEAS supports and will admit to membership all like minded organizations whose goals coincide with the above including all groups that support self rule through peaceful means whether their goals are an independent Matabeleland, Ndebele Kingdom, or Mthwakazi state.

The OEAS sincerely hopes that through this process, a united front may be achieved that will hasten independence.

Sincerely yours,

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