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Dear Advocate Abrahams,

**Re: Long Outstanding Prosecution of Mr. Linda Mti**

The abovementioned matter refers.

I write to request your disclosure of reasons as to why Mr Linda Mti has not yet been prosecuted for the findings of corruption and accepting bribes, made by the Special Investigating Unit (SIU) and the investigation into same by the SAPS against Mr Mti in 2009, and handed over to the NPA for prosecution at that time.

As Prisons Commissioner in 2004/5, Linda Mti is alleged to have irregularly awarded tenders to Bosasa to the value of approximately R2billion.

The SIU began investigating Mr Mti after it was found that a Bosasa company secretary had allegedly registered a company in Mti's name, which apparently never traded.

The SIU subpoenaed a selection of banking documents and found that Bosasa had paid bribes to Mti in the form of cars and houses. This SIU investigation began in 2007 and ended in 2009.

The completed investigation was handed over to yourselves, and then on to the police for further investigation. After the completion of the further police investigation, the docket was returned to the NPA for prosecution.

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Since then, no progress has been made to prosecute Mr Mti. These are very serious allegations, corroborated by a comprehensive SIU investigation.

Please could you provide me with a prosecution timeline on this open docket, with specific reference to:

1. Status of investigation
2. Investigation findings
3. Proposed court dates/applications

As you will know, Mr Mti has now been appointed to a position of high office in the Nelson Mandela Bay Metropolitan Municipality, and given the enormity of the alleged bribery and corruption, in defence of our Constitution and in the interests of fighting corruption and fraud, I ask that you respond in writing within the next fourteen (14) days.

Thank you for giving this matter your considered attention.

Kind Regards,

Athol Trollip, MPL  
DA Federal Chairperson  
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