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R11 billion allocated for jobs

THE ECONOMIC Reconstruction and Recovery Plan is helping the country's economy and people recover from the COVID-19 pandemic and recent unrest.

The Presidential Employment Stimulus Package has allocated an additional R11 billion to support employment, as part of the Economic Reconstruction and Recovery Plan (ERRP).

President Cyril Ramaphosa recently made this announcement when responding to questions during a sitting of the National Assembly.

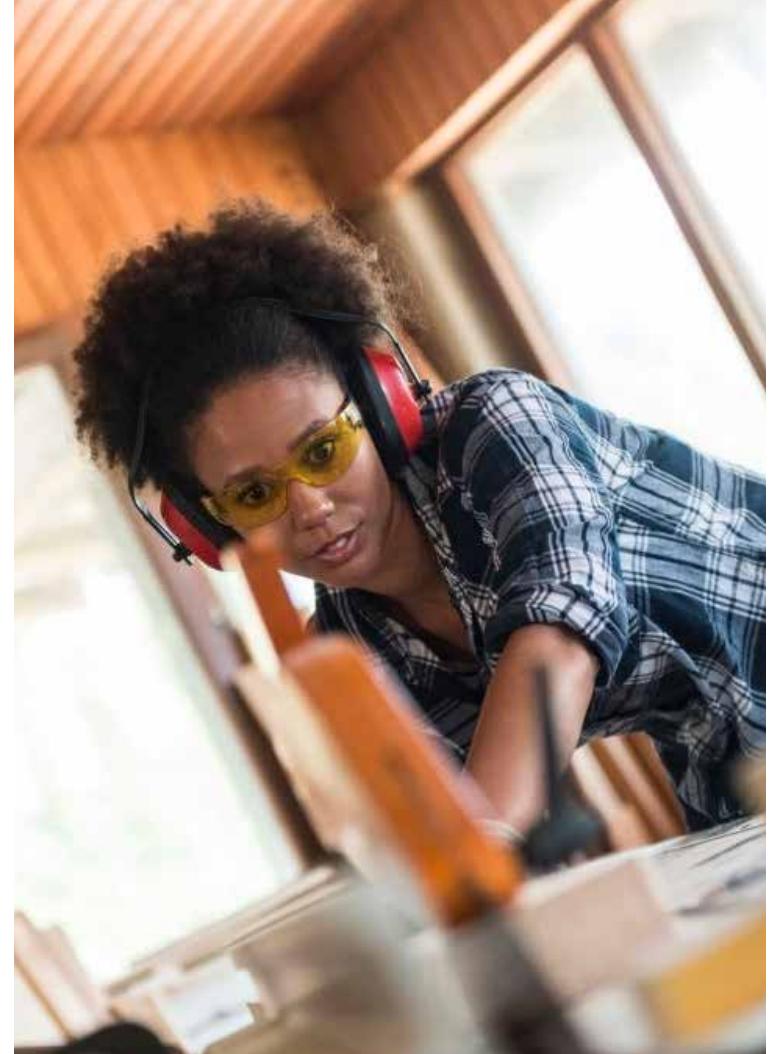
He said initiatives such as the Basic Education Employment Initiative will continue, with the aim of creating jobs for the youth who have assisted in schools as part of the response to the Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) pandemic.

Support for small-scale farmers and workers in the early childhood development sector also forms part of the stimulus package.

"The Presidential Employment Stimulus Package has supported close to 700 000 job opportunities to date, and largely to young people," he said.

The country's unemployment statistics have highlighted the urgent need for the public and private sectors to be actively involved in implementing the EERP.

Results for the second 2021 Quarterly Labour Force



Survey (QLFS), recently released by Statistics South Africa, showed that unemployment has increased by 1.8%.

"The statistics released for the second quarter of this year are a reminder of our unemployment crisis and the extent of poverty in our country.

"While the interventions

contained in our EERP are necessary and significant, I will say now that they are not enough," said the President.

He added that job creation can no longer be the mission of government alone.

"The time has now come

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UMzantsi Afrika wothulela umnqwazi abavezi bobubi

Kwisithuba semi-nyaka emithathu ukusukela oko iKomishini yoPhando lokuBanjwa ngobhongwane kukaRhulu-mente ithe yaqala umsebenzi wayo, sivile ngobunzulu abenzi bobubi bezenzo zorhwaphilizo abathe bafihlangayo izenzo zabo ezingalunganga.

Ibyinto enzima kakhulu ukwazisa uthungelwano lwempembelelo olwenza urhwaphilizo. Phakathi kwezinyezinto, uthungelwano olukhulu Iweenkampani eziphambili zasekwa ukuezihambise imali ngokujikelezayo kwaye zifile iintlawa ezenziwe kubantu abanxulumene nezopolitiko.

Ezindlela zifanayo zibonwe kuphando oluninzi lorhwaphilizo olwenziwa liCandelo loPhando oluKhethekileyo (i-SIU), iCandelo loPhando loLwaphulo-mthetho oluPhambili, iCandelo loPhando leGunyabantulezoTshutshiso kunyenamanye.

Njengokuba olu phando luqhubeke kwaye nomnatha uqala ukuvaleka kubantu abachaphazelekayo, siye sabona amangqina egrogriswa, iintsapho zawozisoyikiswa, zinyanzelwa ukuba zizimele, zide zibulawé.

Ukululawa kuka-Babita Deokaran, igosa eliphezulu lezemali kwisebe lezempilo e-Gauteng, sisikhumbuzo esicace kakhulu somngcipheko ophezulu

obandakanyekayo kwi-phulo lethu elihlangeneyo lokususa lomkhwa kulu-luntu lwethu.

Ngelixa singekasazi isizathu sokubulawa kwakhe, wayelingqina eliphambili kuphando lwe-SIU olumalunga nokuthengwa kwe-zixhobo zokuzikhulselakwisebe.

Inkonzo yamaPolisa oMzantsi Afrika (i-SAPS) kunyenameqela okhuseleko abucala abambe abarhanewa abasixhenxe kutshanje kufuneka banconywe ngomsebenzi wabo. Uxwebhu Iwamatyala ludluliselwe kuma-Hawks, kwaye uphando luza kunekezelanqezinye iinkukacha ezimalunga nokuba kutheni uNks Deokaran wabulawa.

Nokuba zithini iimeko ezibangelwe yile ntlekele, uNks Deokaran wayeligokra kunye nomthandi welizwelakhe. Njengokuba isininzi sabavezi bobubi abathi bazibeke emngciphekweni omkhulu, bancede ukufumana izenzo ezingalunganga, ulawulo olugwenxa, ukuqesha ngokokuzalana kunye nobusela.

Ngaphandle kongenelelo lwabo olukhaliphileyo nolunokuziphatha ngokufanelekileyo, besingasokuze sikwazi ukuveza abo benza urhwaphilizo.

Nangona kumaxesha akutsanje kugxilwe kakhulu kubavezi bobubi kwicandelo likarhulumente, sikwane-tala lokubulela abo bakumacandelo abucala abo

izenzo zabo zingathathel-iwanga ngqalelo, kodwa babalulekile ngokulinganayo.

Abavezi bobubi ngabagcini ababalulekileyo bentando yesininzi yethu. Bahlabu umkhosi ngokuchasene nezenzo nangeendlela zokuziphatha ezingekho mthethweni kurhulu-mente nakwimibutho.

Bathetha phandle ngokuthembekileyo nango-lindeleko olunengqiqo kungekuko kuhela ukuba inyathelo liza kuthathwa ekuvezeni kwabo, kodwa baza kukhuselwa kwaye bangabinakuphathwa gadalala okanye bacalucalwe.

EMzantsi Afrika kukho ukhuseleko olubanzi lomthetho Iwabavezi bobubi, kuquka indlela yomthetho weZibhengezo eziKhuselweyo, umthetho wezoBudle-lwane eMsebenzini, umthetho weeNkampani, ukhuseleko ngokuchasene noMthetho wokuXhatshawa, kunye noMgaqosiseko ngokwawo.

Ukongeza, iSebe lezoBulungisa neeNkonzo zoLuleko, lisebenzisana nezinye iiarhente zogcino-mthetho, lilawula i-Ofisi yoKhuseleko IwamaNgqina ukuba linike inkxaso kumangqina asemngciphekweni noyikiswayo nakweiyiphi na inkqubo yezomthetho.

Ukungena kukhuseleko Iwamangqina kwensiwa ngokuzithandela, kwaye akukho namnye kwi-SAPS okanye i-NPA abanokunya-

nzela ingqina ukuba lenze oko.

Ukuba ingqina lifumana izigrogriso ebomini balo okanye liziva lingakhuselkanga, kufuneka lazise abaphandi kwaye lifake isicelo sokungeniswa kule nkqubo. Le nkqubo inempumelelo idlale indima ebalulekileyo ekuqinisekiseni ukutshutshiswa okunempumelelo ukusukela oko yaqalayo, ingakumbi ngokubheki-sele kulwaphulo-mthetho olulungelelanisiweyo.

Kucacile ukuba njengokuba idabi lokulwa norhwaphilizo lifumana umfutho, kufuneka siyiqwalasele ngokungxamisekileyo indlela yethu yangoku kungekuphela nje ukhuseleko Iwamangqina, kodwa ibelukhuselkoko olubanzi Iwabavezi bobubi kananjalo.

Ngelixa iinkqubo ezinzi-zisekhona ukwenza ukuba abavezi bobubi benze ingxelo ngokufihlakeleyo, kufuneka siqinise iinkqubo eseze zikho kwaye sinikezele ngenkxaso enkulu kwabo

beza phambili esidlangu-leni kunye neenkukacha.

Njengoluntu, kufuneka sichonge apho imithetho ekhoyo kunye nemigaqo-nkqubo zingonelanga ekukhuseleni iindlela zokuziphilisa, udumo kunye nokukhuseleka kwabavezi bobubi kwaye sisebenzisane ekusombuleni ezi zinto.

Iinjongo zabaphuli-mthetho abajolise kubavezi bobubi ayikokuvala umlomo

nje abantu abathile ikwaku-kuthumela umyalezo kwa-banye abantu abazakuba ngabavezi bobubi. Imihla ngemihla, abemmi bo-Mzantsi Afrika abakhaliphileyo abanjengo Babita Deokaran abagungqi kwinto yokuba abazukuba yinxalenye yorhwaphilizo kwaye bakulungele ukunikezela ngobungqina ngokuchasene nalo.

Njengabantu baseMzantsi Afrika simothulela umnqwazi kunye nabo bonke abavezi bobubi kumacandelo karhulumente nawabucala abaveza urhwaphilizo ebaleni. Benza oko ngaphandle kokulindela ukunconywa okanye umvuzo. Okwabo nje lolona hlobi luphezulu lwenkonzo yoluntu.

Asinakho ukubaphoxa. Kufuneka, kwaye siza kuqinisekisa ukuba ukubhengeza kwabo kukhokelela ekutshutshisweni kwaye senza nangakumbi ukuqinisekisa ukuba bakhuselekile ekonzakali-sweni.

Njengabemmi boMzantsi Afrika, sifuna ukuthumela umyalezo oqinileyo wokuba asizukoyikiswa. Abo baphembelela ukubulawa kwamangqina nabavezi bobubi baza kubanjwa kwaye bajongane namandla omthetho, kunye nabo bonke abo bafuyanwe benetyala lalo naluphi na urhwaphilizo oluzanywa ukufihlwangaba babulali.❶

Qaphela iimpawu zezilumkiso zomhlaza wabantwana

INYANGA YOKWAZISA ngoMhlaza waBantwana, eyenzeka rhoqo kweyoMsintsi, iveza ukwaziwa kwemihlaza yabantwana emininzi.



Allison Cooper

Umhlaza wabantwana unyuka kwihiabathi jikelele, ekuqikelelwa ukuba kwisinye sabantwana abangama-408 kwihiabathi lonke sifunyaniswe sinomhlaza ngaphambi kwenyaka eli-15.

Ngokuka-Taryn Seegers, uMquuzeleli wezoNxibelewano kuMbutho woMhlaza

waBantwana waseMzantsi Afrika (i-CHOC), kukholelwa ukuba isibini kwisithathu sabantwana abanomhlaza abalufumanu unyang kwaye amaxesha amaninzi ababalufumanayo sele bekwinqanaba lokugqibela lesi sifo.

Ukusukela ngowama-2011, i-CHOC ibisebenza neSebe lezeMpilo kunye namaxhwele ukunikezelia iingcali zempilo, abasebenzi beze-

mpilo, amaxhwele kunye noluntu ngolwazi lomhlaza wabantwana.

"Aba bantu bafundiswe ngeempawu zezilumkiso zangethuba ze-Siluan kwaye bafunda ngendlela yokwenza lula ukuqonda ulovo olungachanekanga kunye nokubekwa amabala kwiindawo zabahlali," utshilo u-Seegers.

Iimpawu zezilumkiso zangethuba ze-Siluan zezi:

- Fumana uncedo lwezonyango lweempawu zangethuba, ezizingisayo.

- **Ilico:** Ibala elimhlophe esweni, ukufifithekisa, ukungaboni, ikhozo lwelico elithe phuhlu.

- **Iqhuma:** Isisu kunye nesinqe, intloko kunye nentamo, amalungu omzimba, amatyhalarha kunye namdlala.

- **Okungachazekiyo:** Umkhuhlane wexesha elide elingaphezulu kweveki ezimbini, ukuncipha, imbonakalo exwebileyo

engenampilo, ukudinwa, ukugruzuka lula okanye ukopha.

- **Ukuqaqamba:** Amathambamo, amalungu omzimba, umqolo kunye nokwaphuka lula.

- **Iimpawu zemithambo-luvo:** Utshintsho okanye ukujingxela kwindlela ohamba ngayo, uthantamiso okanye intetho, ukubuyela umva koku-khula komntwana, intloko ebuhlungu engaphezulu kweveki ugabha okanye ngaphandle kokugabha kunye nentloko enkulu.

Imihlaza yabantwana

Imihlaza yabantwana yahlukile kwimihlaza echa-phazela abantu abadala. Zisoloko zisenzeka kumalungu omzimba, zikhange-leka ngokwahlkileyo phantsi kwesibonakhulu kwaye zisabela kakuhle kunyango, utshilo u-Seegers. "Amazinga onyango kuninzi lwemihlaza yabantwana aphakame kakhulu

kunalawo omhlaza omninzi wabantu abadala. Namhlanje, kumazwe asakhasayo, uninzi lwemihlaza yabantwana lunokunyangwa ngokuse-benzayo kakhulu, kwaye phakathi kwe-50% ukuya kwi-60% inokunyangwa. Kumazwe anengeniso ephezulu, izinga lokusinda linokubaphakathi kwe-85% ukuya kwi-90%."

Abantwana abaninzi kufune ka bafunyaniswe ngelixa isifo sisekumanqanaba okuqala kwaye bafumane unyango oluchanekileyo – kumaziko onyango akhethe-kileyo ukusuka kwiingcali ezifanelekileyo - ukuba izinga lokusinda kufuneka liphuculwe. ①

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