



# DIE WERKER

Namibia se werkers nuusblad

Uitgawe 9 Junie 2018

## AFTER KEEPING THE WRP OUT OF PARLIAMENT FOR 3 YEARS, SCHLETTWEIN AND KATJAVIVI OPENS FNB ACCOUNT TO STEAL PARTY'S FUNDS OF N\$9,5 MILLION



WRP in Tsumeb protests the FNB's illegal bank account in WRP's name

### Katjavivi on 24 May removed his two agents from the WRP seats as theft of the party's N\$9,5 million parliamentary funds explodes in open

The Workers Revolutionary Party (WRP) won 2 seats in National Assembly elections on 28 November 2018.

The SWAPO through its Speaker Peter Katjavivi denied the WRP its seats and its funds. It occupied the seats with one Kaapala who had resigned from the WRP on 9 May 2015 and one Fleermuys whom the party had expelled in August 2016.

Initially, the overall objective of the SWAPO was to keep the WRP as a workers' party out of parliament. However, it turned into a compulsion by the Speaker to embezzle the total of N\$9,5 million which the party would receive over

the 5 years. This would require a total cancellation of the registration of the party and its displacement by a fraudulent substitute.

In August 2017, the First National Bank Namibia Limited (FNB) in collusion with the Speaker, Peter Katjavivi, opened a bank account fraudulently in the name of the Workers Revolutionary Party (WRP). They used proxies as signatories.

Schlettwein, the Minister of Finance, released funds – which were moved from the ECN to the Ministry of Finance for the purpose – to Katjavivi who had it paid into the bogus account.

Massive amounts were withdrawn from the account

without the necessary documentation and reportedly paid to Katjavivi.

An estimated N\$3,2 million is said to have been misdirected to Katjavivi.

The rest caused a frenzy amongst the proxies. On 7 February 2018 Kaapala took N\$100,000.00, and on 15 February, 8 days later, he took another N\$50,000.00.

One Samakupa took N\$20,000.00. See attached receipts.

Earlier, N\$100,000.00 and N\$70,000.00 had

been paid directly into Kaapala's personal account.

On Wednesday 16 May 2018, Kaapala

and the Anti-Corruption Commission

raided the Okahandja office – which was put up as a money laundering office in the name of the WRP.

The ACC published on public media: "[Anti-Corruption Commission, Republic of Namibia](#)

[Investigators of the Anti-](#)

*Corruption Commission yesterday obtained and executed a search warrant on the offices of the Workers Revolutionary Party at Okahandja Shopping Centre. The search was executed in order to search for and to seize accounting/bookkeeping ledgers journals and documentation following allegations that monies allocated to it by the Government were being withdrawn from their bank account without relevant resolutions, without filing relevant supporting documents, that large cash amounts were withdrawn and allegations of misappropriation of party funding. The investigation continues."*

On 20 and 21 May 2018, the WRP released open



WRP members stopped by the police to march against the FNB in Eenhana on 27 April

## WRP FUNDS OF 9,5 million

statements pointing to the farcical investigation of the ACC and the fact that the office under investigation was a Katjavivi money laundering office run by his agents.

On 21 May 2018, the FNB suspended the account, which it had criminally contrived and mismanaged itself. The bank violated the Financial Intelligence Act of 2012 and the Anti-Corruption Act of 2005.

### VACATION OF SEATS.

On 24 May 2018, Katjavivi removed Kaapala and Fleermuys as the scapegoats.

The removal was signed by one August Maletzky who is currently out on bail on a charge of defrauding an 82-year old Angolan by selling his family home for N\$2,5 million without his knowledge and taking the proceeds.

(He has a further pending case for defrauding a Friendly Society whilst being its CEO).

He is dealing with Katjavivi as an agent to have criminal cases against him squashed. Likewise, he is currying the favours of the President Geingob.

WRP Political Committee that the Secretary of the National Assembly, Ms Lydia Kandetu, is in discussion with the persons which Katjavivi intends to use to fill the WRP seats, including Maletzky. Together, they have usurped the power and the role of the Electoral Commission with the rights of the WRP and its electorate.

### ABSOLUTE COLLAPSE

In the confluence of both political and criminal intent, the SWAPO has driven the issue of depriving the WRP of its rights into a quagmire and cesspool of what would be unthinkable dimensions in a different situation:

The ravages of public money by Schlettwein and Katjavivi and his surrogates, enabled by the First National Bank Namibia Limited, should have suspended any further issuing of money and prosecution of the thieves in terms of both criminal law and the Electoral Act. However, they intend to install new stand-ins to be able to access the account which FNB has put off limits to the scapegoats. FNB makes this clear in its

letter dated 23 May 2018, in which it undertakes to release the money to new claimants in violation of the law which requires an authorised representative registered with the ECN and total withdrawal of funds in terms of the Electoral Act of 2014.

It is unbelievable that simply by erasing two persons from the mismanagement of public funds and they may proceed unperturbed to expend the same public funds.

It is even more unbelievable if one considers that the FNB which is tied to international banking regulations and standards openly states its intention to continue notwithstanding that public money had been misspent and stolen through its collusion.

It rubbishes any iota of ethics, its fiduciary duty to the Namibian people and any morality.

It has come to the attention of the WRP that the SWAPO through its operatives had hurriedly advertised for the post of Chief Electoral Officer to replace the current director of the ECN with the transparent intention to corrupt the registration of the WRP by

force. The advertisement closed within 2 weeks on 28 May 2018.

## COALESCENCE OF CRIMINAL ELEMENTS

Katjavivi has brought together criminal elements including himself and Schlettwein in this political onslaught on the WRP and the working class.

This cesspool of corruption is a window into an incredibly lawless country maintained by scavengers both near and far and wide.

It is the abyss the working class will have to deal with.

### STUPIDITY

The attempts to obliterate the Workers Revolutionary Party to Rebuild the Fourth International is stupid and a project by unthinking elements. The WRP is a history. It is a programme. It is an aspiration independent of the SWAPO and its bogus parliament. Whilst it continues to demand its rights, it will not be snuffed out by their denial.

The WRP has a long history of struggle which expressed the interest of the working class.

Hewat Beukes  
Political Secretary  
On behalf of the WRP  
Political Committee

## **WORKERS REVOLUTIONARY PARTY STATEMENT**

The SWAPO and its colonial and imperialist masters have conspired and contrived to keep the working class out of parliament.

SWAPO is an imperialist agency.

The WRP is a party which has been voted into parliament by the working class on a working class programme.

Its manifesto and its practical work supported:

Workers' struggles against pension fund theft: TCL miners, GIPF (government employees), Fishing workers' pensions; war veterans' pensions;

Struggles of workers in Tsumeb against their illegal eviction from the old con-

tract labour hostels;

Struggles of fishermen against their illegal dismissal and for democratic rights.

The ejection of landless from their legitimate properties in the south;

The struggle for restitution of the expropriation and near extermination of the Herero and Nama nations;

The self-determination of oppressed national groups.

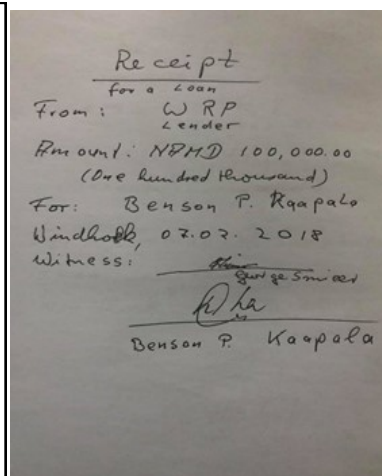
The party works for and supports the struggle of the working people for political power.

It works for working class solidarity amongst all groups, organisations, unions and parties of the working class in Southern Africa and internationally.

That is the reason why the proxy regime of SWAPO is under instruction to keep the WRP out of parliament and use all its State organs to repress the party by repressing the working class.

Whilst for example the Constitution allows for peaceful protests as a fundamental right. This SWAPO regime is using its police to stop protests of the WRP as it has done in Eenhana and Ondangua.

The WRP call on the workers of Southern Africa to support the workers of Namibia against the total suppression of democratic rights.



**A 'receipt' of N\$100,000.00 taken from the illegal account into which Schlettwein and Katjavivi poured Treasury funds on the pretext of WRP payments.**