

SWAPO PARTY STATEMENT ON THE HEINIOUS TERRORIST ATTACKS ON CIVILIANS IN MOSCOW; RELEASED ON BEHALF OF SWAPO PARTY BY COMRADE SOPHIA N. SHANINGWA, SECRETARY GENERAL

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The SWAPO Party has learnt with great shock and dismay, about the heinous terrorist attacks carried out against the people of the Russian Federation in general, and residents of Moscow in particular, on 22 March 2024. The acts of terrorism as reported, resulted in the killing of about 93 civilians and injury of over 100.

The collective leadership of the SWAPO Party and its entire rank and file, condemn in the strongest possible terms, the killing of unarmed civilians of the Russian Federation, by terrorists and assailants who wish to threaten the peace and stability of the Russian Federation, by targeting innocent civilians. Under no circumstances should those who differ with the leadership of the Russian Federation and its ideological position, resort to the killing of innocent and unarmed Russian citizens.

It is our hope that all the criminals who are involved in these shameful and inhumane attacks, are apprehended to account for the immeasurable pain and despair, caused on the people of the Russian Federation and their families. We equally condemn countries, organizations or individuals who are complicit in harbouring terrorists, enabling them to commit such despicable crimes against humanity. The SWAPO Party strongly stand with the people of Russia during this extremely-difficult time.

On behalf of the SWAPO Party Leadership, its entire rank and file and indeed on my own behalf, it is with humility and utmost respect, that I henceforth extend our sincere condolences and deepest sympathies, to the people of the Russian Federation and to all the families who lost their loved ones, in this terrorist attack. We pray for a speedy recovery for those who are injured and are now receiving treatment.

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