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Auditor-General, Kimi Makwetu congratulates Tsakani Maluleke on her recommendation as the AG-elect

PRETORIA – The Auditor-General, Kimi Makwetu has noted today's recommendation of the Ad Hoc Committee on the Appointment of the Auditor-General.

The Committee chaired by Member of Parliament, Nokuzola Gladys Tolashe announced Ms Tsakani Maluleke as the recommended candidate for the position of the Auditor-General (AG) following a rigorous, transparent and open process which included public participation.

In congratulating Tsakani as the recommended candidate for the position of the AG, Makwetu said: "this position requires a delicate balance of often competing priorities. The candidate elect is not short of appreciating this and the steadfast hand required to lead the organisation into the future."

The next steps, in line with the provisions of the constitution, the National Assembly must endorse and recommend the name for the appointment by the President. Upon the President's assent, the recommended candidate will take over the position of the AG.

"I have no doubt that Tsakani, as the recommended candidate, is well equipped to fulfill the functions for the position of the AG as set out in the Public Audit Act," concluded Makwetu.

End.

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