

# EXHIBIT T 25

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INTO

#### AFFIDAVIT

I the undersigned,

#### **BONGIWE EVES DUBE**

do hereby state under oath:

1.

I am an adult female residing in the Gauteng area.

#### 2.

All facts stated herein are, unless the context indicates otherwise, within my personal knowledge and are to the best of my belief both true and correct.

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I was previously employed by Bosasa as a "Unit Leader" (which is essentially a manager" in the kitchens. My work included oversight of staff, working out the specifications for diets, the preparation of food with the chefs and the ordering and receiving of stock.

My history of employment is as follows:

- I joined Bosasa in 2013 and started work at the Johannesburg prison for approximately two months;
- I then moved to the Lindela Reparations Centre ("Lindela") where I worked as a Manager for approximately two years;
- I then moved to the Krugersdorp Prison where I worked for approximately one year, where-after I went back to Lindela for six months; and finally
- I moved to Bosasa's Head Office in late 2016 where I remained until April 2018.

At the Bosasa Head Office, I was running the diner and the kitchen. This was for the staff, guests, meetings and people who attended training. We also provided catering to the training rooms when necessary.

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Mr Allister Esua ("Allister") was in charge at Head Office and I was 2<sup>nd</sup>-in-charge. I took over from Katherine Mathabathe ("Catherine") when she moved to Lindela.

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#### 5.1

#### Deliveries

With regards to deliveries of food, I would receive instructions from either Papa Leshabane or Allister. It is my understanding that in the instances where Allister gave me instructions, he would have received the instructions from someone higher up at Bosasa.

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#### Christmas

Over Christmas time in December, food would be delivered to Nomvula Mokonyane. I know this as in the first December I was at Head Office in 2016, I was on my way to fetch an order from a Butchery called "Food Boys" in Strydom Park, when one of the butchery staff phoned me and asked me about a specific order. They asked me if I knew about it as it was normally dealt with by Catherine every December.

The staff I dealt with at the Butchery were "Precious, Happy and Laura". (*Our note - Food* <u>Boys ...0861 233 663</u>) I phoned Katherine and asked her about the order, whereupon she said I must not deal with the order as that was for Nomvula Mokonyane and she would deal with it. It was a large order of meat, approximately R17 000.00 worth and the butchery staff informed me that the order was already in place.

The same occurred the following year in December 2017 as this was a standing order. Thomas was the driver at Bosasa at the time and he would have made the deliveries. I did not deal with the delivery of any drinks and alcohol to Nomvula Mokonyane.

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**Other deliveries** 

Other deliveries I recall were donations made to the Baragwanath Hospital, the El debar church (I don't know where this church is situated, but I heard that a lady called Cynthia Oliphant and that to join the church you had to pay an amount of R9000.00.) Ms Thandi Makoko, one of the directors of Bosasa's Youth Centre was responsible for organising the donations for the church) and various schools such as Masupatsila primary school in Kagiso.

On other occasions we would prepare an order on instructions and keep it, where-after the driver would come and collect it. We would not know where the order was delivered to.

#### 5.4

#### **Birthdays**

I recall that we did the catering for the birthday of former President Zuma in Pretoria and some of the staff went there to help. The food was prepared in Pretoria and we supplied the drinks and the cake. I am not sure if it was his house or not, but it was somewhere private. That was on the instruction of Allister

#### 5.5

#### Politicians

There were a lot of politicians that came to the Bosasa Head Office and there was a private room for the ANC political party where individuals used to come and have meetings and also prepare for campaigns. We were involved in the catering for these individuals when they were having their meetings.

I recall seeing various politicians at the premises, including Fikile Mbalula, Nomvula Mokonyane and Gwede Mantashe during the busy election period.

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#### **Destruction of documents**

At a certain time when Mr Louis Passano took over the Accounts Department there were a lot of documents burnt at the premises, presumably on his instruction. These were documents from the accounts department and Mr Passano said that they were changing

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offices and changing systems. I did not know why this was necessary, but I saw the documents being burnt.

#### Dismissal

I came to Bosasa through Mr Angelo Agrizzi ("**Mr Agrizzi**") and in 2018, it was common knowledge that Bosasa's management wanted to get rid of all people relating to Mr Agrizzi. This was because there had been a falling-out between them.

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Allister and other staff linked to Mr Agrizzi were removed by early 2018. In this period one of the staff said that I was receiving money from one of the guests and had seen me on the CCTV camera. I informed Bosasa's management that I had received the money for my Avon products I was selling and the person was delivering the money to me. I was however then dismissed for failing to declare my Avon business, which I did in my spare time.

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I know and understand the contents of this statement.

I have no objection to taking the prescribed oath.

I consider the oath to be binding on my conscience.

B.E. DUBE.

Signed

Date: 9090 00-04

I certify that the deponent has acknowledged that she knows and understand the contents of this declaration, which was sworn to before me, and the deponent's signature was placed thereon in my presence at KRUCCRSDOW the OU day of  $FCBRUOR_2019$ .

Signature of Commissioner of Oaths