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CDA GESKOK OOR ESKOM HOOF SE VERGOEDING

“Wanneer die trekpas heel duidelik ‘n ernstige opsie behoort te wees, kry Eskom se grootbaas ‘n verhoging van bykans ‘n miljoen rand per jaar, of te wel 26,7 %. Dit stuur die mees ontstellende boodskap na Suid-Afrikaners wat hard en eerlik werk en sukkel om liggaam en siel aanmekaar te hou.”

So sê ds. Theunis Boths, ondervoorsitter van die Christen Demokratiese Alliansie. “Te midde van ontstellende nuus wat bekend word oor die bestuursvermoë van mnr. Jacob Maroga, kom hierdie nuus. Dit is geen wonder nie dat pres. Jacob Zuma se inbelsentrum op sy eerste dag reeds so deur oproepe met klagtes oorval is nie.”

“Ons vra dat nugterheid so gou as moontlik na die land terugkeer waar daar weer ‘n verband sal wees tussen die werk en loon – ook wat betref die hedendaagse Mandaryne wat so ingeprop word ongeag hul prestasies of wanprestasies.”

CDA SHOCKED BY ESKOM BOSS’ PAYMENT

“When one would have imagined that axing was the obvious outcome, the news breaks that Eskom’s boss has received a salary increase of almost a million rand, or 26,7%. This sends the most alarming message imaginable to South Africans who work hard and honestly, but suffer to make ends meet.”

So says the deputy Chair of the Christian Democratic Alliance (CDA), Rev Theunis Botha, “Amidst very upsetting news casting a shadow over the management abilities of Mr Jacob Maroga, this news broke. No wonder Pres. Jacob Zuma’s toll free service was inundated with calls of dissatisfied people on its first operational day.

“We urge that sanity once again prevails and that we once again have some correlation between work done and remuneration. This must also apply to the present day Mandarins who are apparently well paid irrespective of whether they perform well or make a mess of things.”