### Motion without notice (Unveiling of the Monument for the Delmas Treason Trialists)

01 March 2012

I move without notice, that the House;

**Notes**,
That on the 3rd March 2012, the Mpumalanga Department of Culture, Sport and Recreation will be unveiling the Delmas Treason Trial Monument in honour of the 1985-89 Trialists who were prosecuted for treason under the apartheid regime's security laws. Dr. Goerge Bizoz one of the stalwarts, selfless, dedicated and disciplined cadres of the ANC will deliver a lecture on that day. The Monument is built on the precinct of the Delmas Magistrate's Court. It has been developed to honour the memory of the trialists and to preserve the historic Delmas treason trial.

**Believes,**

That the monument would be a place of commemoration as it represents the triumph against the apartheid regime by a generation of heroes and heroines who played an important role in the liberation struggle. It forms part of the Liberation Heritage Route which seeks to identify, document and commemorate the heroes and heroines of our liberation struggle heritage.

**Further believes,**

That preservation our heritage is significant as it is a manifestation of the freedom of belief and of expression. It is a human right and must be accorded due respect and allowed to flourish. Chapter 2 of our Constitution is clear about this principle.

**Urges,**
All community members to respect and preserve the monument for future generation because it has a significant history in the struggle for liberation for South Africa.

I thank you!