



## Public Notice

### Record clarification regarding 2025 name changes discussion

Issued on behalf of:

**The South African Assembly (c)**  
(TSAA — the Assembly for South Africa)

#### Purpose of this Notice

This Public Notice is issued solely to **complete and clarify the administrative record** regarding a **2025 informal discussion and vote concerning a proposed name change**, and to close any ambiguity arising from an **unsigned, entity-attributed Public Notice** circulated at that time.

This Notice is **not disciplinary, not adversarial**, and is issued **without prejudice**.

#### Limited record background

1. In **2025**, an informal discussion and WhatsApp vote took place regarding a **proposed name change** from **The South African Assembly (c) (TSAA)** to a body styled "**Southern African States Assembly (c)**", also referred to as **SASA**.
2. The discussion and vote were undertaken **in good faith**, and related **only** to a potential name change.
3. At the time of the discussion and vote:
  - No officers were removed
  - No funding was controlled or threatened
  - No records were reassigned
  - No enforcement or governance authority was asserted
4. A Public Notice was later circulated bearing the attribution:  
"**By: The Southern African States Assembly (c)™**"  
That notice was **unsigned, not issued by a named authority**, and **not formally completed or memorialised in the Assembly record**.



### Record clarification

Accordingly, it is hereby clarified for the public record that:

- **The South African Assembly (c) (TSAA) has not undergone a name change**, and continues in uninterrupted continuity under its original name, seal, and public record.
- **The 2025 informal vote and related unsigned Public Notice did not effect a lawful name change.**
- No consolidation, merger, subordination, or authority transfer from TSAA occurred.
- **A body styled "Southern African States Assembly (c)" (SASA) does exist and operates as a separate collaborative forum, independent of TSAA, without continuity, succession, or authority derived from TSAA.**

### Clarification regarding Coordinator awareness

Awareness of, or lack of objection to, the 2025 informal discussion by a Coordinator at the time constituted **good-faith administrative tolerance only**, and did **not** substitute for:

- an Assembly in session,
- a signed Public Notice,
- or formal memorialisation.

Subsequent recognition that the process was informal does **not retroactively fault any participant.**

### Current sstatus

- **TSAA remains TSAA.**
- No name change has taken effect.
- No retroactive ratification is asserted or implied.

Issued for record completion by:

By: *Morne Rabie*

**Morne Rabie**  
Chairman



For and on behalf of  
**The South African Assembly (c)**

*(Custodian of record; no enforcement or political authority implied)*

Date: 19 February 2026

Place: Springs

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