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# IN THE HIGH COURT OF SOUTH AFRICA

## **GAUTENG DIVISION, PRETORIA**

ON THIS THE 03rd DAY OF APRIL 2025 BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUSTICE MECHANIST



#### DIRECTOR GENERAL OF HOME AFFAIRS

#### SECOND RESPONDENT

This Order is made an Order of Court by the Judge whose name is reflected herein, duly stamped by the Registrar of the Court and is submitted electronically to the Parties/their legal representatives by email. This Order is further uploaded to the electronic file of this matter on Case Lines by the Judge or his/her Secretary.

### COURT ORDER

**HAVING** read the documents filed of record, having heard Counsel and considered the matter it is hereby ordered as follows:

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- It is declared that the Applicant is a South African citizen as per section 2(1) of the Citizenship Act 88 of 1995 (SACA).
- That the Applicant's birth be registered in terms of the Births and Deaths
  Registration Act 51 of 1992 (BDRA) and that her details be entered into the
  National Population Register and an identity number assigned to her.
- That the Applicant be issued with a South African birth certificate and a South African Identity document, within 30 days of this order.
- 4. Directing the Respondents to issue a formal, unconditional apology to the Applicant for the harm caused by the Department of Home Affairs maladministration and callous conduct violation of rights suffered by the Applicant.
- Costs of this application on the attorney and client scale including costs of employing two counsels.

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