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Dear Mr. Thalla

ICASA LICENSING AND COMPLIANCE DIVISION V SIYAYA TV (PTY) LTD

CCC CASE NUMBER: 453/2023

1. The above subject matter bears reference.
2. On 24 March 2023, the Licensing and Compliance Division ("the Complainant") lodged a complaint against Siyaya TV ("the Respondent") with the Complaints and Compliance Committee (CCC) in terms of Section 17B (a) of the Independent Communications Authority of South Africa Act No. 13 of 2000.
3. The CCC adjudicated on the matter on 24 July 2024, and made the following ruling for Council's consideration:
 - 3.1 Siyaya failed to comply with Regulation 5(1) of Schedule 1 of the Standard Terms and Conditions for Individual Broadcasting Communications Services Regulation of 2020, as amended, in that it failed to commence operations of the Broadcasting Service specified in the Licence within the specified period.

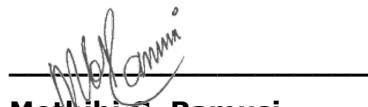
4. At the Council meeting held on 13 August 2024, Council approved the recommendations of the CCC, as outlined in the order hereunder:

4.1 Siyaya tv is directed to desist from further contravention; and

4.2 Siyaya is directed to approach the Authority, within 21 days of the issue of this decision, with a detailed concrete plan as to how it intends to remedy the situation. The plan must be implemented within 12 months of approval by the Authority. Failure to do so will be non-compliance of the Order, which shall entitle the CCC to act in accordance with section 17H(3)(d) of the Act.

5. For your attention, the CCC judgment is attached and marked as **Annexure A**.

Yours Sincerely



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ICASA Chairperson

Date: 13/09/2024

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