



ARISE SOUTH AFRICA

ARISE South Africa Party
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PREAMBLE

The Arise South Africa party is a movement born out of the nation's urgent need to rescue itself from the forces that are holding it back. It was formed in response to an inadequate leadership, growing electricity crisis, rampant crime, unemployment and endemic corruption that has plagued the country.

The main goal of this political party is to bring about far-reaching changes in order to reconstruct South Africa - restoring institutions, moral values, infrastructure, and its people. The Arise South Africa party seeks to lay the foundations for a better future for South Africans and ensure progress through positive transformation.

We believe a state is ready for prosperity and development when it is in pursuit of man's dream or desire for happiness, prosperity, self expression, ecological development, self fulfillment, and his insurable and unending desire for self discovery and maximization of his intellectual, physical and spiritual abilities. All these, man knows he cannot attain or achieve in his isolation, but in his relationships with, like minded creatures. The purpose of the state is to form such associations, providing and establishing justice, domestic tranquility, common defense, promote general welfare, and secure their postulated ethnicity for themselves and their posterity. The laws set by the state should be aimed at protecting its people from harm and providing them with the opportunity to prosper and flourish. Only then can a nation realize its true potential.

The Arise party is passionate about the future of South Africa, believing it to be one of the greatest countries in the world with immense potential. We believe that South Africans are a peculiar nation created to do good works which were prepared in advance for them to do, this proven by the natural resources that lie within the country. It is a nation blessed with abundant natural resources, a majority youth population and a mission to fulfill its predetermined great works. We are committed to unlocking the untapped potential that lies within South Africa, allowing it to become the best country in the world and unleashing hope among all its people.

DEFINITIONS

National People's Assembly (NPA): The NPA is the highest decision-making body of the ASA convened by the Central Command Team every five years and is constituted of delegates, 90% of whom shall be from branches of the **Arise South Africa**. It adopts the credentials, programme, rules, procedures and guidelines of the assembly, discusses political, ideological and policy positions. The NPA also receives a five year report from the Secretary in a form of political, organizational and financial report, and it elects officials and additional members of the CCT.

National General Assembly (NGA): The NGA is a mid-term assembly of the ASA convened through guidelines and delegation determined by the Secretary. It receives political and organizational reports. It discusses political, ideological and policy positions but it does not override the decisions of the previous assembly

Central Command Team (CCT): The CCT of the ASA is made up of elected six officials and additional members, the President and Secretary General of the Women's ASA and Youth ASA Command, Provincial Chairpersons and Secretaries.

Member: Any South African citizen, not limited to any worker, peasant, revolutionary element or employed person, who has reached the age of 16 and who accepts the Constitution of ASA or any person who comes from the African continent or in diaspora, who joins a branch of the organization and works actively in it, carrying out the organization's decisions, observes its discipline and pays membership dues may apply to be a member of the ASA.

Public Representative: A member of the ASA deployed to Parliament, Provincial Legislature or Municipal Council.

ARISE SOUTH AFRICA (ASA) : is the party name and abbreviation

SECTION 1: NAME OF THE ORGANIZATION

ARISE SOUTH AFRICA. (ASA)

SECTION 2: LOGO AND COLORS

SLOGAN : PURSUE, OVERTAKE, RECOVER ALL.

COLORS : RED, YELLOW, GREEN AND GREY.

SECTION 3: THE AIMS & OBJECTIVES OF THE PARTY

3.1. To alleviate poverty, the majority of South Africans live in poverty daily, we want to alleviate poverty by creating a prosperous economy that is inclusive for all.

3.2 To stop unemployment by creating employment in industries that will position South Africa as a leader in business, harnessing mineral and natural resources.

3.3 To deliver to our people a robust bill of rights, a sense of liberty, and freedom of expression.

3.4 To give relevant education to all, no matter the background. Education that is tailored for our economy, our challenges and our current infrastructure.

3.5 To provide basic needs, we believe in upholding each person's bill of rights.

3.6 To empower community building structures and businesses that will enrich the communities.

3.7 To create more business, by preventing raw materials from being exported

3.8 To ensure that each South African has equal opportunity

3.9 To eradicate gender based violence and discrimination

3.10 To Promote the rights of women, children, and people living with disabilities.

- 3.11 To contest elections as a registered political party drawing on our electoral support from South African registered voters.
3. 12 To offer needed business financial support to help promote the spirit of entrepreneurship in the country.
- 3.13 To build and establish new economies that will boost the country's GDP (Gross domestic product).
- 3.14 To encourage international business investments that will boost our country's economy and encourage doing business in South Africa by making sure our laws are favorable for such investments.
- 3.15 To reintroduce our identity as a nation, to promote brand South Africa to our people, give them an identity and bring respect to what it means to be a South African.
- 3.16 To bring unity, love and pride in being born in South Africa and encourage pride in being a South African.
- 3.17 To promote talking our country up, protecting our country's image and our nationhood to the International community and other countries at large.
- 3.18 To ensure that South Africa remains the most developed by providing world class infrastructure and ensure that we remain the most developed economy in Africa.
- 3.19 To encourage a new language that promotes our cultures, our talent, our abilities and our capable workforce to the world.
- 3.20. To establish a Party that stands for Christian principles, freedom of religion, an open market economy, family values, community empowerment and human rights in a federal system.

SECTION 4: CHARACTERS OF THE PARTY

South Africa character is such that we favor and work with the future generation of South Africa, the youth who are the majority. We empower them with opportunities and relevant education.

4.1 Our character is shaped by our belief that South Africa is the best country in the world. The ASA will function in an anti-racist, non-sexist, non-racial democratic manner.

4.2 The ASA believes all members of the party have a voice, freedom of speech, free circulation of ideas and information within the organization. We strive to give everyone opportunities, no matter the gender or color.

4.3 The ASA shall cooperate closely with religious bodies in the country.

4.4 The ASA shall promote individual talent and strategies to ensure that all our People are given the opportunity to maximize their full potential.

4.5 The ASA will ensure an enabling environment for people of South Africa to prosper in their land.

4.6 The ASA will protect South African from all harm that could cause strife, wars and a depressed economy.

4.7 The ASA will ensure that principles that govern success, wellbeing and prosperity for nations are executed and the nation will stand as a united nation.

SECTION 5 : CHARACTERS OF THE PARTY

ASA honors and stands by what they will do to make South Africa the best country in the World:

5.1 Progressive

We believe a state should be dynamic and thriving, to keep up with the times and economic conditions.

5.2 Purpose and values

We believe a state should have a definition of their purpose, for purpose is the guiding light to prosperity. The purpose of nations is the realization of human aspirations. Aspirations for jobs, business, and a better life for all. Through education and culture, we believe we should help our people develop nationhood. Education and culture are the tools we will use to develop purpose, which is nationhood.

5.3 Love and Loyalty

All members must treat each other with love, respect and have loyalty to the party, no member should make another member feel less of what they are, we at the APP believe everyone is the same regardless of the skin color, age and gender, we are all united at APP and we stand for the same course

5.4 Hope and faith

Without hope and faith, no one can move one from the past, we at the ASA know that faith and hope is what is going to fuel our hearts to make sure that we make South Africa a better place, our hope is to see our work in action and make sure we make South Africa a better place.

5.5 Discipline and hard work

All App member must lead by example, we must have discipline and work hard order to achieve the parties goals, we must take our work seriously and make sure that we always give our best, we can not fail our people, especially the people that are looking at the ASA party as their last hope, so we have to make sure that we are well manned, disciplined and hardworking. Always working together to achieve better results.

5.6 Constructive Criticism

The party will accept healthy criticism and the party will work to ensure that the criticism is dealt with and never to be repeated, the party should acknowledge that criticism is another way of growing the party into something that can better every member and South Africa, changes must happen inside the party and overflow into South Africa

SECTION 6: MEMBERSHIP OF THE PARTY

The membership of the ASA so be open to all South Africans above the age of 18 years old who accept the ASA policy and programs and abide by the party constitution

- 6.1 To become a member you must be registered on our website.
- 6.2 Membership joining fee is yet to be set by the executive committee
- 6.3 Members will be active in the party by attending rally's and social events
- 6.4 Members shall not be involved in any other party besides the ASA
- 6.5 Any member of the ASA who disrupt organizational meetings, events and programs have defined himself or herself outside the organization
- 6.6 Membership renewal every 3 years

SECTION 7: RIGHTS OF MEMBERS

- 7.1 Every member will have the right to vote
- 7.2 Every member will have rights to vote and to be voted for
- 7.3 Every member will have the rights to be treated with respect
- 7.4 Every member will be given the right to voice out their options
- 7.5 Every member will have the right to be part of the making decisions and have input on what the party stands for.

SECTION 8: DUTIES AND OBLIGATIONS OF THE MEMBER

- 8.1 Every member will have to be loyal to the party
- 8.2 Respect the party
- 8.3 Hold the party with pride and make sure that the party is well preserved
- 8.4 Make sure that the code of conduct and policies are well maintained
- 8.5 Every member will promote and provide their input to make sure that the party does not fail
- 8.6 Members of the party are also encouraged to learn and educate themselves with information that will serve the party in a positive manner.
- 8.7 Every member will also fight to help to turn South Africa into a better place

SECTION 9: HEADQUARTERS OF THE PARTY

4th Floor, Menlyn Corporate Park, Pretoria, Gauteng, South Africa.

SECTION 10: STRUCTURES AND ORGANS

- 10.1 The National Executive Conference - Central Executive Committee
- 10.2 The Provincial Conference - Provincial Executive Committee
- 10.3 The Regional Conference - Regional Executive committee
- 10.4 The Branch Conference - Branch Manager

SECTION 11 : YOUTH ARISE

We strive to empower the Youth, the young generation that wishes to join the ASA will be given a chance to do so, memberships will be open to the youth of South Africa, this will help to educate and teach the youth in the different structures of the party, this will also empower the younger generation to be more active the party

11.1 The Youth programme shall be open to all persons between the ages of 14 (fourteen) and 35 (thirty five) years

11.2 Parents and Guardians should be active member should you want to join the Youth ASA

11.3 A member of the Youth ASA shall not be eligible for election to any position as office-bearer of the ASA or to attend ASA conferences, members' or executive meetings of the ASA (unless specially invited), unless he or she is a full member of the ASA and is over the age of eighteen.

SECTION 12 : WOMAN ARISE

We believe that women of South Africa are not treated equally, the Woman ASA, will be teaching woman to be more active in business and empowering them take part in social development, business education, self defensive and self awareness

12.1 The Woman ASA shall be open to anyone that is interested in

12.2 Full membership will be required

12.3 The woman ASA will also be allowed to take party in all the ASA events

12.4 The women ASA will make sure that the rights and responsibilities of women are well taken care of.

SECTION 13 : PROVINCES

For purposes of ASA structures, the country shall be divided into the following provinces, which shall be demarcated to correspond strictly to the provincial boundaries established in the South African constitution

- 13.1 Gauteng
- 13.2 Limpopo
- 13.3 North West
- 13.4 Free State
- 13.5 Western Cape
- 13.6 Northern Cape
- 13.7 Mpumalanga
- 13.8 KwaZulu - Natal
- 13.9 Eastern Cape



SECTION 14 : NATIONAL GENERAL ASSEMBLY A F R I C A

14.1 The national General Assembly shall be made up elected members that will be voted and placed by the party

14.2 NGA receives political and organizational reports.

14.3 NGA will be the highest part of the party.

NATIONAL SECRETARY DUTIES

- To keep an up-to-date list of names, addresses and telephone numbers of committee and ordinary members of the organization.
- To keep careful, orderly records of the organization's work. This will involve: • writing the minutes (unless there is a Minutes Secretary);
- Filing all committee correspondence received and copies of replies sent, in their date order;
- Filing reports received and made;
- Keeping a record of any of the organization's publications, i.e. leaflets and newsletters, and reporting the activities of the organization and future programmes to the press - unless there is an Information or Publicity Officer.
- To compile lists of addresses which are useful to the organization, and to keep a record of the name of appropriate officials, or officers of voluntary organizations.
- To keep a diary of future activities of the organization, and a record of previous activities. To prepare a report of the organization's activities for the year, for the Annual General Meeting.

NATIONAL DEPUTY SECRETARY DUTIES

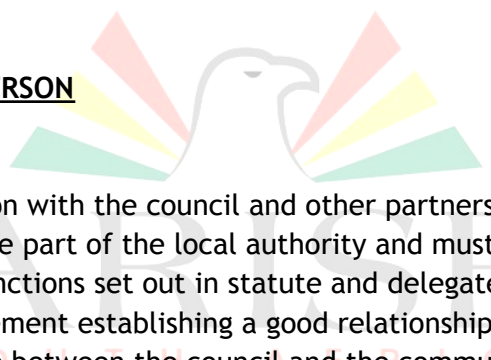
- answering calls, taking messages and handling correspondence
- maintaining diaries and arranging appointments
- typing, preparing and collating reports
- filing
- organizing and servicing meetings (producing agendas and taking minutes)
- managing databases
- prioritizing workloads
- implementing new procedures and administrative systems
- liaising with relevant organizations and clients
- coordinating mail-shots and similar publicity tasks
- logging or processing bills or expenses
- acting as a receptionist and/or meeting and greeting clients
- if more senior, recruiting, training and supervising junior staff



NATIONAL CHAIRPERSON

- Providing leadership for the trustees, enabling the board to act strategically to meet both policies and priorities;
- Planning the annual cycle of board meetings
- To liaise closely with the secretary about dates, arrangements and agendas for committee meetings;
- Chairing board meetings;
- Monitoring that decisions taken at meetings are implemented;
- Representing the organizational functions, meetings and acting as a spokesman as appropriate

NATIONAL DEPUTY CHAIRPERSON

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- To work in cooperation with the council and other partners.
 - Community boards are part of the local authority and must work within the framework of the powers and functions set out in statute and delegated by the council.
 - To meet with management establishing a good relationship.
 - To act as an interface between the council and the community when required.
 - The Deputy Chairperson should listen to the diversity of viewpoints and concerns in their community and elected members, represent and communicate these to the council, and work towards a common understanding.
 - To attend formal and informal meetings of the community board and any other bodies the member has been asked to serve on.

NATIONAL TREASURER

- Ensuring sufficient cash and funding, identifying and mitigating against financial risks, encouraging a culture of sound financial practice.
- Cash management: arranging the physical movement of cash, selecting and managing an efficient bank account structure, managing receipts and payments, investing surplus funds, arranging borrowing facilities.
- Liquidity management: assessing requirements, ensuring sufficient cash or borrowing facilities.
- Funding management: identifying needs, advising on sources of funding, negotiating with lenders, managing the funding obtained, developing and maintaining relationships with external bodies.
- Risk management: identifying, analyzing and mitigating against financial risks, implementing a risk management policy, assisting in or leading risk management activities.
- Supporting the underlying business: understanding how the business works, contributing to business decisions.

SECTION 15: PROVINCIAL GENERAL ASSEMBLY

The Provincial General Assembly Team shall be made up of the Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson, Secretary, Deputy Secretary and Treasurer and additional members elected at the ASA members events, plus the elected Regional Chairpersons and Secretaries in the Province, and the Provincial Chairpersons and Secretaries of the Women's ASA and Youth ASA

- The Provincial General Assembly is to meet twice a month to discuss changed and development
- The Provincial General Assembly will also follow the code of conduct and adhere to the policies and rules of the party
- The party may replace the chairperson, secretary , deputy secretary and additional members, should there be death , resignation and also change of party involvement
- The Provincial Secretary shall be full time employment that will be handling provincial matters.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY

- answering calls, taking messages and handling correspondence
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- managing databases
- prioritizing workloads
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- if more senior, recruiting, training and supervising junior staff.

SECTION 16 : REGIONS

For purposes of the ASA, regions are demarcated alongside District or Metropolitan Municipalities, or on demarcation

16.1 The region will have a committee that will be working in that specific region

16.2 The regions will hold meetings as per the instructions of the national assembly

16.3 The region will have guidelines and responsibilities to adhere to

16.4 The code of conduct must be followed by the regions at all times

SECTION 17 : CODE OF CONDUCT AND DISCIPLINE

- Each member shall adopt the code of conduct which will be the ASAs guide on how to handle discipline and issue internally
- The code of conduct will will be conduct will be consistent with the constitution of the ASAs
- The code of conduct will be guidelines and rules that all members of the ASA should respect and follow, should the issues not be solved internally, the party may request legal actions

SECTION 18 : DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE

- The quorum for any sitting of the DC shall be 3 (three) of the members appointed in terms one of whom shall chair the relevant disciplinary proceedings in the absence of the designated Chairperson of the DC.
- Hear and adjudicate upon any violation or act of misconduct
- Where the NDC acts as a disciplinary tribunal of first instance, it shall have the competence to impose the following sanctions:
 - a fine
 - a reprimand
 - payment of compensation
 - performance of useful tasks
 - remedial action
 - suspension of membership
 - expulsion from the ASA
 - in the case of a public representative, cancellation or suspension of his or her contract of deployment and/or removal from any list or instrument which entitles such person to represent the ASA

SECTION 19 : FINANCE DIRECTOR/FUNDRAISER COMMITTEE

19.1 The finance director is responsible for raising the money that will allow the campaign to accomplish its goals.

19.2 The finance director works closely with the candidate, campaign manager and a finance committee to meet the financial goals of the party .

19.3 They are in charge of keeping the candidate on track with fundraising, preparing for and staffing call time, and overseeing all fundraising events.

19.4 A good fundraiser must be highly organized, outgoing and willing to push the candidate and campaign toward meeting their fundraising goals.

COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR/PRESS COMMITTEE

- The communications director is in charge of all of the party's interactions with the media.
- They build relationships with the press, communicate with the media as the key spokesperson, set up interviews and identify media opportunities for the campaign.
- They may help write and develop party literature, draft speeches for the candidate and create copy for the party website.
- The communications director should have prior experience and contacts with the media, be a good writer and communicator, and be a proactive thinker

ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

- The campaign manager oversees all aspects of the campaign including day-to-day operations, the hiring and management of staff, the coordination and implementation of the fundraising operations and ongoing coordination with the candidate.
- They are also responsible for creating and managing the party budget.
- Campaign managers must have excellent organizational skills, be level-headed, have

good interpersonal skills and not be afraid of raising money

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

- This department is responsible for organizing events, campaigns, recruiting volunteers and mobilizing support among citizens to promote ideas that the party believes in
- Additionally, they work closely with other departments to coordinate their efforts

STRATEGY AND RESEARCH COMMITTEE

- This department provides research to inform party platforms and strategies on various social, economic, and political issues.
- The Research Department is responsible for researching and gathering data related to policies relevant to the party's objectives, analyzing external factors that may impact their decisions and strategies, preparing reports on key issues facing their constituencies, and informing policy decisions based on their research findings

FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE

- This department is responsible for raising funds for operations as well as campaigns through activities such as organizing fundraisers or soliciting donations from individuals and businesses.
- They also handle sponsorships from corporations or other entities interested in supporting particular projects or initiatives associated with the party's operations

THE ELECTORAL COMMITTEE

The EC shall appoint an Electoral Commission of not fewer than 3 (three) members whose task it shall be:

- To prepare the ballot papers
- To make provision for ballot boxes or other means of secret voting
- To create machinery for the counting of ballot papers and the effective supervision of the counting of votes
- To announce the results of all ballots and make known the number of votes received by each successful candidate
- To establish procedures for voting and to determine any dispute raised in regard to elections and election procedures, and to determine how any tied vote should be resolved.

