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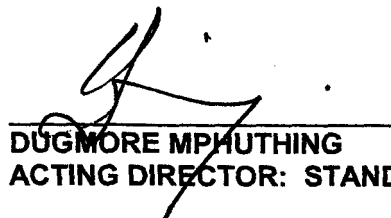> *Attention: Mr.* Eddie *Brown*
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SOUTH AFRICAN QUALIFICATIONS AUTHORITY

UNIT STANDARD:

SAQA US ID	*UNIT STANDARD TITLE*	
119660	Assist with human rights and democracy advocacy initiatives	
SGB NAME	*NSB 07*	*PROVIDER NAME*
SGB Democracy, Human Rights, Peace and Elections	Human and Social Studies	
UNIT STANDARD TYPE	*FIELD DESCRIPTION*	*SUBFIELD DESCRIPTION*
Regular	Human and Social Studies	People/Human-Centred Development
ABET BAND	*CREDITS*	*NQF LEVEL*	*UNIT STANDARD TYPE*
			Regular

SPECIFIC OUTCOME   1

Distribute advocacy materials for human rights and democracy initiatives.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME   2

Marshall and usher participants during advocacy events.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME   3

Assist with petitions.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME   4

Assist with the venue preparation of an advocacy initiative.

SOUTH AFRICAN QUALIFICATIONS AUTHORITY

UNIT STANDARD:

Demonstrate awareness of the foundations of human rights and democracy

11966	Demonstrate awareness of the fo i f human rights and democ		
SGB NAME	**NSB 07**	**PROVIDER NAME**	
SGB Democracy, Human Rights, Peace and Elections	Human and Social Studies		
UNIT STANDARD N P E	**FIELD DESCRIPTION**	**SUBFIELD DESCRIPTION**	
Regular	Human and Social Studies	Public Policy, Politics and Democratic Citizenship	
ABET BAND	**CREDITS**	**NQF LEVEL**	**UNIT STANDARD TYPE**
Undefined	7	Level 4	Regular

SPECIFIC OUTCOME   1

Describe the history and struggle for human rights in South Africa.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME   2

Explain how the Constitution and Bill of Rights promotes and supports human rights and democracy within South Africa.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME   3

Describe and explain human rights and democratic principles and values in South Africa.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME   4

Outline the influence of historical events and violations internationally and regionally on the development of universal human rights.

SOUTH AFRICAN QUALIFICATIONS AUTHORITY

UNIT STANDARD:

Facilitate community access to human rights services

SAQA US ID	UNIT STANDARD TITLE		
119663	Facilitate Community access to human rights services		
SGB NAME	**NSB 07**		**PROVIDER NAME**
SGB Democracy, Human Rights, Peace and Elections	Human and Social Studies		
UNIT STANDARD TYPE	**FIELD DESCRIPTION**		**SUBFIELD DESCRIPTION**
Regular	Human and Social Studies		Public Policy, Politics and Democratic Citizenship
ABET BAND	**CREDITS**	**NQF LEVEL**	**UNIT STANDARD TYPE**
Undefined	7	Level 2	Regular

SPECIFIC OUTCOME 1

Describe and explain the term "community access to human rights services".

SPECIFIC OUTCOME 2

Promote awareness of community access to human rights services.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME 3

Identify and describe the human rights-related needs of the community.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME 4

Identify service providers to meet human rights-related needs of the community.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME 5

Facilitate steps for community access to human rights and democratic participation.

SOUTH AFRICAN QUALIFICATIONS AUTHORITY

UNIT STANDARD:

Demonstrate understanding of the concept of human rights and democracy and its application in society

SAQA US ID	UNIT STANDARD TITLE	
119665	Demonstrate understanding of the concept of human rights and democracy and its application in society	
SGB Democracy, Human Rights, Peace and Elections	Human and Social Studies	
UNIT STANDARD TYPE	FIELD DESCRIPTION	SUBFIELD DESCRIPTION
Regular	Human and Social Studies	Public Policy, Politics and Democratic Citizenship
ABET BAND	CREDITS	NQF LEVEL	UNIT STANDARD TYPE
Undefined	12	Level 5	Regular

SPECIFIC OUTCOME 1

Demonstrate understanding of the different schools of thought in the human rights and democratic field.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME 2

Provide a historical perspective of human rights and democracy.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME 3

Describe the instruments that developed in response to human rights violations.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME 4

Demonstrate understanding of the principles and values of human rights and democracy.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME 5

Analyse recent responses to human rights violations within the African regional system.

SOUTH AFRICAN QUALIFICATIONS AUTHORITY

UNIT STANDARD:

SAQA US ID	*UNIT STANDARD TITLE*		
119662	Describe the relevance of human rights and democratic practices in South African society		
SGB NAME	*NSB 07*		*PROVIDER NAME*
SGB Democracy, Human Rights, Peace and Elections	Human and Social Studies		
UNIT STANDARD TYPE	*FIELD DESCRIPTION*		*SUBFIELD DESCRIPTION*
Regular	Human and Social Studies		Public Policy, Politics and Democratic Citizenship
ABET BAND	*CREDITS*	*NQF LEVEL*	*UNIT STANDARD TYPE*
Undefined	*8*	Level 4	Regular

SPECIFIC OUTCOME   1

Describe the transformative significance of human rights and democratic practices.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME   2

Describe the role of the State in providing and promoting human rights and democratic practices.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME   3

Describe the role of other actors in providing and promoting human rights and democratic practices.

SOUTH AFRICAN QUALIFICATIONS AUTHORITY

UNIT STANDARD:

Conduct an assessment of human rights and democracy practices in communities

SAQA US ID	UNIT STANDARD TITLE		
119664	Conduct an assessment of human rights and democracy practices in communities		
SGB NAME	**NSB 07**		**PROVIDER NAME**
SGB Democracy, Human Rights, Peace and Elections	Human and Social Studies		
UNIT STANDARD TYPE	**FIELD DESCRIPTION**		**SUBFIELD DESCRIPTION**
Regular	Human and Social Studies		Public Policy, Politics and Democratic Citizenship
ABET BAND	**CREDITS**	**NQF LEVEL**	**UNIT STANDARD TYPE**
Undefined	12	Level 5	Regular

SPECIFIC OUTCOME   1

Plan and prepare for assessment of human rights and democracy practices.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME   2

Conduct a situational and needs analysis of the community with respect to human rights and democracy practices.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME   3

Make recommendations on human rights and democracy practices for sustainability.

SOUTH AFRICAN QUALIFICATIONS AUTHORITY

UNIT STANDARD:

SAQA US ID	UNIT STANDARD TITLE	
119659	Examine law and structures in terms of their promotion of human rights and democracy	
SGB Democracy, Human Rights, Peace and Elections	Human and Social Studies	
UNIT STANDARD TYPE	FIELD DESCRIPTION	SUBFIELD DESCRIPTION
Regular	Human and Social Studies	Public Policy, Politics and Democratic Citizenship
ABET BAND	CREDITS	NQF LEVEL	UNIT STANDARD TYPE
Undefined	8	Level 5	Regular

SPECIFIC OUTCOME   1

Examine law in terms of human rights and democratic principles and values.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME   2

Examine structures in terms of human rights and democratic principles and values.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME   3

Identify the human rights and democracy gaps in statutory **law** and structures.