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PROGRAMME : PUBLIC COLLOQUIUM

Mobilising Climate Action: The Role of Technology in Addressing Just Transition and Loss and Damage Wednesday, 22 May 2024 @ 09:00 – 15:30: Quest Conference Estate, Vanderbijlpark

	Facilitator: George Mvalo- Director Social Justice 8	
Time	Activity	Person Responsible
08:00-09:00	Arrival & registrations	
09:00-09:30	Opening Remarks & Overview	 Prof Khehla Ndlovu- VUT Vice Chancellor & Principal Dr Shafick Adams- PCC Commissioner (Executive Manager at the Water Research Commission
09:30-10:30	Presentation: Technology For Just Transition	 Ms Simphiwe Ngwenya- Programme Manager, Mitigation, PCC Prof Khaled Abou-El- Hossein: Executive Dean, Faculty of Engineering & Technology (VUT)
10:30-11:00	Tea Break	
11:00-12:00	Presentations Innovative Technologies and Indigenous Knowledge Systems in Mitigating Loss & Damage 	 Ms Makoma Lekalakala, PCC Commissioner, Director, Earth life Africa Prof Kaitano Dube- Research Professor (VUT)
12:00-13:00	Presentations Financing for Technologies and Infrastructure for Adaptation and Mitigation 	 Ms Mandy Jayakody: Manager Just Urban Transition, PCC Dr Mohau Phiri: Senior Lecturer- Chemistry (VUT) Ms Sisamkele Mdoda: Master's Student- Tourism Management (VUT)
13:00-14:00	LUNCH	MEDIA INTERVIEWS
14:00-15:00	Presentations Developing Policy and Research Approaches to Climate Agenda 	Ms Yuri Ramkissoon- Climate & Research Analyst, PCC Prof George Ochieng: Academic HOD- Civil & Building Engineering (VUT)
15:00-15:15	VUT/PCC Joint Communique: Key Outcomes and	VUT/PCC Colloquium
	Way Forward	Rapporteurs
15:15- 15:30	Closing Remarks and Vote of Thanks	Dr Susanna Burger: Acting Director – Research