

## SOUTH AFRICAN UNITED BUSINESS CONFEDERATION

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SOUTH AFRICAN UNITED BUSINESS CONFEDERATION (SAUBC) SENDS CONDOLENCES TO THE MABUZA FAMILY

The South African United Business Confederation (SAUBC) is deeply saddened by the passing of former Eskom Chairperson and businessman, Dr. Jabu Mabuza. Dr. Jabu Mabuza passed away last night due to Covid-19 related complications.

President of SAUBC, Mr. George Sebulela said "the SAUBC conveys its deepest heartfelt condolences to his family, friends and colleagues who have all been touched by his life and death. Moreover, the passing of Dr. Mabuza is a loss for South Africa as he was a man who committed to the change the South African economy." Mr. George Sebulela further reiterated that as a former Board Member of Eskom, he has worked with Dr. Jabu Mabuza and his commitment and contribution were immense.

Mr. George Sebulela added, "Dr. Jabu Mabuza was a trailblazer in business, an exemplary and charismatic leader whose humility exemplified human based leadership. We are deeply saddened by this loss as colleagues and South Africa at large".

Dr. Jabu Mabuza served on several national and international companies' boards in various industries. In 2017, the University of Witwatersrand awarded him with an Honorary Doctor of Commerce degree in recognition of his entrepreneurship achievements and his contribution to the South African economy.

"We urge the nation to continue the increased awareness of hygiene, staying at home, sanitize, play their part and assist government, strategic stakeholders who have volunteered to help contain the spread of this deadly virus", Mr. George Sebulela concluded.

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## What is SAUBC

South Africa United Business Confederation (SAUBC) is a non-profit & non-racial, business & economic federation that represents cross-cutting business interests in South Africa. SAUBC consists of members representing Export Councils, Industry Associations and Joint Groups (Business Chambers)

## **ECONOMIC PROFILE OF SAUBC**

ECONOMIC FACT SHEET OF SAUBC

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BUSINESSES

Joint Groups Members, Export Council Members & Industry Association Member

over

1. 2M

DUSINESSES

OVER ONE POINT TWO MILLION
BUSINESSES REPRESENTED

MEMBERSHIP NUMBERS

Joint Groups, Export Councils & Industry Associations

67

OVER SIXTY SIX MEMBER ORGANISATIONS EMPLOYMENT CREATED

Total number of Employees employed

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million employees MEMBER EXPORTS

Total value of exports by SAUBC members

20 BILLION

worth in US Dollars



