



The World Federation
of Right to Die Societies
Ensuring Choices for a Dignified Death



Sean Davison, President Jeanne Arthur, secretary Jean-Jacques Bise, treasurer

Amsterdam, December 2018

To all concerned readers,

Dear colleagues,

The World Federation of Right to Die Societies' committee wishes to draw your attention to the arrest of our President Sean Davison on the charge of premeditated murder of 43-year-old doctor Anrich Burger who was left a quadriplegic after an accident in 2005. Anrich Burger's death occurred in 2013.

A second charge of premeditated murder has been added in November and a third is expected later in January 2019.

The Committee published a statement – see on our website <https://www.worldrtd.net/news/wfrtds-published-statement-regarding-arrest-sean-davison> - and has been in communication with Sean himself, with Dignity SA and Sean's lawyer Sally Buitendag (Rogers), to offer our support for the trial that will follow.

Mrs Buitendag let us know that

- a. Currently there are two charges of premeditated murder, which constitutes a Schedule 6 offence. If found guilty, the minimum sentence is life in prison. A judge may deviate from the prescribed sentence when it is proven that "*substantial and compelling circumstances*" exist.
- b. Due to a number of issues, a silent stance is being undertaken at this early stage, without any media interviews or the like being granted. We trust that you appreciate such approach during this sensitive period.

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- c. As soon as we are better placed, and with Prof Davison's consent, we will provide a substantial update.

And of course, currently Sean is still free on bail.

We agreed with Mrs. Buitendag on the establishment of a special Trust Account (details below), holding funds that are raised for Sean's defence.

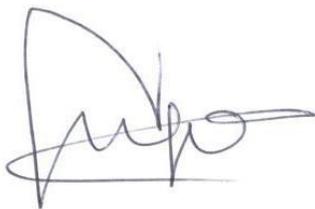
The Committee asks you to seriously consider a contribution into this Trust Account, and further continues to discuss possible other ways for support.

Attorney Trust Account details are (please use when paying the *Ref: details*):

Account Holder name	Nkosi Rogers Attorneys & Conveyancers
Account holder address	971 Kudu St, Allen's Nek 1709 Roodepoort, South Africa
Bank Name	First National Bank
Accountnumber international	25065562421082603
SWIFT code	FIRNZAJJXXX
Branch code	250655
Account type	Cheque (trust)
Branch name	Clearwater
Branch address	Shop LMO14, Clearwater Mall St 1709 Roodepoort, South Africa
Reference nr.	DO33/WFRtDS

Keep an eye on our website, since we will try to keep you up to date as much as possible,

Best wishes and thank you, on behalf of Sean,



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