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**Attention: All Editors  
For Immediate Release**

### **RESPONSE TO SUNDAY TIMES ARTICLE**

The University of Fort Hare has taken note of the article in the *Sunday Times* dated 11 October 2020 and wants to put the following facts on record:

Ms S Gomba is currently not a registered student of the University of Fort Hare. She enrolled for a B Admin (Honours) programme in 2013 and was last registered in 2015.

Her admission to the B Admin (Honours) programme in 2013 was irregular, as it was not preceded by the submission and approval of a portfolio of evidence (POE) as part of the Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) process.

The University is addressing the infringement of its rules for admission.

Our rules are clear and any identified transgression will be addressed procedurally through formal University processes.

**Issued on behalf of the University Management**

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