

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SOUTH AFRICA  
(CAPE OF GOOD HOPE PROVINCIAL DIVISION)

Case no: 2807/05

In the matter between:

TREATMENT ACTION CAMPAIGN

Applicant

and

MATTHIAS RATH

First Respondent

DR RATH HEALTH FOUNDATION

Second Respondent

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CONFIRMING AFFIDAVIT

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I, DAPHNE BRYANT, affirm and say:

1. I am an adult female, a medical technologist employed as Laboratory Controller by National Health Laboratory Services at Greenpoint Complex, Portswood Road, Greenpoint, Cape Town.
2. On 26 May 2003 I encountered a crowd of African women protesters on the Parade all wearing Applicant's 'HIV positive' tee-shirt.
3. I enquired from a marshal what the protest was about and was told that it was to support eighteen members of Applicant, who were appearing in court for having illegally occupied a police station in March.

4. Noticing the protesters huddled in a group, I wormed my way through to the centre to find out what was going on.
5. There I saw the protesters being paid R100 each by the protest marshals from big wads of notes after their names and telephone numbers were entered on a list on a clipboard.
6. Amazed by what I was seeing, I asked one of the marshals what this money was for, and was told it was 'for transport and refreshments'.

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DAPHNE BRYANT

SIGNED AND AFFIRMED BEFORE ME IN THE PRESCRIBED MANNER AT CAPE TOWN ON THIS     DAY OF APRIL 2005, THE DEPONENT HAVING STATED THAT HE HAS CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTIONS TO TAKING THE OATH AND THAT HE REGARDS THE AFFIRMATION AS BINDING ON HIS CONSCIENCE.

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COMMISSIONER OF OATHS