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"Het geld", moet mors – CDP

"Die ANC se gebrekkige prestasies oor die afgelope 17 jaar is selfverduidelikend," aldus ds. Theunis Botha. "Wat die regering ook al aanpak, het die land nader en nader aan die situasie in die res van Afrika gesleep waar 'n handjievol ryk bevoorregtes die septer sonder deernis of gewete oor die armes swaai." So sê ds. Theunis Botha, leier van die Christen-Demokratiese Party met verwysing na 'n ander mediaverklaring wat pas uitgereik is.

"Pas na die CDP gereageer het op die vermorsing van belastingebetalersgeld vir 'n vloot blink wiele vir die president se harem, of laat blyk die president sy verwronge sin vir fondse wat ten bate van hom en sy meelopers aangewend word. Nou het dit aan die lig gekom dat meer as R350 miljoen oor drie jaar toegewys is om die ministeriële landgoed op te gradeer."

"Blykbaar sluit dit 'n militêre gesondheidsfasiliteit wat oor drie jaar R62 miljoen gaan kos in wat tot die beskikking van die president, sy ministers en besoekende BBP's sal wees. Hoe is dit moontlik dat soveel geld aan 'n fasiliteit gespandeer gaan word wat klaarblyklik net 'n paar tot voordeel gaan wees, terwyl soveel landsburgers geen gesondheidsgeriewe het nie?" wil Botha weet.

"Have money," – must blow it - CDP

Quoting from a previous communiqué, sent out by the Christian Democratic Party, the leader Rev Theunis Botha said that, "The ANC government's record for the past 17 years speaks for itself. Whatever it has put its hand to, has brought the country closer to becoming like so many others in the rest of Africa, where a rich elite rules over the poverty stricken without conscience or consideration."

"No sooner had the CDP reacted to the wasteful expenditure of taxpayers money on a fleet of cars as well as security for Zuma's harem, than the President once again revealed his warped perception concerning public money and that is that it is there to benefit him and his elite cronies. This time it has come to light that more than R350 M has been allocated over three years to upgrade the ministerial estate. This evidently includes an executive military health facility, at a cost of R62m over three years, which will serve the President, cabinet ministers and visiting VIP's."

"The question that needs to be asked," Botha said, "is, why so much money is being spent on a facility that will obviously benefit so few, when there are so many in the country that still have no health facilities available to them at all?"