

## **CDP Comment on the Return to Covid-19 Level 3 lockdown in South Africa**

The CDP, speaking for suppressed minority ethnic groups in South Africa, is more than concerned about the timing, ethics and economic effect of the announcement on 28 December that returns SA to a Level 3 lockdown to counter a so called second wave of Covid-19 infections! Why had the draconic Covid-19 countering procedure since March 2020 up to now not worked? Same methodology and further damage to the SA economy with increasingly severe suffering for already strained business and individuals, will only give the same or worse results. Two aspects come to the fore, namely that the 1980s culture of freedom before education is still leading to reckless freedom before Covid-19 education, and that the governments blame is wrongly placed before law-abiding citizens and businesspeople. Secondly that ANC leadership commentary after the address by President Ramaphosa, made sweeping statements on TV about good Christians, good Muslims and good Jews being super spreaders of the Covid-19 virus as yet not isolated and clearly identified, by implication. The CDP must voice a strong concern for much more scientific, specific and audited approaches to counter the Covid-19 threat in South Africa!

## **CDP Kommentaar rondom die terugkeer na Vlak 3 begrening vir Covid-19**

Die CDP, ten behoeve van onderdrukke minderheidskultuurgroepe in Suid Afrika, is meer as besorg oor die tydsberekening, etiek en ekonomiese effek van die aankondiging wat op 28 Desember gemaak is om SA terug te plaas op Vlak 3 begrening n.a.v. 'n sogenaamde tweede golf van verhoogde Covid-19 infeksies! Waarom het al die drakoniese Covid-19 teenmaatreëls sedert Maart 2020 dan nie gewerk nie? Dieselfde metodiek en nog meer skade aan die ekonomie en ontbering vir individue of besighede, sal net dieselfde of nog meer skadelike resultate lewer. Twee aspeke staan uit, naamlik dat die kultuur van Vryheid voor Opvoeding uit die 1980s steeds vandag nog lei tot onverskillige vryheid voor Covid-19 opvoeding, en dat die regering blaam verkeerdelik aan wetsgehoorsame burgers en besigheidsmense toedig. Tweedens het ANC leierskap na Staatspresident Ramaphosa se toespraak op TV, wydvegende opmerkings gemaak dat goeie Christene, goeie Moslems en goeie Jode by implikasie super-verspreiders van die Covid-19 virus, wat steeds nie oortuigend geïsoleer is, uitmaak. Die CDP kan nie anders as om 'n groot kommer te uiter vir meer wetenskaplike, spesifieke en verbeterde oudit rondom benaderings om die Covid-19 bedreiging die hoof te bied in Suid Afrika!