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CDP on arms deal investigation

"The Christian Democratic Party (CDP) welcomes President Zuma's announcement that there is, at long last, going to be a new enquiry into the controversial arms deal. We can only hope that the investigation, which is going to cost taxpayers R40M, will be money well spent" said Rev Theunis Botha Leader of the Party.

"The CDP, however, regards it as problematic that the commission's interim as well as final reports will have to go to the President first, before it is released to the public. We can only hope that, this time, we will receive a believable report.

CDP oor wapenondersoek

"Die Christen-Demokratiese Party (CDP) verwelkom pres. Jacob Zuma se aankondiging dat daar, uiteindelik 'n nuwe ondersoek na die omstrede wapentransaksie sal wees. Ons kan maar net vertrou dat die ondersoek, wat die belastingbetalers R40 miljoen gaan kos, waarde vir geld sal bied," sê ds. Theunis Botha, leier van die CDP.

"Die CDP beskou dit egter as problematies dat die kommissie se tussentydse sowel as finale verslae aan die president voorgelê moet word voor dit aan die publiek bekend gemaak sal word. Ons vertrou dat ons dié keer insae in 'n geloofwaardige verslag sal hê."