







In just three years, President Ramaphosa has **rebuilt the institutions** that were weakened by state capture.

- Appointed **new leadership** through a transparent process to rebuild SARS, the NPA and the Hawks.
 Since 2018, the Hawks have secured 4,500 convictions for corruption and other priority crimes.
- Established the NPA Investigating Directorate
 to prosecute state capture and other significant
 corruption cases. The Investigating Directorate had
 by August 2022 enrolled over 20 corruption cases
 and charged 65 accused, including high-profile
 prosecutions for seminal state capture cases.
- Amended the State Capture Commission regulations to enable sharing of information and resources with NPA on state capture cases.



The President has led the **economic** recovery from COVID-19 and created jobs for the unemployed.

- Supported over 1 million jobs and livelihoods through the **Presidential Employment Stimulus** in just two years, including school assistants, ECD workers and small-scale farmers.
- Revitalised the National Youth Service to create opportunities for 50,000 young people to undertake work that helps the community and provides them with skills and work experience.

 Launched the SAYouth.mobi platform, with over 3 million young people registered and more than 890,000 placed in opportunities for learning and



- Introduced a National Minimum Wage for the first time in South Africa's history, guaranteeing a minimum floor below which no worker may be paid.
- Increased NSFAS funding for poor and working class students in universities and TVET colleges from R21 billion in 2018 to R38.6 billion in 2021.
- Reduced unemployment in the last two quarters as the **economic recovery** from COVID gathers momentum.
- Lifted millions of people above the food poverty line through the R350 Social Relief of Distress Grant, and expanded social protection to the unemployed for the first time in South Africa's history.
- Provided over R60 billion to protect jobs during COVID-19 through the **TERS scheme**, reaching more than 5 million workers.
- Increased the value of the Employment Tax
 Incentive, providing additional support of over
 R2 billion a year to make it easier for employers to hire more young people.
- Established the Youth Employment Service (YES)
 together with private sector partners, which has to
 date created over 93,000 work experiences for young
 people.
- Invested R15 billion in black industrialist businesses to date to increase black ownership and participation in the economy.

The President has set in motion a series of **fundamental economic reforms** to achieve more rapid and inclusive economic growth.

- Introduced reforms in the energy sector to enable competition and end our reliance on a single utility to generate all our electricity.
- Concluded the auction of spectrum after a ten-year delay to reduce the cost of data and expand network access in rural areas.
- Cleared the water use licence backlog and developed legislation for a National Water Resources Infrastructure Agency to ensure better maintenance of water infrastructure and achieve water security.
- Enabled partnerships with the private sector to improve the efficiency of rail and port infrastructure.
- Introduced new trains on the Metrorail network and reopened commuter lines in Johannesburg, Tshwane and Cape Town.
- Implemented an eVisa system in 14 countries to grow the tourism sector.
- Raised R1.14 trillion in **new investment commitments**through four SA Investment Conferences. This is
 over 90% of the R1.2 trillion target for government's
 ambitious investment drive. Of these commitments
 around R330 billion has already flowed into the
 economy.
- Finalised master plans in eight industries clothing, poultry, sugar, automotive, furniture, steel, tourism and forestry – resulting in total investment commitments of R82.5 billion and the creation of 6,500 jobs.

Action is being taken to end load shedding and **achieve energy security.**

- Enabled a pipeline of over 100 private sector electricity generation projects which will supply more than 9000 MW of new generation capacity through regulatory reforms and cutting red tape.
- Appointed **new leadership to clean up Eskom** and root out corruption, theft and patronage networks which had become entrenched in the utility.
- Revived the world-class renewable energy procurement programme and increased the amount of capacity to be procured through Bid Window 6 from 2,600 MW to 4,200 MW.
- Made land available next to Eskom power stations in Mpumalanga for renewable energy projects.
- Changed regulations to allow municipalities to procure power independently.
- Developed and implemented a roadmap for restructuring Eskom into three separate entities to enable reform of the energy sector, including an independent National Transmission Company.



The work of reform must continue to **build on this progress.**

- Implementing the response to the State Capture Commission findings, including making the Investigating Directorate in the NPA a permanent structure to investigate and prosecute corruption.
- Recruiting more police officers and strengthening the SAPS and SSA in line with the findings of the Report into the July 2021 Unrest.
- Completing reforms in the energy sector and adding new generation capacity to end load shedding.
- Fixing the rail network to transport goods more efficiently and provide cheaper public transport for people to travel to work.
- Cutting red tape and enabling investment in mining, agriculture, manufacturing and other sectors to create jobs and reduce unemployment.



