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**Media Statement – Memorial Sitting for the late Justice Ackermann** 

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the Judiciary.

The Constitutional Court, led by Chief Justice M M L Maya, will hold a memorial sitting

in honour of the late Justice Lourens Wepener "Laurie" Ackermann, who passed away

on 25 May 2024, aged 90.

The late Justice Ackermann was appointed to the Constitutional Court of South Africa

in August 1994 as part of the first complement of that Court's Justices. He retired from

the Court in January 2004.

The details of the memorial sitting are as follows:

Date: Friday, 22 November 2024

**Time**: 10:00

Place: Constitutional Court, 1 Hospital Street, Braamfontein, Johannesburg.

Ends.

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