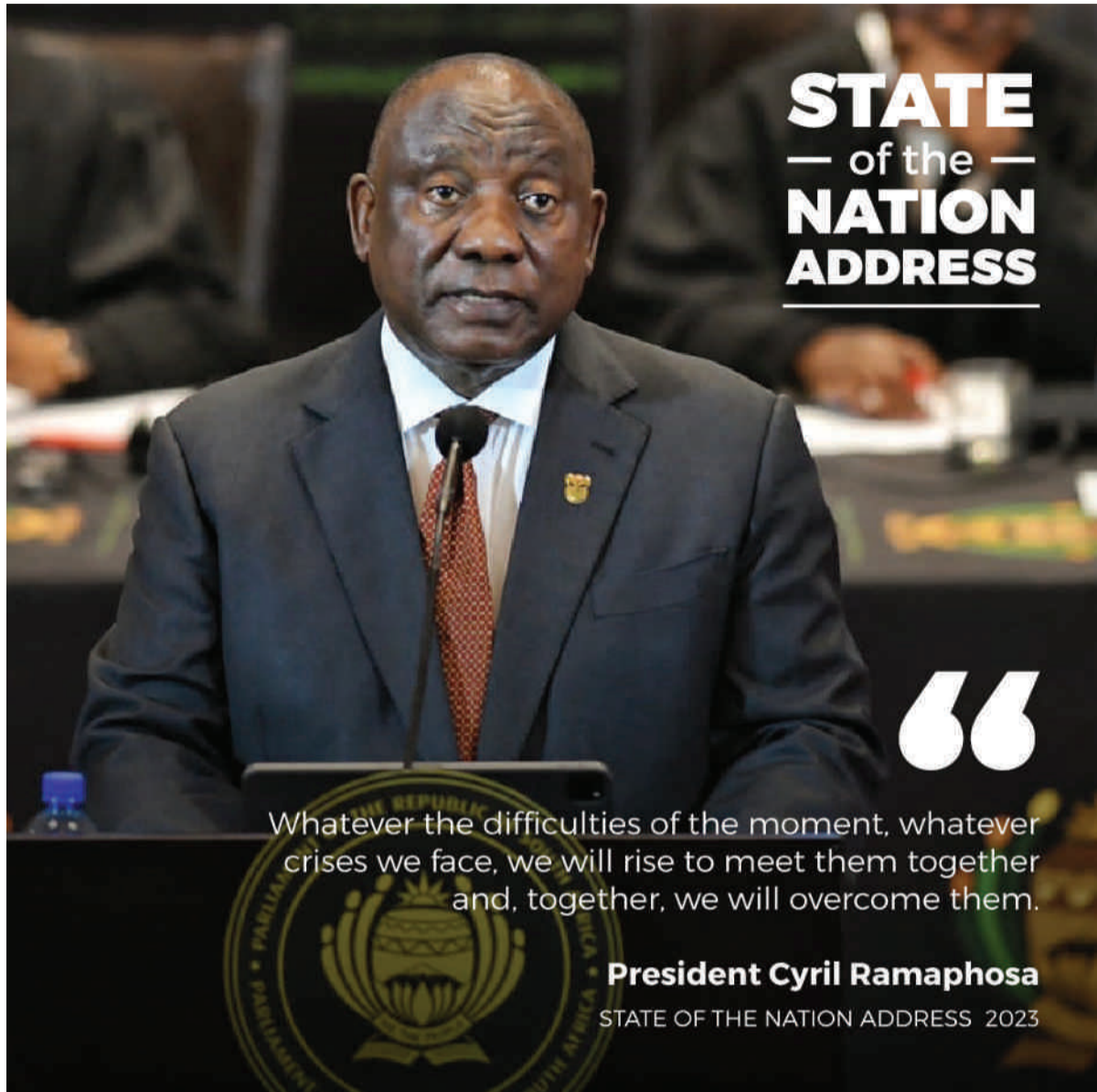


Some of the Highlights from the State of the Nation Address delivered by President Cyril Ramaphosa on the 9th February 2023



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Whatever the difficulties of the moment, whatever crises we face, we will rise to meet them together and, together, we will overcome them.
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Our most immediate task is to dramatically reduce the severity of load shedding in the coming months and ultimately end load shedding altogether.
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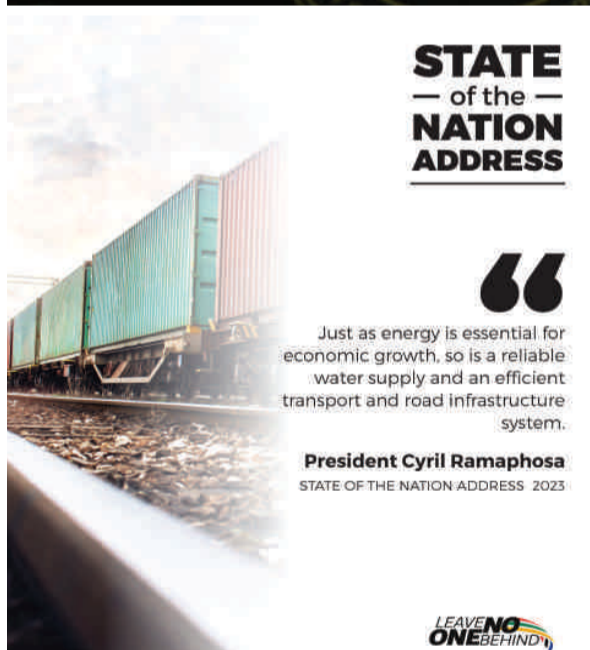
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We will continue our just transition to a low carbon economy at a pace our country can afford and in a manner that ensures energy security. We will undertake our just transition in a way that opens up the possibility of new investments, new industrialisation and that creates new jobs.
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Just as energy is essential for economic growth, so is a reliable water supply and an efficient transport and road infrastructure system.
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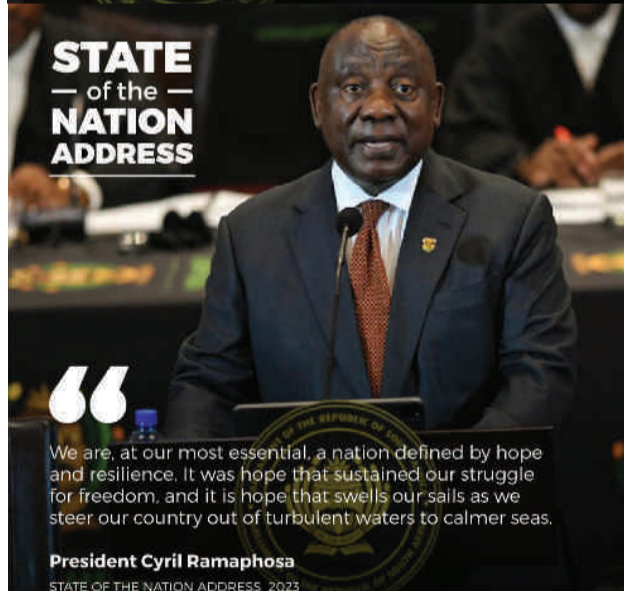


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Last year, the 4th South Africa Investment Conference raised R367 billion in investment commitments, bringing our five-year investment target firmly within sight. Importantly, these investments have resulted in new jobs and new opportunities for small emerging businesses.
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We are, at our most essential, a nation defined by hope and resilience. It was hope that sustained our struggle for freedom, and it is hope that swells our sails as we steer our country out of turbulent waters to calmer seas.
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The most effective and sustainable way to build an economy is to equip people with the skills and know-how to drive it. We have therefore been working to strengthen the link between the skills that we develop and the skills the workplace needs.
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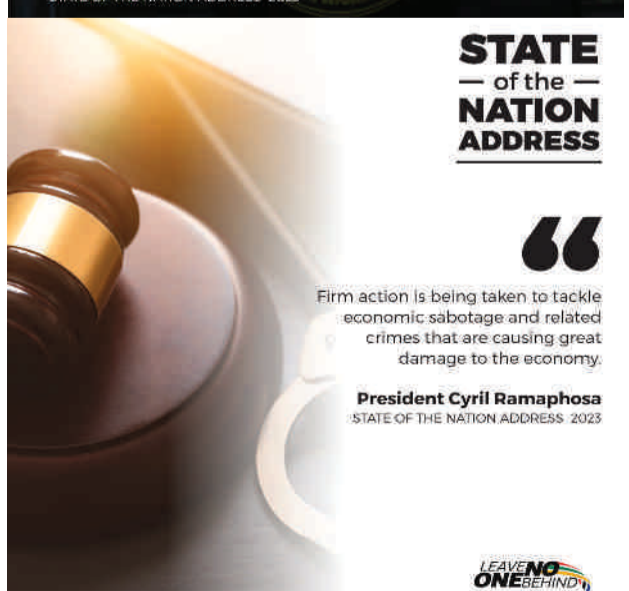


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A professional public service, staffed by skilled, committed and ethical people, is critical to an effective state and ending corruption, patronage and wastage.
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Firm action is being taken to tackle economic sabotage and related crimes that are causing great damage to the economy.
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