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Mr Tinyiko Ngoben is a seasoned Senior ICT Public Policy Executive with an above 25-year track record in navigating the complexities of technology and public policy in the private and public sectors. His career is marked by a unique blend of engineering expertise and strategic foresight, allowing him to craft policies that resonate with both technical and commercial realities. Tinyiko's extensive experience in spectrum management, connectivity, regulatory affairs, network engineering and cybersecurity has made him a key player in influential discussions at regional and international levels, including the African Telecommunications Union and the International Telecommunication Union. With a solid educational foundation in Electrical Engineering and a commitment to evidence-based policymaking, Tinyiko is passionate about driving initiatives that promote digital inclusion and empower communities in the ever-evolving ICT sector.

Tinyiko holds a Bachelor of Science in Engineer (Electrical) and a Post Graduate Diploma in Engineering (Electrical) both from the University of Witwatersrand, the Management Development Programme from the University of Stellenbosch Business School, Masters in Engineering (Electronics) from the University of Pretoria. He also holds a certificate in Evidence-Based Policy Making from the University of Cape Town Business School and various certificates in the fields of Spectrum Management and valuation, Numbering, Interconnection, Project Management, Financial Management, Labour Relations and Executive Development from various institutions.