

**BREACHING OF SUPPLY CHAIN REGULATIONS BY  
APPOINTING BRAND PARTNERS PTY LTD**

The company was appointed using regulation 32 without proper explanations and providing reasons as to why the company is appointed.

This was not budgeted.

The Municipality has a capable communications officer who performs all communications duties.

The Municipality was supposed to obtain the approval from Provincial Treasury.

The Company Director is Sibusiso Justin Ncube the husband to the MEC of COGTA Nomusa Dube Ncube.

This appointment was done in order to bribe the MEC to obtain the Municipal Manager Appointment approval.