

SDIA Report to Council, Kumari Beck, SDIA Chair

June 2013

Dear sisters and brothers

I am forwarding the SDIA Annual Report (and financial statements) for 2012, which needs to be ratified by the Zone Reps sometime during our meeting. (This is a legal requirement)

I will present an in-person overview at the meeting of where we are this year, and what our challenges and plans are leading up to World Congress next year.

I have some requests of you, in line with other suggestions that have been made about the testing of roles and functions of our various aspects of the council, and I ask that you wait for my arrival (Night of June 20) to begin, certainly, the SDIA aspects. It would be good for me to feel the realities of other aspects of the council as well.

Specifically, I would like to meet with the Helpers, and this may or may not involve testing. This is about exploring the relationships and support among helpers and SDIA /members and how best to get this going before we hand over to a new team next year.

I would also like to have a session with the Zone Reps, when each area and zone is being discussed, so that I can contribute towards how Subud in each zone-area can be strengthened through all of our participation (helpers, endeavours/wings, committee... Etc) and provide an honest overview of what/where SD is in each zone.

Overall, I would like you all to test on some of the recent tests we have done on SD work, so that you can feel the realities of this work, and also then understand more deeply what we are doing and why.

Thanks to Latifah for raising the importance of understanding present contexts and realities when we seek to make recommendations of one kind or another, and on behalf of one aspect or another.

Looking forward to seeing you all very soon, and to worship together

Love
Kumari

Attached: SDIA AR 2012