

## UNIVERSITY STATEMENT

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### **CONDOLENCES TO THE FAMILY, FRIENDS, COLLEAGUES AND TO THE PEOPLE OF SOUTH AFRICA FOLLOWING THE DEATH OF ARCHBISHOP EMERITUS DESMOND MPILO TUTU.**

The Durban University of Technology (DUT) would like to convey its most sincere condolences to the family, friends and colleagues of the late Archbishop Emeritus Desmond Mpilo Tutu, who sadly passed on last Sunday.

DUT also shares the extreme grief experienced by the entire South African nation following the loss of a man who was a true humanitarian, who had contributed so much to our country and who was a courageous champion of human rights who inspired people around the world.

Our thoughts and prayers go out to his wife Mrs Nomalizo Leah Tutu, to his children Trevor Thamsanqa, Thandeka, Nontombi and Mpho, the grandchildren and to the entire Tutu and Shenxane families. We thank them for sharing Archbishop Tutu with the world and for the sacrifices that they have made. We pray for their strength and comfort during this challenging time.

May the soul of Archbishop Tutu rest in eternal peace...

Sincerely

DUT Management team