

No.	Date / Period	Institution / Body Dismantled or Destroyed	References (All Sources Found)	Impact Summary: Oversight & Public Protection Loss (≤50 words)
24	2017 – 2022	State Security Agency (SSA) – Abuse as Presidential Protection Tool [Type: Civilian intelligence oversight – converted to political surveillance instrument]	- IntelWatch, 'After the Zondo Commission: Unmuzzling State Security Watchdogs,' Jul 2023 https://intelwatch.org.za/2023/07/05/oped-zondo-how-to-unmuzzle-state-security-watchdogs/ - The Conversation, 'South Africa's new intelligence bill is meant to stem abuses,' Jan 2024 https://theconversation.com/south-africas-new-intelligence-bill-is-meant-to-stem-abuses-whats-good-and-bad-about-it-220473 - PMG, 'Joint Standing Committee on Intelligence to Embark on an Inquiry,' Aug 2021 https://www.parliament.gov.za/press-releases/media-statement-joint-standing-committee-intelligence-embark-inquiry-allegations-intelligence-failures - Zondo Commission Report Part 5, June 2022 - High-Level Panel Review on State Security (findings on SSA abuse) - Facebook/Political Debate SA, 'State security agency turned into mafia tool'	<i>The SSA's transformation into a presidential protection tool destroyed civilian intelligence oversight. Illegal surveillance, political funding, and obstruction of accountability investigations violated citizens' constitutional rights. Parliamentary oversight through the JSCI was rendered ineffective. The abuse of intelligence capacity for personal political protection represents one of the most serious institutional failures in post-apartheid South Africa.</i>