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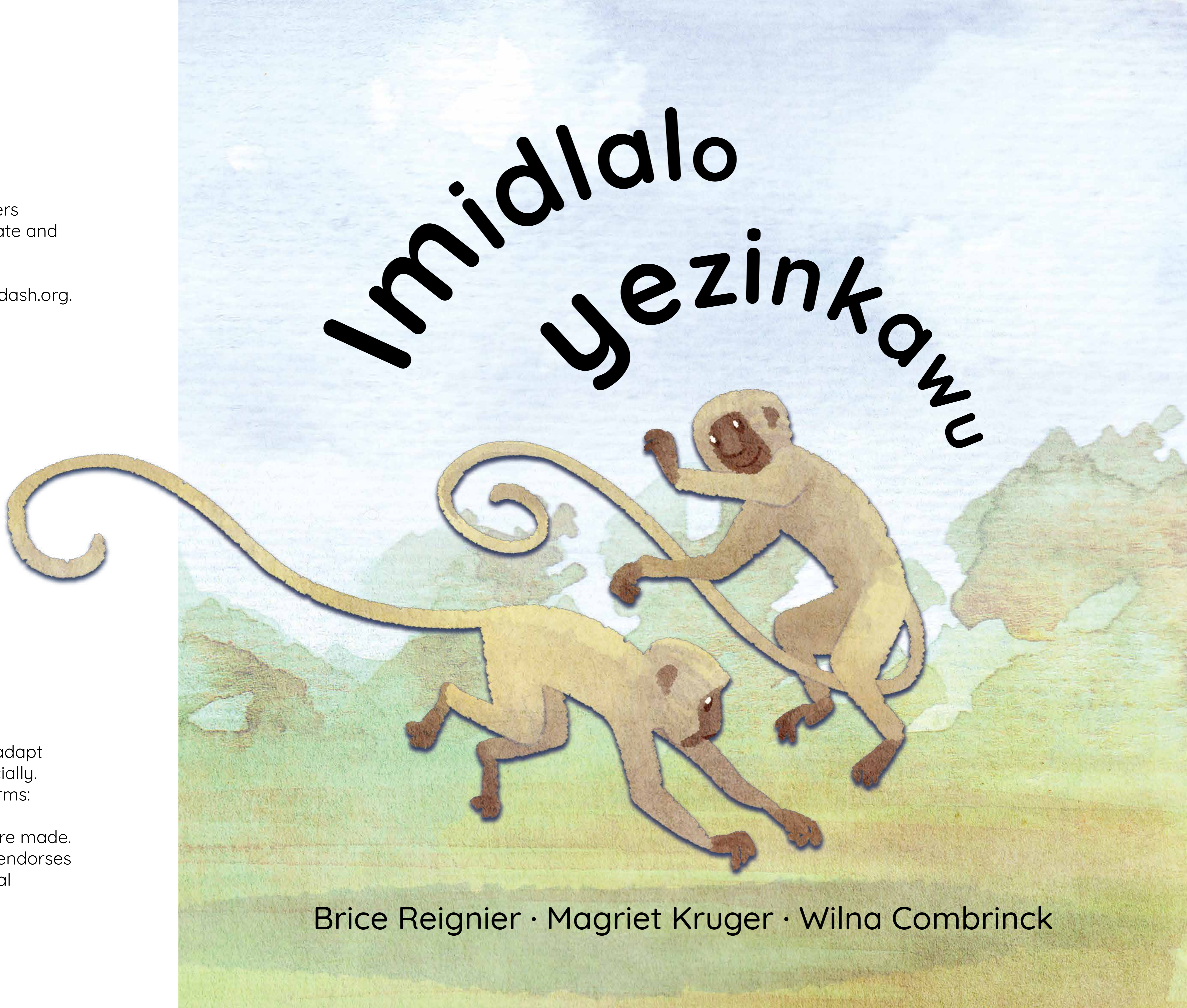

Endle, kunezilwane eziningi ezahlukahlukene:

ezinkulu nezincane,

ezigijima ngesivinini

nezinwabuzelayo nje.

Kodwa isilwane ngasinye sineqhaza laso esilibambile.

Izindlovu zinamakhala amade abizwa ngokuthi imiboko ezikwazi ngayo ukuhogela lapho kunamanzi khona. Zikwazi ukuthola amanzi nalapho kunzima ngisho ukubona khona.

Futhi lapho sezikwenzile lokho, ziyampongoloza zitshele abangani bazo:

pu-pu-pu-pu!

Obhejane bathanda ukwenza
izinto ngendlela efanayo.
Balandela izindlela ezizodwa

njalo

futhi

njalo,

bese benza imizila ebanzi njengoba

behlofa ezikhotheni.

Izimvubu zizithandela ukudla utshani obumnandi, obuluhlaza, futhi obuningi.

Zihlafune-zihlafune-zihlafune.

Zigcina utshani obuseduze nomfula bubufushane ukuze kube lula ukufinyelela emanzini.

Kodwa ngabe izinkawu zona zenzani?

O, izinkawu zinomsebenzi **obaluleke** kakhulu.

Kusukela liphuma ilanga
kuze kube liyoshona, zihlezi
zimatasatasa –

zinwabela, zigingqeka futhi

zicinga ukudla.

Izinkawu zikwazi ukulenga
ezihlahleni ngezinyawo,
zibuke umhlaba zibheke

phansi.

zishwibeka

zisuka kuleli gatsha ziye kwelinye
zihamba ngazimbili, ngazintathu
noma ngazine ngesikhathi.

Yeka ubumnandi obulapho!

Unina wezinkawu angakwenza konke lokhu isijwana sakhe sibambelele esiswini sakhe. Izinkawu ezincanyana zona zibonani ke

lapho phansi?

Uma zifuna isidlo nje esilula,

izinkawu ziziceoshela

amazenze emihlane yabangani bazo.

Kuthi lapho kushisa futhi zikhathele,

zitshuze okwenganono

zitshuzela emanzini.

Yimuphi umsebenzi obalulekile wezinkawu? Zidlala usuku lonke.

Kanti lokho kungumsebenzi onzima!