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HIGH ALERT: SCAM WARNING!!!

TO ALL SUPPLIERS AND SERVICE PROVIDERS OF THE GOVERNMENT PRINTING WORKS

It has come to the attention of the *GOVERNMENT PRINTING WORKS* that there are certain unscrupulous companies and individuals who are defrauding unsuspecting businesses disguised as representatives of the *Government Printing Works (GPW)*.

The scam involves the fraudsters using the letterhead of *GPW* to send out fake tender bids to companies and requests to supply equipment and goods.

Although the contact person's name on the letter may be of an existing official, the contact details on the letter are not the same as the *Government Printing Works*. When searching on the Internet for the address of the company that has sent the fake tender document, the address does not exist.

The banking details are in a private name and not company name. Government will never ask you to deposit any funds for any business transaction. *GPW* has alerted the relevant law enforcement authorities to investigate this scam to protect legitimate businesses as well as the name of the organisation.

Example of e-mails these fraudsters are using:

PROCUREMENT@GPW-GOV.ORG

Should you suspect that you are a victim of a scam, you must urgently contact the police and inform the *GPW*.

GPW has an official email with the domain as [@gpw.gov.za](mailto:gpw@gpw.gov.za)

Government e-mails DO NOT have org in their e-mail addresses. All of these fraudsters also use the same or very similar telephone numbers. Although such number with an area code 012 looks like a landline, it is not fixed to any property.

GPW will never send you an e-mail asking you to supply equipment and goods without a purchase/order number. *GPW* does not procure goods for another level of Government. The organisation will not be liable for actions that result in companies or individuals being resultant victims of such a scam.

Government Printing Works gives businesses the opportunity to supply goods and services through RFQ / Tendering process. In order to be eligible to bid to provide goods and services, suppliers must be registered on the National Treasury's Central Supplier Database (CSD). To be registered, they must meet all current legislative requirements (e.g. have a valid tax clearance certificate and be in good standing with the South African Revenue Services - SARS).

The tender process is managed through the Supply Chain Management (SCM) system of the department. SCM is highly regulated to minimise the risk of fraud, and to meet objectives which include value for money, open and effective competition, equitability, accountability, fair dealing, transparency and an ethical approach. Relevant legislation, regulations, policies, guidelines and instructions can be found on the tender's website.

Fake Tenders

National Treasury's CSD has launched the Government Order Scam campaign to combat fraudulent requests for quotes (RFQs). Such fraudulent requests have resulted in innocent companies losing money. We work hard at preventing and fighting fraud, but criminal activity is always a risk.

How tender scams work

There are many types of tender scams. Here are some of the more frequent scenarios:

Fraudsters use what appears to be government department stationery with fictitious logos and contact details to send a fake RFQ to a company to invite it to urgently supply goods. Shortly after the company has submitted its quote, it receives notification that it has won the tender. The company delivers the goods to someone who poses as an official or at a fake site. The Department has no idea of this transaction made in its name. The company is then never paid and suffers a loss.

OR

Fraudsters use what appears to be government department stationery with fictitious logos and contact details to send a fake RFQ to Company A to invite it to urgently supply goods. Typically, the tender specification is so unique that only Company B (a fictitious company created by the fraudster) can supply the goods in question.

Shortly after Company A has submitted its quote it receives notification that it has won the tender. Company A orders the goods and pays a deposit to the fictitious Company B. Once Company B receives the money, it disappears. Company A's money is stolen in the process.

Protect yourself from being scammed

- If you are registered on the supplier databases and you receive a request to tender or quote that seems to be from a government department, contact the department to confirm that the request is legitimate. Do not use the contact details on the tender document as these might be fraudulent.
- Compare tender details with those that appear in the Tender Bulletin, available online at www.gpwonline.co.za
- Make sure you familiarise yourself with how government procures goods and services. Visit the tender website for more information on how to tender.
- If you are uncomfortable about the request received, consider visiting the government department and/or the place of delivery and/or the service provider from whom you will be sourcing the goods.
- In the unlikely event that you are asked for a deposit to make a bid, contact the SCM unit of the department in question to ask whether this is in fact correct.

Any incidents of corruption, fraud, theft and misuse of government property in the *Government Printing Works* can be reported to:

Supply Chain Management: Ms. Anna Marie Du Toit, Tel. (012) 748 6292.
Email: Annamarie.DuToit@gpw.gov.za

Marketing and Stakeholder Relations: Ms Bonakele Mbhele, at Tel. (012) 748 6193.
Email: Bonakele.Mbhele@gpw.gov.za

Security Services: Mr Daniel Legoabe, at tel. (012) 748 6176.
Email: Daniel.Legoabe@gpw.gov.za

Closing times for **ORDINARY WEEKLY** **REGULATION GAZETTE** **2025**

The closing time is **15:00** sharp on the following days:

- **24 December**, Wednesday for the issue of Friday **03 January 2025**
- **03 January**, Friday for the issue of Friday **10 January 2025**
- **10 January**, Friday for the issue of Friday **17 January 2025**
- **17 January**, Friday for the issue of Friday **24 January 2025**
- **24 January**, Friday for the issue of Friday **31 January 2025**
- **31 January**, Friday for the issue of Friday **07 February 2025**
- **07 February**, Friday for the issue of Friday **14 February 2025**
- **14 February**, Friday for the issue of Friday **21 February 2025**
- **21 February**, Friday for the issue of Friday **28 February 2025**
- **28 February**, Friday for the issue of Friday **07 March 2025**
- **07 March**, Friday for the issue of Friday **14 March 2025**
- **13 March**, Thursday for the issue of Thursday **20 March 2025**
- **20 March**, Thursday for the issue of Friday **28 March 2025**
- **28 March**, Friday for the issue of Friday **04 April 2025**
- **04 April**, Friday for the issue of Friday **11 April 2025**
- **10 April**, Thursday for the issue of Thursday **17 April 2025**
- **16 April**, Wednesday for the issue of Friday **25 April 2025**
- **23 April**, Wednesday for the issue of Friday **02 May 2025**
- **02 May**, Friday for the issue of Friday **09 May 2025**
- **09 May**, Friday for the issue of Friday **16 May 2025**
- **16 May**, Friday for the issue of Friday **23 May 2025**
- **23 May**, Friday for the issue of Friday **30 May 2025**
- **30 May**, Friday for the issue of Friday **06 June 2025**
- **06 June**, Friday for the issue of Friday **13 June 2025**
- **12 June**, Thursday for the issue of Friday **20 June 2025**
- **20 June**, Friday for the issue of Friday **27 June 2025**
- **27 June**, Friday for the issue of Friday **04 July 2025**
- **04 July**, Friday for the issue of Friday **11 July 2025**
- **11 July**, Friday for the issue of Friday **18 July 2025**
- **18 July**, Friday for the issue of Friday **25 July 2025**
- **25 July**, Friday for the issue of Friday **01 August 2025**
- **01 August**, Friday for the issue of Friday **08 August 2025**
- **08 August**, Friday for the issue of Friday **15 August 2025**
- **15 August**, Friday for the issue of Friday **22 August 2025**
- **22 August**, Friday for the issue of Friday **29 August 2025**
- **29 August**, Friday for the issue of Friday **05 September 2025**
- **05 September**, Friday for the issue of Friday **12 September 2025**
- **12 September**, Friday for the issue of Friday **19 September 2025**
- **18 September**, Thursday for the issue of Friday **26 September 2025**
- **26 September**, Friday for the issue of Friday **03 October 2025**
- **03 October**, Friday for the issue of Friday **10 October 2025**
- **10 October**, Friday for the issue of Friday **17 October 2025**
- **17 October**, Friday for the issue of Friday **24 October 2025**
- **24 October**, Friday for the issue of Friday **31 October 2025**
- **31 October**, Friday for the issue of Friday **07 November 2025**
- **07 November**, Friday for the issue of Friday **14 November 2025**
- **14 November**, Friday for the issue of Friday **21 November 2025**
- **21 November**, Friday for the issue of Friday **28 November 2025**
- **28 November**, Friday for the issue of Friday **5 December 2025**
- **05 December**, Friday for the issue of Friday **12 December 2025**
- **11 December**, Thursday for the issue of Friday **19 December 2025**
- **17 December**, Wednesday for the issue of Wednesday **24 December 2025**

LIST OF TARIFF RATES FOR PUBLICATION OF NOTICES

COMMENCEMENT: 1 APRIL 2018

NATIONAL AND PROVINCIAL

Notice sizes for National, Provincial & Tender gazettes 1/4, 2/4, 3/4, 4/4 per page. Notices submitted will be charged at R1008.80 per full page, pro-rated based on the above categories.

Pricing for National, Provincial - Variable Priced Notices		
Notice Type	Page Space	New Price (R)
Ordinary National, Provincial	1/4 - Quarter Page	252.20
Ordinary National, Provincial	2/4 - Half Page	504.40
Ordinary National, Provincial	3/4 - Three Quarter Page	756.60
Ordinary National, Provincial	4/4 - Full Page	1008.80

EXTRA-ORDINARY

All Extra-ordinary National and Provincial gazette notices are non-standard notices and attract a variable price based on the number of pages submitted.

The pricing structure for National and Provincial notices which are submitted as **Extra ordinary submissions** will be charged at **R3026.32** per page.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING WORKS - BUSINESS RULES

The **Government Printing Works (GPW)** has established rules for submitting notices in line with its electronic notice processing system, which requires the use of electronic *Adobe Forms*. Please ensure that you adhere to these guidelines when completing and submitting your notice submission.

CLOSING TIMES FOR ACCEPTANCE OF NOTICES

1. The *Government Gazette* and *Government Tender Bulletin* are weekly publications that are published on Fridays and the closing time for the acceptance of notices is strictly applied according to the scheduled time for each gazette.
2. Please refer to the Submission Notice Deadline schedule in the table below. This schedule is also published online on the Government Printing works website www.gpwonline.co.za

All re-submissions will be subject to the standard cut-off times.

All notices received after the closing time will be rejected.

Government Gazette Type	Publication Frequency	Publication Date	Submission Deadline	Cancellations Deadline
National Gazette	Weekly	Friday	Friday 15h00 for next Friday	Tuesday, 15h00 - 3 working days prior to publication
Regulation Gazette	Weekly	Friday	Friday 15h00 for next Friday	Tuesday, 15h00 - 3 working days prior to publication
Petrol Price Gazette	Monthly	Tuesday before 1st Wednesday of the month	One day before publication	1 working day prior to publication
Road Carrier Permits	Weekly	Friday	Thursday 15h00 for next Friday	3 working days prior to publication
Unclaimed Monies (Justice, Labour or Lawyers)	January / September 2 per year	Last Friday	One week before publication	3 working days prior to publication
Parliament (Acts, White Paper, Green Paper)	As required	Any day of the week	None	3 working days prior to publication
Manuals	Bi- Monthly	2nd and last Thursday of the month	One week before publication	3 working days prior to publication
State of Budget (National Treasury)	Monthly	30th or last Friday of the month	One week before publication	3 working days prior to publication
<i>Extraordinary Gazettes</i>	As required	Any day of the week	<i>Before 10h00 on publication date</i>	<i>Before 10h00 on publication date</i>
Legal Gazettes A, B and C	Weekly	Friday	One week before publication	Tuesday, 15h00 - 3 working days prior to publication
Tender Bulletin	Weekly	Friday	Friday 15h00 for next Friday	Tuesday, 15h00 - 3 working days prior to publication
Gauteng	Weekly	Wednesday	Two weeks before publication	3 days after submission deadline
Eastern Cape	Weekly	Monday	One week before publication	3 working days prior to publication
Northern Cape	Weekly	Monday	One week before publication	3 working days prior to publication
North West	Weekly	Tuesday	One week before publication	3 working days prior to publication
KwaZulu-Natal	Weekly	Thursday	One week before publication	3 working days prior to publication
Limpopo	Weekly	Friday	One week before publication	3 working days prior to publication
Mpumalanga	Weekly	Friday	One week before publication	3 working days prior to publication

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Government Gazette Type	Publication Frequency	Publication Date	Submission Deadline	Cancellations Deadline
Gauteng Liquor License Gazette	Monthly	Wednesday before the First Friday of the month	Two weeks before publication	3 working days after submission deadline
Northern Cape Liquor License Gazette	Monthly	First Friday of the month	Two weeks before publication	3 working days after submission deadline
National Liquor License Gazette	Monthly	First Friday of the month	Two weeks before publication	3 working days after submission deadline
Mpumalanga Liquor License Gazette	Bi-Monthly	Second & Fourth Friday	One week before publication	3 working days prior to publication

EXTRAORDINARY GAZETTES

3. *Extraordinary Gazettes* can have only one publication date. If multiple publications of an *Extraordinary Gazette* are required, a separate Z95/Z95Prov *Adobe* Forms for each publication date must be submitted.

NOTICE SUBMISSION PROCESS

4. Download the latest *Adobe* form, for the relevant notice to be placed, from the **Government Printing Works** website www.gpwonline.co.za.
5. The *Adobe* form needs to be completed electronically using *Adobe Acrobat / Acrobat Reader*. Only electronically completed *Adobe* forms will be accepted. No printed, handwritten and/or scanned *Adobe* forms will be accepted.
6. The completed electronic *Adobe* form has to be submitted via email to submit.egazette@gpw.gov.za. The form needs to be submitted in its original electronic *Adobe* format to enable the system to extract the completed information from the form for placement in the publication.
7. Every notice submitted **must** be accompanied by an official **GPW** quotation. This must be obtained from the *eGazette* Contact Centre.
8. Each notice submission should be sent as a single email. The email **must** contain **all documentation relating to a particular notice submission**.
 - 8.1. Each of the following documents must be attached to the email as a separate attachment:
 - 8.1.1. An electronically completed *Adobe* form, specific to the type of notice that is to be placed.
 - 8.1.1.1. For National *Government Gazette* or *Provincial Gazette* notices, the notices must be accompanied by an electronic Z95 or Z95Prov *Adobe* form
 - 8.1.1.2. The notice content (body copy) **MUST** be a separate attachment.
 - 8.1.2. A copy of the official **Government Printing Works** quotation you received for your notice. (*Please see Quotation section below for further details*)
 - 8.1.3. A valid and legible Proof of Payment / Purchase Order: **Government Printing Works** account customer must include a copy of their Purchase Order. **Non-Government Printing Works** account customer needs to submit the proof of payment for the notice
 - 8.1.4. Where separate notice content is applicable (Z95, Z95 Prov and TForm 3, it should **also** be attached as a separate attachment. (*Please see the Copy Section below, for the specifications*).
 - 8.1.5. Any additional notice information if applicable.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING WORKS - BUSINESS RULES

9. The electronic *Adobe* form will be taken as the primary source for the notice information to be published. Instructions that are on the email body or covering letter that contradicts the notice form content will not be considered. The information submitted on the electronic *Adobe* form will be published as-is.
10. To avoid duplicated publication of the same notice and double billing, Please submit your notice **ONLY ONCE**.
11. Notices brought to **GPW** by “walk-in” customers on electronic media can only be submitted in *Adobe* electronic form format. All “walk-in” customers with notices that are not on electronic *Adobe* forms will be routed to the Contact Centre where they will be assisted to complete the forms in the required format.
12. Should a customer submit a bulk submission of hard copy notices delivered by a messenger on behalf of any organisation e.g. newspaper publisher, the messenger will be referred back to the sender as the submission does not adhere to the submission rules.

QUOTATIONS

13. Quotations are valid until the next tariff change.
 - 13.1. **Take note:** **GPW**'s annual tariff increase takes place on **1 April** therefore any quotations issued, accepted and submitted for publication up to **31 March** will keep the old tariff. For notices to be published from 1 April, a quotation must be obtained from **GPW** with the new tariffs. Where a tariff increase is implemented during the year, **GPW** endeavours to provide customers with 30 days' notice of such changes.
14. Each quotation has a unique number.
15. Form Content notices must be emailed to the *eGazette* Contact Centre for a quotation.
 - 15.1. The *Adobe* form supplied is uploaded by the Contact Centre Agent and the system automatically calculates the cost of your notice based on the layout/format of the content supplied.
 - 15.2. It is critical that these *Adobe* Forms are completed correctly and adhere to the guidelines as stipulated by **GPW**.
16. **APPLICABLE ONLY TO GPW ACCOUNT HOLDERS:**
 - 16.1. **GPW** Account Customers must provide a valid **GPW** account number to obtain a quotation.
 - 16.2. Accounts for **GPW** account customers **must** be active with sufficient credit to transact with **GPW** to submit notices.
 - 16.2.1. If you are unsure about or need to resolve the status of your account, please contact the **GPW** Finance Department prior to submitting your notices. (If the account status is not resolved prior to submission of your notice, the notice will be failed during the process).
17. **APPLICABLE ONLY TO CASH CUSTOMERS:**
 - 17.1. Cash customers doing **bulk payments** must use a **single email address** in order to use the **same proof of payment** for submitting multiple notices.
18. The responsibility lies with you, the customer, to ensure that the payment made for your notice(s) to be published is sufficient to cover the cost of the notice(s).
19. Each quotation will be associated with one proof of payment / purchase order / cash receipt.
 - 19.1. This means that **the quotation number can only be used once to make a payment.**

GOVERNMENT PRINTING WORKS - BUSINESS RULES**COPY (SEPARATE NOTICE CONTENT DOCUMENT)**

20. Where the copy is part of a separate attachment document for Z95, Z95Prov and TForm03
- 20.1. Copy of notices must be supplied in a separate document and may not constitute part of any covering letter, purchase order, proof of payment or other attached documents.
- The content document should contain only one notice. (You may include the different translations of the same notice in the same document).
- 20.2. The notice should be set on an A4 page, with margins and fonts set as follows:
- Page size = A4 Portrait with page margins: Top = 40mm, LH/RH = 16mm, Bottom = 40mm;
Use font size: Arial or Helvetica 10pt with 11pt line spacing;
- Page size = A4 Landscape with page margins: Top = 16mm, LH/RH = 40mm, Bottom = 16mm;
Use font size: Arial or Helvetica 10pt with 11pt line spacing;

CANCELLATIONS

21. Cancellation of notice submissions are accepted by **GPW** according to the deadlines stated in the table above in point 2. Non-compliance to these deadlines will result in your request being failed. Please pay special attention to the different deadlines for each gazette. Please note that any notices cancelled after the cancellation deadline will be published and charged at full cost.
22. Requests for cancellation must be sent by the original sender of the notice and must be accompanied by the relevant notice reference number (N-) in the email body.

AMENDMENTS TO NOTICES

23. With effect from 01 October 2015, **GPW** will not longer accept amendments to notices. The cancellation process will need to be followed according to the deadline and a new notice submitted thereafter for the next available publication date.

REJECTIONS

24. All notices not meeting the submission rules will be rejected to the customer to be corrected and resubmitted. Assistance will be available through the Contact Centre should help be required when completing the forms. (012-748 6200 or email info.egazette@gpw.gov.za). Reasons for rejections include the following:
- 24.1. Incorrectly completed forms and notices submitted in the wrong format, will be rejected.
- 24.2. Any notice submissions not on the correct *Adobe* electronic form, will be rejected.
- 24.3. Any notice submissions not accompanied by the proof of payment / purchase order will be rejected and the notice will not be processed.
- 24.4. Any submissions or re-submissions that miss the submission cut-off times will be rejected to the customer. The Notice needs to be re-submitted with a new publication date.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING WORKS - BUSINESS RULES**APPROVAL OF NOTICES**

25. Any notices other than legal notices are subject to the approval of the Government Printer, who may refuse acceptance or further publication of any notice.
26. No amendments will be accepted in respect to separate notice content that was sent with a Z95 or Z95Prov notice submissions. The copy of notice in layout format (previously known as proof-out) is only provided where requested, for Advertiser to see the notice in final Gazette layout. Should they find that the information submitted was incorrect, they should request for a notice cancellation and resubmit the corrected notice, subject to standard submission deadlines. The cancellation is also subject to the stages in the publishing process, i.e. If cancellation is received when production (printing process) has commenced, then the notice cannot be cancelled.

GOVERNMENT PRINTER INDEMNIFIED AGAINST LIABILITY

27. The Government Printer will assume no liability in respect of—
 - 27.1. any delay in the publication of a notice or publication of such notice on any date other than that stipulated by the advertiser;
 - 27.2. erroneous classification of a notice, or the placement of such notice in any section or under any heading other than the section or heading stipulated by the advertiser;
 - 27.3. any editing, revision, omission, typographical errors or errors resulting from faint or indistinct copy.

LIABILITY OF ADVERTISER

28. Advertisers will be held liable for any compensation and costs arising from any action which may be instituted against the Government Printer in consequence of the publication of any notice.

CUSTOMER INQUIRIES

Many of our customers request immediate feedback/confirmation of notice placement in the gazette from our Contact Centre once they have submitted their notice – While **GPW** deems it one of their highest priorities and responsibilities to provide customers with this requested feedback and the best service at all times, we are only able to do so once we have started processing your notice submission.

GPW has a 2-working day turnaround time for processing notices received according to the business rules and deadline submissions.

Please keep this in mind when making inquiries about your notice submission at the Contact Centre.

29. Requests for information, quotations and inquiries must be sent to the Contact Centre **ONLY**.
30. Requests for Quotations (RFQs) should be received by the Contact Centre at least **2 working days** before the submission deadline for that specific publication.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING WORKS - BUSINESS RULES

PAYMENT OF COST

31. The Request for Quotation for placement of the notice should be sent to the Gazette Contact Centre as indicated above, prior to submission of notice for advertising.
32. Payment should then be made, or Purchase Order prepared based on the received quotation, prior to the submission of the notice for advertising as these documents i.e. proof of payment or Purchase order will be required as part of the notice submission, as indicated earlier.
33. Every proof of payment must have a valid **GPW** quotation number as a reference on the proof of payment document.
34. Where there is any doubt about the cost of publication of a notice, and in the case of copy, an enquiry, accompanied by the relevant copy, should be addressed to the Gazette Contact Centre, **Government Printing Works**, Private Bag X85, Pretoria, 0001 email: info.egazette@gpw.gov.za before publication.
35. Overpayment resulting from miscalculation on the part of the advertiser of the cost of publication of a notice will not be refunded, unless the advertiser furnishes adequate reasons why such miscalculation occurred. In the event of underpayments, the difference will be recovered from the advertiser, and future notice(s) will not be published until such time as the full cost of such publication has been duly paid in cash or electronic funds transfer into the **Government Printing Works** banking account.
36. In the event of a notice being cancelled, a refund will be made only if no cost regarding the placing of the notice has been incurred by the **Government Printing Works**.
37. The **Government Printing Works** reserves the right to levy an additional charge in cases where notices, the cost of which has been calculated in accordance with the List of Fixed Tariff Rates, are subsequently found to be excessively lengthy or to contain overmuch or complicated tabulation.

PROOF OF PUBLICATION

38. Copies of any of the *Government Gazette* or *Provincial Gazette* can be downloaded from the **Government Printing Works** website www.gpwonline.co.za free of charge, should a proof of publication be required.
39. Printed copies may be ordered from the Publications department at the ruling price. The **Government Printing Works** will assume no liability for any failure to post or for any delay in despatching of such *Government Gazette*(s)

GOVERNMENT PRINTING WORKS CONTACT INFORMATION

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Government Printing Works

149 Bosman Street

Pretoria

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Private Bag X85

Pretoria

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Account No.: 405 7114 016

Branch Code: 632-005

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES • GOEWERMENTSKENNISGEWINGS**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, LAND REFORM AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT**

NO. R. 5815

31 January 2025

**MARKETING OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS ACT, 1996
(ACT No. 47 OF 1996)****ESTABLISHMENT OF STATUTORY MEASURE AND DETERMINATION OF
GUIDELINE PRICE: LEVY RELATING TO SOYBEANS**

I, John Henry Steenhuisen, Minister of Agriculture, acting under sections 13 and 15 of the Marketing of Agricultural Products Act, 1996 (Act No. 47 of 1996), hereby –

- (a) establish the statutory measure set out in the Schedule hereto; and
- (b) determine the guideline price for soybeans as R9,066.50 per metric ton.



**(MR) J.H. STEENHUISEN (MP)
MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE**

SCHEDULE

Definitions

1. In this Schedule any word or expression to which a meaning has been assigned in the Act shall have that meaning, and unless the context otherwise indicates –

“**producer**” means a person who produces soybeans or a person on whose behalf soybeans are produced;

“**soybeans**” means grain of the species *Glycine max*;

“**the Act**” means the Marketing of Agricultural Products Act, 1996 (Act No. 47 of 1996); and

“**SACTA**” means the South African Cultivar and Technology Agency NPC.

Purpose and aims of statutory measure and the relation thereof to the objectives of the Act.

2. The purpose and aim of this statutory measure are to compensate breeders of soybean varieties for their contribution towards obtaining and utilising improved international agriculture related intellectual property to the benefit of the soybean industry in the Republic of South Africa.

The agricultural sector is expected to ensure food security, strengthen the economy and create job opportunities. This can be reconciled with the provisions of Section 2(3) of the Act. In order to achieve these aims and to further the competitive position of the soybean industry in the Republic of South Africa, it is essential to cultivate high yielding crops from seed varieties that are most suited to particular regions in the country.

For the optimisation of possible export earnings, it is imperative for South African commodities to conform to international quality standards, so that South African producers of soybeans can remain competitive in the international markets. The statutory measure shall be administered by the South African Cultivar and Technology Agency NPC (SACTA). The levies collected will be administered in a separate account with respect to soybeans and SACTA will be audited annually in accordance with generally accepted accounting practices.

A portion of the funds collected by means of the levy will be focussed on small-scale farmers and transformation in the soybean industry in the Republic of South Africa. SACTA shall allocate 20% of the levy proceeds to transformation initiatives in the grain

industries, by means of service providers of its choice, and report back to the National Agricultural Marketing Council (NAMC) annually with regard thereto.

Product to which statutory measure applies.

3. This statutory measure shall apply to soybeans.

Area in which statutory measure applies.

4. This statutory measure shall apply within the geographical area of the Republic of South Africa.

Imposition of levy

5. levy is hereby imposed on all soybeans –

- (a) sold by or on behalf of the producer thereof;
- (b) processed or converted or caused to be processed or converted into a soybean product, by or on behalf of the producer thereof, if the soybean product is intended to be disposed of;
- (c) in respect of which a silo receipt has been issued, if the levy in respect of such soybeans has not already been paid in terms of paragraph (a) or (b) above; and
- (d) exported from the Republic of South Africa, and in respect of which a levy has not previously been paid in terms of paragraph (a), (b) or (c) above.

Amount of levy

6. The amounts of the levies (excluding Value Added Tax) will be as follows:

Commodity	Period	Amount (VAT excluded)
Soybeans	1/3/2025 to 28/2/2026	R70,00 per metric ton
	1/3/2026 to 28/2/2027	R73,00 per metric ton
	1/3/2027 to 28/2/2028	R84,00 per metric ton

Persons by whom levies are payable.

7(1) The levy payable in terms of clause 5 shall –

- (a) in the case of the levy contemplated in clause 5(a), be payable by the buyer of the soybeans;
- (b) in the case of the levy contemplated in clause 5(b), be payable by the processor or converter of the soybeans.

(c) in the case of the levy contemplated in clause 5(c), be payable by the person issuing such silo receipt; and

(d) in the case of the levy contemplated in clause 5(d), be payable by the exporter of the soybeans.

(2) The amount of the levy payable by the buyer, processor or converter in terms of sub-clauses (1)(a) and (1)(b) above may be recovered from the producer.

(3) The amount of the levy payable by the person issuing the silo receipt in terms of sub-clause 1(c) above may be recovered from the person to whom such silo receipt is issued.

(4) The persons contemplated in sub-clauses (1)(a), (1)(b) and (1)(c), who have paid the levy to SACTA and have conformed to the provisions of this statutory measure, may claim from SACTA an amount equal to 2,5% of the levies paid by them, in accordance with the conditions set by SACTA from time to time.

Payment of levy

8(1) Payment of a levy imposed in terms of clause 5 shall be made by the persons contemplated in clause 7 not later than the last day of the month following the month in which the soybeans have been sold, delivered for sale, processed, converted, exported or a silo receipt issued in respect thereof.

(2) Payment shall be made in favour of the SA Cultivar and Technology Agency NPC, and has to be accompanied by a duly completed levy return form, containing such information pertaining to soybeans as required by SACTA from time to time. If no levy is payable in a particular month, a nil return shall be submitted to SACTA.

(3) Payment shall –

(a) when forwarded by post, be addressed to –

The SA Cultivar and Technology Agency NPC
P O Box 74626
LYNNWOOD RIDGE
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(b) when delivered by hand, be delivered to –

The SA Cultivar and Technology Agency NPC
Grain Building Agri-hub Office Park (Block D)
477/478 Witherite Street
THE WILLOWS
Pretoria
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(c) when transferred electronically, be paid into the designated bank account of the SA Cultivar and Technology Agency NPC.

Commencement and period of validity

9(1) This statutory measure shall come into operation on 1 March 2025 and shall lapse on 28 February 2028.

(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of sub-clause (1) above, the Minister may, after evaluation and review of the measure under section 9(1)(f) of the Act, by notice in the Government Gazette determine that the measure shall lapse on a date specified in that notice: Provided that such date shall not be later than the date determined under sub-clause (1) above.

DEPARTEMENT VAN LANDBOU, GRONDHERVORMING EN LANDELIKE ONTWIKKELING

NO. R. 5815

31 Januarie 2025

**WET OP BEMARKING VAN LANDBOUPRODUKTE, 1996 (WET NO. 47 VAN 1996)
INSTELLING VAN STATUTÊRE MAATREËL EN BEPALING VAN
RIGLYNPRYS: HEFFING OP SOJABONE**

Ek, John Henry Steenhuisen, Minister van Landbou, handelende kragtens artikels 13 en 15 van die Wet op die Bemarking van Landbouprodukte, 1996 (Wet No. 47 van 1996) –

(a) stel hierby die voortsetting van die statutêre maatreël in die Bylae uiteengesit in;
En

(b) bepaal hierby die riglynprys vir sojabone as R9,066.50 per metrieke ton.

**(MNR) J.H. STEENHUISEN (LP)
MINISTER VAN LANDBOU**

BYLAE

Woordomskrywing

1. In hierdie Bylae het enige woord of uitdrukking waaraan 'n betekenis in die Wet geheg is, daardie betekenis en, tensy uit die samehang anders blyk, beteken —

“**die Wet**” die Wet op die Bemaking van Landbouprodukte, 1996 (Wet No. 47 van 1996);

“**produsent**” 'n persoon wat sojabone produseer of 'n persoon in wie se belang sojabone geproduseer word;

“**SACTA**” die SA Cultivar and Technology Agency NPC; en

“**sojabone**” graan van die spesie *Glycine max*.

Oogmerk en doelwit van die statutêre maatreël in terme van die Wet

2. Die oogmerk en doelwit van hierdie statutêre maatreël is om telers van sojaboonvariëteite te vergoed vir hul bydrae tot die verkryging en benutting van verbeterde internasionale agri-verwante intellektuele eiendom tot voordeel van die sojaboonbedryf in die Republiek van Suid-Afrika.

Dit word van die landbousektor verwag om voedselsekerheid te verseker, die ekonomie te versterk en werksgeleenthede te skep. Hierdie doelwitte is in ooreenstemming met die bepalinge van artikel 2(3) van die Wet. Om hierdie doelwitte te bereik en die mededingende posisie van die sojaboonbedryf in die Republiek van Suid-Afrika te bevorder, is die produksie van hoë-opbrengs oeste van saadvariëteite wat optimaal geskik is vir bepaalde streke in die land, noodsaaklik.

Om die opbrengs uit moontlike uitvoere te optimaliseer, is dit noodsaaklik dat Suid-Afrikaanse produkte voldoen aan internasionale kwaliteitstandaarde en dat Suid-Afrikaanse produsente van sojabone kompetend is in die internasionale markte.

Hierdie statutêre maatreël sal deur die SA Cultivar and Technology Agency NPC (SACTA) geadministreer word. Die heffings wat ingevorder word, sal afsonderlik ten opsigte van sojabone geboekstaaf word. SACTA word ook jaarliks volgens algemeen aanvaarde rekenkundige praktyk geoudit. 'n Deel van die fondse wat by wyse van die heffing ingevorder word, sal toegespits word op kleinskaalse boere en transformasie in die sojaboonbedryf in die Republiek van Suid-Afrika. SACTA sal 20% van die fondse vir

transformasie aanwend deur middel van diensverskaffers van sy keuse, en jaarliks aan die Nasionale Landboubemarkingsraad daaroor verslag doen.

Produk waarop statutêre maatreël van toepassing is

3. Hierdie statutêre maatreël is op sojabone van toepassing.

Gebied waarin statutêre maatreël van toepassing is

4. Hierdie statutêre maatreël is in die geografiese gebied van die Republiek van Suid-Afrika van toepassing.

Instelling van heffing

5. 'n Heffing word hierby opgelê op alle sojabone –

(a) wat deur of namens die produsent daarvan verkoop word;

(b) wat verwerk of omskep word of laat verwerk of omskep word in 'n sojaboonprodukt, indien sodanige sojaboonprodukt bestem is om van die hand gesit te word;

(c) ten opsigte waarvan 'n silo-ontvangsbewys uitgereik word, indien die heffing ten opsigte van sodanige sojabone nog nie ingevolge paragraaf (a) of (b) hierbo betaal is nie; en

(d) wat uit die Republiek van Suid-Afrika uitgevoer word, indien die heffing ten opsigte van sodanige sojabone nog nie ingevolge paragraaf (a), (b) of (c) hierbo betaal is nie.

Bedrag van heffing

6. Die bedrag van die heffing (Belasting op Toegevoegde Waarde uitgesluit) is soos volg:

Kommoditeit	Periode	Bedrag (BTW uitgeluit)
Soybeans	1/3/2025 to 28/2/2026	R70,00 per metrieke ton
	1/3/2026 to 28/2/2027	R73,00 per metrieke ton
	1/3/2027 to 28/2/2028	R84,00 per metrieke ton

Persone deur wie heffing betaalbaar is

7(1) Die heffing in terme van klousule 5 opgelê, sal betaalbaar wees deur:

(a) in die geval van 'n heffing in klousule 5(a) bedoel, die koper van die sojabone;

(b) in die geval van 'n heffing in klousule 5(b) bedoel, die verwerker of om skepper van die sojabone;

(c) in die geval van 'n heffing in klousule 5(c) bedoel, die persoon wat sodanige silo-ontvangsbewys uitreik; en

(d) in die geval van 'n heffing in klousule 5(d) bedoel, die persoon wat sodanige sojabone uitvoer.

(2) Die bedrag van die heffing wat deur die koper, verwerker of omskepper ingevolge subklousule (1)(a) of (1)(b) betaalbaar is, kan van die produsent verhaal word.

(3) Die bedrag van die heffing wat ingevolge subklousule (1)(c) deur die uitreiker van die silo-ontvangsbewys betaalbaar is, kan van die persoon aan wie sodanige silo-ontvangsbewys uitgereik word, verhaal word.

(4) Persone vermeld in subklousules (1)(a), (1)(b) en (1)(c) wat aan die vereistes van hierdie statutêre maatreël voldoen, mag 2,5% van die waarde van die heffing wat sodanig oorbetaal is van SACTA eis, in ooreenstemming met die voorwaardes wat van tyd tot tyd deur SACTA bepaal word.

Betaling van die heffing

8(1) Die heffing ingevolge klousule 5 opgelê moet nie later as die laaste dag van die maand volgende op die maand waarin die sojabone verkoop, vir verkoop gelewer, uitgevoer, verwerk of omgesit, of waarin 'n silo-ontvangsbewys uitgereik is, deur die persone in klousule 7 bedoel, betaal word nie.

(2) Betaling moet ten gunste van die SA Cultivar and Technology Agency NPC gemaak word, en moet vergesel gaan van 'n behoorlik voltooide heffingopgawevorm, wat sodanige inligting bevat as wat van tyd tot tyd deur SACTA vereis word. Indien geen heffing betaalbaar is in n gegewe maand nie, moet 'n nul opgawe aan SACTA voorsien word.

(3) Betaling moet –

(a) wanneer per pos gestuur, geadresseer wees aan –

Die SA Cultivar and Technology Agency NPC

Posbus 74626

LYNNWOOD RIDGE

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(b) wanneer per hand afgelewer, afgelewer word by –

Die SA Cultivar and Technology Agency NPC

Graangebou Agri-hub Kantoorpark (Blok D)

Witheritestraat 477/478

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- (c) wanneer elektronies oorgeplaas, inbetaal word in die bankrekening van die SA Cultivar and Technology Agency NPC.

Inwerkingtreëding en tydperk van geldigheid

9(1) Hierdie statutêre maatreël tree op 1 Maart 2025 in werking en verval op 28 Februarie 2028.

(2) Nieteenstaande die bepalings van subklousule (1) hierbo mag die Minister, na 'n evaluasie en hersiening van die maatreël kragtens artikel 9(1)(f) van die Wet, by kennisgewing in die Staatskoerant bepaal dat die maatreël op 'n datum in daardie kennisgewing uiteengesit, verval: Met dien verstande dat sodanige datum nie later mag wees as die datum kragtens subklousule (1) hierbo bepaal nie.

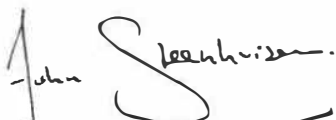
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, LAND REFORM AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

NO. R. 5816

31 January 2025

AGRICULTURAL PESTS ACT, 1983
(ACT NO. 36 OF 1983)**CONTROL MEASURES RELATING TO POLYPHAGOUS SHOT HOLE BORER:
AMENDMENT**

I, John Steenhuisen, Minister of Agriculture, acting under section 6 of the Agricultural Pests Act, 1983 (Act No. 36 of 1983), has amended the Control Measures set out in the Schedule.



MR J STEENHUISEN, MP
MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE

SCHEDULE

In this Schedule “the Control Measures” means the control measures published in the Government Notice No. R. 725 of 13 August 2021.

Amendment of definitions of the Control Measures

1. The definitions of the Control Measures are hereby amended by the insertion of the following definitions in their correct alphabetical order-

“**pest**” means any species, strain or biotype of plant, animal or pathogenic agent injurious to plants or plant products;

“**quarantine pest**” means any pest of potential economic importance to the area endangered thereby and not yet present there, or present but not yet widely distributed and being officially controlled;

“**regulated pest**” means a quarantine pest or a regulated non-quarantine pest;”

2. The following definitions are hereby substituted for the definitions of “infested plant” and “reproductive host plants” respectively-

“**infested plant**” means the presence in a plant and/ or wood of a living pest of the plant or plant product concerned;

“**reproductive host plant/s**” means the plant, part of a plant, and/or wood that the beetle infests and where it successfully establishes a breeding gallery in which the fungus grows, where eggs are laid, and larvae develop into mature adults, thus completing its life cycle.”

Amendment of control measure 2 of the Control Measures

3. Control measure 2 is hereby amended by the addition of the following sub control measure:

“(3) The reporting procedures to be followed when a new pest or regulated pest of plants has been detected in South Africa are specified in appendix 1 of these Control Measures.”

Amendment of control measure 4 of the Control Measures

4. The control measure 4 of the Control Measures is hereby substituted by-

(a) the substitution for the heading of the control measure of the following heading:

“Prohibition relating to the removal, keeping, planting or cultivation of infested plant/ wood”

(b) the substitution for sub-control measure (2) of the following sub-control measure:

“(2) No user of land shall keep, plant or cultivate any Polyphagous Shot Hole Borer infested plant/wood listed in table 2 and 3 in any land within the Republic.”

Substitution of control measure 5 of the Control Measures

5. The following control measure is hereby substituted for control measure 5 of the Control Measures:

“5: The executive officer and/or an authorised person shall issue an official order, which shall be complied with in terms of section 7 of the Act to any area infested with Polyphagous Shot Hole Borer.”

Amendment of the control measure 6 of the Control Measures

6. Control measure 6 of the Control Measures is hereby amended by:

(a) the substitution for the heading of the control measure of the following heading:

“Destruction of infested plants, part of a plant, plant products and other regulated articles”

(b) the substitution for control measure 6 of the following control measure:

“6. If the executive officer and/or an authorised person suspect on a reasonable ground or has established that plants, part of a plant, plant products and other regulated articles have been kept or cultivated, removed, or conveyed contrary to the provisions of these Control Measures, he/she may-

(a) destroy such infested plants, part of a plant, plant products and other regulated articles listed under table 2;

(b) order that the user of land or owner of land shall destroy such infested plants, part of a plant, plant products and other regulated article in line with the phytosanitary guidelines.”

Amendment of the control measure 10 of the Control Measures

7. The following paragraph is hereby substituted for paragraph (b) of control measure 10(2) of the control measures:

“(b) after having been thus completed, paying the fees specified in table 6 of the Control Measures R. 110 of 27 January 1984, shall be submitted to the executive officer of the said Act; and”

Substitution of table 2 of the Control Measures

8. The following Table is hereby substituted for Table 2 of the Control Measures:

TABLE 2
Reproductive host plant

Scientific name	Common name
<i>Persea americana</i>	Avocado
<i>Carya illinoensis</i>	Pecan nut
<i>Macadamia integrifolia</i>	Macadamia nut

Amendment of table 3 of the Control Measures

9. Table 3 of the Control Measures is hereby amended by the inclusion of the following non-reproductive host plant-

TABLE 3**Non-reproductive host plant**

<i>Malus domestica</i>	Apple
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10. Table 3 of the Control Measures is hereby amended by the deletion of the following non-reproductive host plant -

<i>Carya illinoensis</i>	Pecan nut
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Addition of Appendix to Control Measures

11. The following Appendix is added to the Control Measures:

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, LAND REFORM AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

NO. R. 5817

31 January 2025

AGRICULTURAL PRODUCT STANDARDS ACT, 1990 (ACT No. 119 OF 1990)

REGULATIONS REGARDING CONTROL OVER THE SALE OF FROZEN FRUIT AND FROZEN
VEGETABLES IN THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA: REVISION OF THE REGULATIONS


INVITATION FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS

I, John Steenhuisen, Minister of Agriculture, acting under section 15 of the Agricultural Product Standards Act, 1990 (Act No. 119 of 1990), hereby make known that I intend to publish revised regulations regarding control over the sale of frozen fruit and frozen vegetables in the Republic of South Africa.

All interested parties are invited to submit comments and any representations concerning the proposed revised regulations in writing within **30 days** from the date of publication of this Notice to the following address:

Executive Officer: Agricultural Product Standards
Department of Agriculture
Private Bag X343, Pretoria, 0001
30 Hamilton Street, Harvest House Building, Arcadia, Room 157
Tel. no. 012 319 6106; Fax no. 012 319 6265
Email: PurityM@dalrrd.gov.za

The revised regulations are available on the Department's website www.dalrrd.gov.za, go to "Branches" → "Agricultural Production, Health & Food Safety" → "Food Safety & Quality Assurance" → "Draft legislation for comments", or can be forwarded via electronic mail or posted to any person upon request.



Mr John Steenhuisen
Minister: Agriculture

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, LAND REFORM AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

NO. R. 5818

31 January 2025

AGRICULTURAL PRODUCT STANDARDS ACT, 1990
(ACT No. 119 OF 1990)

REGULATIONS REGARDING DEPARTMENTAL FEES: AMENDMENT

The Minister for Agriculture, Land Reform and Rural Development has, under section 15 of the Agricultural Product Standards Act, 1990 (Act No. 119 of 1990) -

- (a) made the regulations in the Schedule; and
- (b) determined that the said regulations shall come into operation on 1 April 2025.

SCHEDULE

Definition

1. In this Schedule "the Regulations" means the Regulations published by Government Notice No. R. 1259 of 27 September 2019, as amended by Government Notices Nos. R. 179 of 21 February 2020, R. 359 of 23 April 2021, R. 1918 of 25 March 2022 and R. 2956, 27 January 2023 and R. 4367 of 16 February 2024.

Substitution of Tables 1,2,3,4 and 5 in the Regulations

2. The Regulations are hereby amended by substituting Tables 1,2,3,4 and 5 with the following Tables respectively:

TABLE 1

ANALYSIS, INSPECTION AND AUDIT FEES (LOCAL AND IMPORT)
[Reg. 2]

Function 1	Fees payable 2
1. Quality control analysis	
Determination of:	
(a) Moisture in dried fruits	R 344.00 per sample
(b) Total solids in bread	R 25.00 per sample
(c) Total acidity and Brix in fruit juices	R 198.00 per sample
(d) % ash in honey	R 67.00 per sample
(e) Lund in honey	R 103.00 per sample
(f) Moisture in honey	R 88.00 per sample
(g) HMF (hydroxy-methylfurfural) in honey	R 144.00 per sample
(h) Total acidity in honey	R 319.00 per sample
(i) Free acid in honey	R 200.00 per sample
(j) Specific rotation in honey	R 216.00 per sample
(k) % acid in vinegar	R 466.00 per sample

Function 1	Fees payable 2
(l) Oxidation value in vinegar	R 702.00 per sample
(m) Sulphur dioxide in dried fruits	R 177.00 per sample
(n) Fat in food dressing and separable dressing	R 399.00 per sample
(o) Fat in milk	R 305.00 per sample
(p) Fat in cheese and processed cheese	R 450.00 per sample
(q) Fat in dried milk	R 279.00 per sample
(r) Salt in butter	R 122.00 per sample
(s) Fat in cream	R 285.00 per sample
(t) Fat in skimmed milk, whey and buttermilk	R 316.00 per sample
(u) Fat in evaporated milk and sweetened condensed milk	R 275.00 per sample
(v) Fat in butter-oil	R 129.00 per sample
(w) Moisture in butter	R 107.00 per sample
(x) Fat in butter	R 182.00 per sample
(y) Total solids in cheese and processed cheese	R 288.00 per sample
(z) Total solids in milk, cream and evaporated milk	R 124.00 per sample
(aa) Total solids in yoghurt	R 128.00 per sample
(ab) Total solids in sweetened condensed milk	R 149.00 per sample
(ac) Water in dried milk and dried cream	R 97.00 per sample
(ad) Fat in milk-based edible ices and ice mixes	R 272.00 per sample
(ae) Total solids in ice-cream and milk ice	R 149.00 per sample
(af) Starch in milk powder and compound feeding stuffs	R 72.00 per sample
(ag) Added water, protein and lactose in dairy products using a Lactoscan	R 96.00 per sample
(ah) pH in liquid milk	R 55.00 per sample
2. Inspections	
2.1 Imports	
(a) Inspection and valuation of products outside the port of entry. This tariff includes consignments imported through official ports of entry and granted an extended detention	R 310.00 for 30 minutes or portion thereof, including traveling time and time spent on sample analysis by the inspector
(b) Outside official office hours	

Function 1	Fees payable 2
(i) Weekdays from 16:00-20:00/06:00-07:30 and Saturdays from 06:00-20:00	R 450.00 for 30 minutes or portion thereof including travelling time and time spent on sample analysis by the inspector
(ii) Weekdays and Saturdays from 20:00-06:00, Sundays and public holidays	R 580.00 for 30 minutes or portion thereof including travelling time and time spent on sample analysis by the inspector
(c) Re-inspection and evaluation of imported products that were rejected and corrected after inspection	
(i) Office Hours	R 310.00 for 30 minutes or portion thereof, including traveling time and time spent on sample analysis by the inspector
(ii) Outside Office Hours	
(aa) Weekdays from 16:00-20:00/06:00-07:30 and Saturdays from 06:00-20:00	R 450.00 for 30 minutes or portion thereof including travelling time and time spent on sample analysis by the inspector
(bb) Weekdays and Saturdays from 20:00-06:00, Sundays and public holidays	R 580.00 for 30 minutes or portion thereof including travelling time and time spent on sample analysis by the inspector
2.2 Local markets	
(a) Inspection and evaluation of products	
(i) Office hours	R 310.00 for 30 minutes or portion thereof, including traveling time and time spent on sample analysis by the inspector
(b) Re-inspection and evaluation of products that were rejected and corrected after inspection	
(i) Office hours	R 310.00 for 30 minutes or portion thereof, including traveling time and time spent on sample analysis by the inspector
(ii) Outside Office hours	
(aa) Weekdays from 16:00-20:00/06:00-07:30 and Saturdays from 06:00-20:00	R 450.00 for 30 minutes or portion thereof including travelling time and time spent on sample analysis by the inspector
(bb) Weekdays and Saturdays from 20:00-06:00, Sundays and public holidays	R 580.00 for 30 minutes or portion thereof including travelling time and time spent on sample analysis by the inspector

TABLE 2

ANALYSIS FEES (EXPORT)
[Reg. 3]

Laboratory analysis 1	Fees payable 2
1. Qualitative microbiological analysis	
Determination of:	

Laboratory analysis	Fees payable
(a) E. Coli	R 198.00 per sample
(b) Salmonella	R 198.00 per sample
(c) Total Bacterial Count	R 198.00 per sample
2. Pesticide residue testing	R 905.00 per sample

TABLE 3

**FEEES FOR COLOUR CHARTS (LOCAL, IMPORT AND EXPORT)
[Reg. 4]**

Function 1	Fees payable 2
Illustrated colour charts	(a) R 56.00 per A2 chart (b) R 40.00 per A3 chart (c) R 33.00 per A4 chart (d) R 19.00 per A5 chart

TABLE 4

**LOCAL AND IMPORT APPEAL FEES
[Reg. 5]**

Function 1	Fees payable 2
Appeal lodged against a decision or direction of the Executive Officer or an assignee	R 3 148.00 per consignment or per appeal

TABLE 5

**EXPORT APPEAL FEES
[Reg. 5]**

Function 1	Fees payable 2
Appeal lodged against a decision or direction of the Executive Officer or an assignee	R 3 148.00 per consignment or per appeal

DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND LABOUR

NO. R. 5819

31 January 2025

LABOUR RELATIONS ACT, 1995

CHANGE OF NAME OF A TRADE UNION

I, Mongwadi Mary Ngwetjana, the Deputy Registrar of Labour Relations, hereby notify, in terms of section 109(2) of the Labour Relations Act, 1995, that the **South African Rugby Players Association (SARPA) (LR2/6/2/643)** resolved to change its name.

With effect from 17 January 2025.....the trade union is registered as the **MyPlayers Industrial Association (MPIA)**



DEPUTY REGISTRAR OF LABOUR RELATIONS

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PROCLAMATION NOTICE 243 OF 2025

**by the
PRESIDENT of the REPUBLIC of SOUTH AFRICA**

SPECIAL INVESTIGATING UNITS AND SPECIAL TRIBUNALS ACT, 1996 (ACT NO. 74 OF 1996): REFERRAL OF MATTERS TO EXISTING SPECIAL INVESTIGATING UNIT

WHEREAS allegations as contemplated in section 2(2) of the Special Investigating Units and Special Tribunals Act, 1996 (Act No. 74 of 1996) (hereinafter referred to as “the Act”), have been made in respect of the affairs of Ithala Development Finance Corporation and its wholly owned subsidiary, Ithala (SOC) Limited, situated in KwaZulu-Natal Province (hereinafter referred to as “the Corporation”);

AND WHEREAS the State or the Corporation may have suffered losses that may be recovered;

AND WHEREAS I deem it necessary that the said allegations should be investigated and civil proceedings emanating from such investigation should be adjudicated upon;

NOW, THEREFORE, I hereby, under section 2(1) of the Act, refer the matters mentioned in the Schedule, in respect of the Corporation, for investigation to the Special Investigating Unit established by Proclamation No. R. 118 of 31 July 2001 and determine that, for the purposes of the investigation of the matters, the terms of reference of the Special Investigating Unit are to investigate as contemplated in the Act, any alleged—

- (a) serious maladministration in connection with the affairs of the Corporation;
- (b) improper or unlawful conduct by officials or employees of the Corporation;
- (c) unlawful appropriation or expenditure of public money or property;
- (d) unlawful, irregular or unapproved acquisitive act, transaction, measure or practice having a bearing upon State property;
- (e) intentional or negligent loss of public money or damage to public property;
- (f) offence referred to in Parts 1 to 4, or section 17, 20 or 21 (in so far as it relates to the aforementioned offences) of Chapter 2 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act, 2004 (Act No. 12 of 2004), and which offences were committed in connection with the affairs of the Corporation; or
- (g) unlawful or improper conduct by any person, which has caused or may cause serious harm to the interests of the public or any category thereof,

which took place between 1 January 2017 and the date of publication of this Proclamation or which took place prior to 1 January 2017 or after the date of publication of this Proclamation, but is relevant to, connected with, incidental or ancillary to the matters mentioned in the Schedule or involve the same persons, entities or contracts investigated under authority of this Proclamation, and to exercise or perform all the functions and powers assigned to or conferred upon the said Special Investigating Unit by the Act, including the recovery of any losses suffered by the State or the Corporation, in relation to the said matters in the Schedule.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Republic of South Africa at Pretoria this twenty-third day of December Two thousand and twenty four.

**CM Ramaphosa
President**

By Order of the President-in-Cabinet:

**M T Kubayi
Minister of the Cabinet**

SCHEDULE

1. Maladministration in the affairs of the Corporation in respect of the procurement of, or contracting for an Integrated Banking Solution by or on behalf of the Corporation, in terms of Bid: RFP 09/17, and payments made in respect thereof in a manner that was—
 - (a) not fair, competitive, transparent, equitable or cost-effective;
 - (b) contrary to applicable—
 - (i) legislation;
 - (ii) manuals, guidelines, practice notes, circulars or instructions issued by the National Treasury or the relevant Provincial Treasury; or
 - (iii) manuals, policies, procedures, prescripts, instructions or practices of, or applicable to the Corporation,and any related unauthorised, irregular or fruitless and wasteful expenditure incurred by the State or the Corporation.
2. Any improper or unlawful conduct by the officials or employees of the Corporation, or any other person or entity, in relation to the allegations set out in paragraph 1 of this Schedule.

PROKLAMASIE KENNISGEWING 243 VAN 2025
van die
PRESIDENT van die REPUBLIEK van SUID-AFRIKA

WET OP SPESIALE ONDERSOEKEENHEDE EN SPESIALE TRIBUNALE, 1996 (WET NO. 74 VAN 1996): VERWYSING VAN AANGELEENTHEDE NA BESTAANDE SPESIALE ONDERSOEKEENHEID

AANGESIEN bewerings soos beoog in artikel 2(2) van die Wet op Spesiale Ondersoekeenheede en Spesiale Tribunale, 1996 (Wet No. 74 van 1996) (hierna na verwys as die “Wet”), gemaak is in verband met die aangeleentheede van die Ithala Ontwikkelingsfinansierings Korporasie en sy volfiliaal, Ithala Ver Beperk, geleë in die KwaZulu-Natal Provinsie (hierna na verwys as “die Korporasie”);

EN AANGESIEN die Staat of die Korporasie verliese gely het wat moontlik verhaal kan word;

EN AANGESIEN ek dit nodig ag dat gemelde bewerings ondersoek en siviele geskille voortspruitend uit sodanige ondersoek bereg moet word;

DERHALWE verwys ek hierby, kragtens artikel 2(1) van die Wet, die aangeleentheede in die Bylae vermeld, ten opsigte van die Korporasie vir ondersoek na die Spesiale Ondersoekeenheid ingestel by Proklamasie No. R. 118 van 31 Julie 2001 en bepaal dat, vir die doeleindes van die ondersoek van die aangeleentheede, dit die opdrag van die Spesiale Ondersoekeenheid is om soos beoog in gemelde Wet, ondersoek te doen na enige beweerde—

- (a) ernstige wanadministrasie in verband met die aangeleentheede van die Korporasie;
- (b) onbehoorlike of onregmatige optrede deur beamptes of werknemers van die Korporasie;
- (c) onregmatige bewilliging of besteding van openbare geld of eiendom;
- (d) onwettige, onreëlmatige of nie-goedgekeurde verkrygende handeling, transaksie, maatreël of praktyk wat op Staatseiendom betrekking het;
- (e) opsetlike of nalatige verlies van openbare geld of skade aan openbare eiendom;
- (f) misdryf bedoel in Dele 1 tot 4, van artikel 17, 20 of 21 (vir sover dit op voornoemde misdrywe betrekking het) van Hoofstuk 2 van die Wet op die Voorkoming en Bestryding van Korrupte Bedrywighede, 2004 (Wet No. 12 van 2004), en welke misdrywe in verband met die sake van die Korporasie gepleeg is; of
- (g) onwettige of onbehoorlike optrede deur enige persoon wat ernstige benadeling vir die belange van die publiek of enige kategorie daarvan veroorsaak het of kan veroorsaak, wat plaasgevind het tussen 1 Januarie 2017 en die datum van publikasie van hierdie Proklamasie of wat plaasgevind het voor 1 Januarie 2017 of na die datum van publikasie van hierdie Proklamasie, wat relevant is tot, verband hou met, insidenteel of bykomstig is tot die aangeleentheede vermeld in die Bylae of wat dieselfde persone, entiteite of kontrakte betrek wat ondersoek word kragtens die volmag verleen deur hierdie Proklamasie, en om al die werksaamhede en bevoegdhede wat deur die Wet aan die gemelde Spesiale Ondersoekeenheid toegewys of opgedra is, uit te oefen of te verrig in verband met die genoemde aangeleentheede in die Bylae, insluitend die verhaal van enige verliese wat deur die Staat of die Korporasie gely is.

Gegee onder my Hand en die Seël van die Republiek van Suid-Afrika te Pretoria op hede die drie-en-twintigste dag van Desember Twee duisend-en- vier-en-twintig.

CM Ramaphosa
President

Op las van die President-in-Kabinet:

M T Kubayi
Minister van die Kabinet

BYLAE

1. Wanadministrasie in die sake van die Korporasie ten opsigte van die aanskaffing van of kontraktering vir 'n Geïntegreerde Bankoplossing deur of namens die Korporasie ingevolge Bod: RFP 09/17 en betalings wat in verband daarmee gemaak is op 'n wyse wat—

(a) nie regverdig, mededingend, deursigtig, billik, of koste-effektief was nie;

(b) strydig was met toepaslike—

(i) wetgewing;

(ii) handleidings, riglyne, praktyknotas, omsendbriewe of instruksies wat deur die Nasionale Tesourie of toepaslike Provinsiale Tesourie uitgevaardig is; of

(iii) handleidings, beleid, prosedures, voorskrifte, instruksies of praktyke van, of wat op die Korporasie van toepassing is,

en verbandhoudende ongemagtigde, onreëlmatige of vrugtelose en verkwiste uitgawes wat deur die Staat of die Korporasie opgedoen was.

2. Enige onwettige of onbehoorlike gedrag deur beamptes of werknemers van die Korporasie of enige ander persoon of entiteit, ten opsigte van die bewering uiteengesit in paragraaf 1 van hierdie Bylae.

PROCLAMATION NOTICE 244 OF 2025

**by the
PRESIDENT of the REPUBLIC of SOUTH AFRICA**

SPECIAL INVESTIGATING UNITS AND SPECIAL TRIBUNALS ACT, 1996 (ACT NO. 74 OF 1996): REFERRAL OF MATTERS TO EXISTING SPECIAL INVESTIGATING UNIT AND SPECIAL TRIBUNAL: GREATER KOKSTAD LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

WHEREAS allegations as contemplated in section 2(2) of the Special Investigating Units and Special Tribunals Act, 1996 (Act No. 74 of 1996) (hereinafter referred to as the "Act"), have been made in respect of the affairs of the Greater Kokstad Local Municipality, situated in the KwaZulu-Natal Province (hereinafter referred to as "the Municipality");

AND WHEREAS the Municipality may have suffered losses that may be recovered;

AND WHEREAS I deem it necessary that the said allegations should be investigated and civil proceedings emanating from such investigation should be adjudicated upon;

NOW, THEREFORE, I hereby, under section 2(1) of the Act, refer the matters mentioned in the Schedule, in respect of the Municipality, for investigation to the Special Investigating Unit established by Proclamation No. R. 118 of 31 July 2001 and determine that, for the purposes of the investigation of the matters, the terms of reference of the Special Investigating Unit are to investigate as contemplated in the Act, any alleged—

- (a) serious maladministration in connection with the affairs of the Municipality;
- (b) improper or unlawful conduct by employees of the Municipality;
- (c) unlawful appropriation or expenditure of public money or property;
- (d) unlawful, irregular or unapproved acquisitive act, transaction, measure or practice having a bearing upon State property;
- (e) intentional or negligent loss of public money or damage to public property;
- (f) offence referred to in Parts 1 to 4, or section 17, 20 or 21 (in so far as it relates to the aforementioned offences) of Chapter 2 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act, 2004 (Act No. 12 of 2004), and which offences were

committed in connection with the affairs of the Municipality; or

(g) unlawful or improper conduct by any person, which has caused or may cause serious harm to the interests of the public or any category thereof, which took place between 1 January 2022 and the date of publication of this Proclamation or which took place prior to 1 January 2022 or after the date of publication of this Proclamation, but is relevant to, connected with, incidental or ancillary to the matters mentioned in the Schedule or involve the same persons, entities or contracts investigated under authority of this Proclamation, and to exercise or perform all the functions and powers assigned to or conferred upon the said Special Investigating Unit by the Act, including the recovery of any losses suffered by the Municipality or the State, in relation to the said matters in the Schedule.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Republic of South Africa at Pretoria this 23 day of December Two thousand and twenty four

President

By Order of the President-in-Cabinet:

Minister of the Cabinet

SCHEDULE

1. The procurement of, or contracting for goods, works or services by or on behalf of the Municipality and payments made in respect thereof in a manner that was—
 - (a) not fair, competitive, transparent, equitable or cost-effective; or
 - (b) contrary to applicable –
 - (i) legislation;
 - (ii) manuals, guidelines, practice notes, circulars or instructions issued by the National Treasury or the relevant Provincial Treasury;
 - (iii) manuals, policies, procedures, prescripts, instructions or practices of or applicable to the Municipality;and any related unauthorised, irregular or fruitless and wasteful expenditure incurred by the Municipality in relation to –
 - (aa) Bid number GKM 19-22/23, for the appointment of a service provider for the supply and renewal of software licences for a period of three years; and;
 - (bb) Bid number GKM 16-22/23, for the appointment of a service provider for the supply of a customer care and IT service desk solution for a period of three years.

2. Any irregular, unlawful or improper conduct by officials or employees of the Municipality, the relevant suppliers or service providers of the Municipality or any other person or entity, in relation to the allegations set out in paragraph 1 of this Schedule.

PROKLAMASIE KENNISGEWING 244 VAN 2025
van die
PRESIDENT van die REPUBLIEK van SUID-AFRIKA

WET OP SPESIALE ONDERSOEKEENHEDE EN SPESIALE TRIBUNALE, 1996
(WET NO. 74 VAN 1996): VERWYSING VAN AANGELEENTHEDE NA
BESTAANDE SPESIALE ONDERSOEKEENHEID EN SPESIALE TRIBUNAAL:
GROTER KOKSTAD PLAASLIKE MUNISIPALITEIT

AANGESIEN bewerings soos beoog in artikel 2(2) van die Wet op Spesiale Ondersoekeenhede en Spesiale Tribunale, 1996 (Wet No. 74 van 1996) (hierna na verwys as “die Wet”), gemaak is in verband met die aangeleentede van die Groter Kokstad Plaaslike Munisipaliteit (hierna na verwys as “die Munisipaliteit”);

EN AANGESIEN die Munisipaliteit verliese gely het wat verhaal kan word;

EN AANGESIEN ek dit nodig ag dat gemelde bewerings ondersoek en siviele geskille voortspruitend uit sodanige ondersoek bereg moet word;

DERHALWE verwys ek hierby, kragtens artikel 2(1) van die Wet, die aangeleentede in die Bylae vermeld ten opsigte van die Munisipaliteit, vir ondersoek na die Spesiale Ondersoekeenhede ingestel by Proklamasie No. R. 118 van 31 Julie 2001 en bepaal dat, vir die doeleindes van die ondersoek van die aangeleentede, die opdrag van die Spesiale Ondersoekeenhede is om soos beoog in gemelde Wet, ondersoek te doen na enige beweerde—

- (a) ernstige wanadministrasie in verband met die aangeleentede van die Munisipaliteit;
- (b) onbehoorlike of onregmatige optrede deur werknemers van die Munisipaliteit;
- (c) onregmatige bewilliging of besteding van publieke geld of eiendom;
- (d) onwettige, onreëlmatige of nie-goedgekeurde verkrygende handeling, transaksie, maatreël of praktyk wat op Staatseiendom betrekking het;
- (e) opsetlike of nalatige verlies van publieke geld of skade aan publieke eiendom;
- (f) misdryf bedoel in Dele 1 tot 4, of artikel 17, 20 of 21 (vir sover dit op voornoemde misdrywe betrekking het) van Hoofstuk 2 van die Wet op die Voorkoming en

Bestryding van Korrupte Bedrywighede, 2004 (Wet No. 12 van 2004), en welke misdrywe gepleeg is in verband met die sake van die Munisipaliteit; of

- (g) onwettige of onbehoorlike optrede deur enige persoon wat ernstige benadeling vir die belange van die publiek of enige kategorie daarvan veroorsaak het of kan veroorsaak,

wat plaasgevind het tussen 1 Januarie 2022 en die datum van publikasie van hierdie Proklamasie of wat plaasgevind het voor 1 Januarie 2022 of na die datum van publikasie van hierdie Proklamasie, wat relevant is tot, verband hou met, insidenteel of bykomstig is tot, die aangeleenthede vermeld in die Bylae of wat dieselfde persone, entiteite of kontrakte betrek wat ondersoek word kragtens die volmag verleen deur hierdie Proklamasie, en om al die werksaamhede en bevoegdhede wat deur die Wet aan die gemelde Spesiale Ondersoekeenheid toegewys of opgedra is, insluitend die verhaal van enige verliese wat deur die Munisipaliteit of die Staat gely is uit te oefen of te verrig in verband met die genoemde aangeleenthede in die Bylae.

Gegee onder my Hand en die Seël van die Republiek van Suid-Afrika te Pretoria op hede die 23 dag van Desember Twee duisend-vier-en-twintig.

President

Op las van die President-in-Kabinet:

Minister van die Kabinet

BYLAE

1. Die verkryging van, of kontraktering vir, goedere, werke of dienste deur of namens die Munisipaliteit en betalings in verband daarmee gemaak op 'n wyse wat—
 - (a) nie regverdig, mededingend, deursigtig, billik of koste-effektief was nie; of
 - (b) strydig was met toepaslike—
 - (i) wetgewing;
 - (ii) handleidings, riglyne, praktyknotas, omsendskrywes of instruksies wat deur die Nasionale Tesourie of betrokke Provinsiale Tesourie uitgevaardig is; of
 - (iii) handleidings, beleid, prosedures, voorskrifte, instruksies of praktyke van, of wat op die Munisipaliteit van toepassing is;

en enige verbandhoudende ongemagtigde, onreëlmatige of vrugtelose en verspilte uitgawes wat deur die Munisipaliteit aangegaan is met betrekking tot—

 - (aa) Bod nommer GKM 19-22/23, vir die aanstelling van 'n diensverskaffer vir die voorsiening en hernuwing van sagteware lisensies vir 'n tydperk van drie jaar; en
 - (bb) Bod nommer GKM 16-22/23, vir die aanstelling van 'n diensverskaffer vir die voorsiening van 'n kliënte sorg en IT diens toonbank oplossing vir 'n tydperk van drie jaar.
2. Enige onreëlmatige, onbehoorlike of onwettige optrede deur werknemers of beamptes van die Munisipaliteit, die betrokke diensverskaffers van die Munisipaliteit of enige ander persoon of entiteit, ten opsigte van die bewerings uiteengesit in paragraaf 1 van hierdie Bylae.

PROCLAMATION NOTICE 245 OF 2025

**by the
PRESIDENT of the REPUBLIC of SOUTH AFRICA**

SPECIAL INVESTIGATING UNITS AND SPECIAL TRIBUNALS ACT, 1996 (ACT NO. 74 OF 1996): REFERRAL OF MATTERS TO EXISTING SPECIAL INVESTIGATING UNIT AND SPECIAL TRIBUNAL: LEPELLE-NKUMPI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

WHEREAS allegations as contemplated in section 2(2) of the Special Investigating Units and Special Tribunals Act, 1996 (Act No. 74 of 1996), ("the Act"), have been made in respect of the affairs of the Lepelle-Nkumpi Local Municipality (hereinafter referred to as "the Municipality");

AND WHEREAS the Municipality may have suffered losses that may be recovered;

AND WHEREAS I deem it necessary that the said allegations should be investigated and civil proceedings emanating from such investigation should be adjudicated upon;

NOW, THEREFORE, I hereby, under section 2(1) of the Act, refer the matters mentioned in the Schedule, in respect of the Municipality for investigation to the Special Investigating Unit established by Proclamation No. R. 118 of 31 July 2001 and determine that, for the purposes of the investigation of the matters, the terms of reference of the Special Investigating Unit are to investigate as contemplated in the Act, any—

- (a) serious maladministration in connection with the affairs of the Municipality;
- (b) improper or unlawful conduct by employees of the Municipality;
- (c) unlawful appropriation or expenditure of public money or property;
- (d) unlawful, irregular or unapproved acquisitive act, transaction, measure or practice having a bearing upon State property;
- (e) intentional or negligent loss of public money or damage to public property;
- (f) offence referred to in Part 1 to 4, or section 17, 20 or 21 (in so far as it relates to the aforementioned offences) of Chapter 2 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act, 2004 (Act No. 12 of 2004), and which offences were committed in connection with the affairs of the Municipality; or
- (g) unlawful or improper conduct by any person, which has caused or may cause serious harm to the interests of the public or any category thereof,

which has taken place between 1 December 2013 and the date of publication of this Proclamation or which took place prior to 1 December 2013 or after the date of publication of this Proclamation, but is relevant to, connected with, incidental or ancillary to the matters mentioned in the Schedule or involve the same persons, entities or contracts investigated under authority of this Proclamation, and to exercise or perform all the functions and powers assigned to or conferred upon the said Special Investigating Unit by the Act, including the recovery of any losses suffered by the Municipality, in relation to the said matters in the Schedule.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Republic of South Africa at Pretoria this twenty-third day of December Two thousand and twenty-four.

**CM Ramaphosa
President**

By Order of the President-in-Cabinet:

**M T Kubayi
Minister of the Cabinet**

SCHEDULE

1. The procurement of and contracting for goods, works or services by or on behalf of the Municipality and payments made in respect thereof in a manner that was—

- (a) not fair, competitive, transparent, equitable or cost-effective;
- (b) contrary to applicable—
 - (i) legislation;
 - (ii) manuals, guidelines, circulars or instructions issued by the National Treasury or the relevant Provincial Treasury; or
 - (iii) manuals, policies, procedures, prescripts, instructions or practices of or applicable to the Municipality,

and any related unauthorised, irregular or fruitless and wasteful expenditure incurred by the Municipality in respect of—

- (aa) tender number LNM043/2014/2015 relating to the provision of professional services for the closure and rehabilitation plan of the old dumping site in Zone A;
- (bb) the award of contracts in, or about, August 2015 for the electrification of Rakgoatha Village Extension, Mapatjakeng Village Extension and Motserereng Village Extension;
- (cc) the award of a contract in, or about June 2016 for the upgrade of the access road from Units S to Q;
- (dd) the award of a contract in, or about June 2016 for the construction of the Madisha Ditoro small access bridge and the upgrading of internal streets and storm water drains (phase 1) in Rakgoatha;
- (ee) the award of a contract in, or about April 2016 for the tarring of 9 km of internal streets in Rockville and Unit S, Lebowakgomo; and
- (ff) the award of a contract in, or about December 2013 for the refurbishment of the Lebowakgomo Civic Centre.

2. Any unlawful or irregular conduct by—

- (a) employees of the Municipality; or
- (b) any other person or entity,

relating to the allegations referred to in paragraph 1 of this Schedule.

PROKLAMASIE KENNISGEWING 245 VAN 2025**van die
PRESIDENT van die REPUBLIEK van SUID AFRIKA****WET OP ONDERSOEKEENHEDE EN SPESIALE TRIBUNALE, 1996 (WET NO. 74 VAN 1996): VERWYSING VAN AANGELEENTHEDE NA BESTAANDE SPESIALE ONDERSOEKEENHEID: LEPELLE-NKUMPI PLAASLIKE MUNISIPALITEIT**

AANGESIEN bewerings soos beoog in artikel 2(2) van die Wet op Spesiale Ondersoekeenheede en Spesiale Tribunale, 1996 (Wet No. 74 van 1996) ("die Wet"), gemaak is in verband met die aangeleenthede van die Lepelle-Nkumpi Plaaslike Munisipaliteit (hierna na verwys as "die Munisipaliteit");

EN AANGESIEN die Munisipaliteit verliese kon gely het wat verhaal kan word;

EN AANGESIEN ek dit nodig ag dat gemelde bewerings ondersoek en siviele geskille voortspruitend uit sodanige ondersoek bereg moet word;

DERHALWE verwys ek hierby, kragtens artikel 2(1) van die Wet, die aangeleenthede in die Bylae vermeld ten opsigte van die Munisipaliteit, vir ondersoek na die Spesiale

Ondersoekeenheid ingestel by Proklamasie No. R. 118 van 31 Julie 2001 en bepaal dat, vir die doeleindes van die ondersoek van die aangeleenthede, die opdrag van die Spesiale Ondersoekeenheid is om soos beoog in gemelde Wet, ondersoek te doen na enige beweerde—

- (a) ernstige wanadministrasie in verband met die aangeleenthede van die Munisipaliteit;
- (b) onbehoorlike of onregmatige optrede deur werknemers van die Munisipaliteit;
- (c) onregmatige bewilliging of besteding van publieke geld of eiendom;
- (d) onwettige, onreëlmatige of nie-goedgekeurde verkrygende handeling, transaksie, maatreël of praktyk wat op Staatseiendom betrekking het;
- (e) opsetlike of nalatige verlies van publieke geld of skade aan publieke eiendom;
- (f) misdryf bedoel in Dele 1 tot 4, of artikel 17, 20 of 21 (vir sover dit op voornoemde misdrywe betrekking het) van Hoofstuk 2 van die Wet op die Voorkoming en Bestryding van Korrupte Bedrywighede, 2004 (Wet No. 12 van 2004), en welke misdrywe gepleeg is in verband met die sake van die Munisipaliteit; of
- (g) onwettige of onbehoorlike optrede deur enige persoon wat ernstige benadeling vir die belange van die publiek of enige kategorie daarvan veroorsaak het of kan veroorsaak, wat plaasgevind het tussen 1 Desember 2013 en die datum van publikasie van hierdie Proklamasie of wat plaasgevind het voor 1 Desember 2013 of na die datum van publikasie van hierdie Proklamasie, wat relevant is tot, verband hou met, insidenteel of bykomstig is tot, die aangeleenthede vermeld in die Bylae of wat dieselfde persone, entiteite of kontrakte betrek wat ondersoek word kragtens die volmag verleen deur hierdie Proklamasie, en om al die werksaamhede en bevoegdhede wat deur die Wet aan die gemelde Spesiale Ondersoekeenheid toegewys of opgedra is, uit te oefen of te verrig in verband met die genoemde aangeleenthede in die Bylae, insluitend die verhaal van enige verliese wat deur die Munisipaliteit gely is.

Gegee onder my Hand en die Seël van die Republiek van Suid-Afrika te Pretoria op hede die drie-en-twintigste dag van Desember Twee duisend-en- vier-en-twintig.

CM Ramaphosa
President

Op las van die President-in-Kabinet:

M T Kubayi
Minister van die Kabinet

BYLAE

1. Die verkryging van, of kontraktering van goedere, werke of dienste deur of namens die Munisipaliteit en betalings wat ten opsigte daarvan gemaak op 'n wyse wat—

- (a) nie regverdig, mededingend, deursigtig, billik of koste-effektief was nie; of
- (b) strydig was met toepaslike—
 - (i) wetgewing;
 - (ii) handleidings, riglyne, praktyknotas, omsendskrywes of instruksies wat deur die Nasionale Tesourie of die betrokke Provinsiale Tesourie uitgevaardig is; of
 - (iii) handleidings, beleid, prosedures, voorskrifte, instruksies of praktyke van, of wat op die Munisipaliteit van toepassing is,

en enige verwante ongemagtigde, onreëlmatige of vrugtelose en verkwiste uitgawes wat aangegaan is deur die Munisipaliteit ten opsigte van—

- (aa) tendernommer LNM043/2014/2015 wat toegeken is vir die voorsiening van professionele dienste vir die sluiting en rehabilitasieplan van die ou stortingsterrein in Zone A;
- (bb) die toekenning van kontrakte in, of ongeveer Augustus 2015 vir die elektrifisering van Rakgoatha Dorp Uitbreiding, Mapatjakeng Dorp Uitbreiding en Motserereng Dorp Uitbreiding;
- (cc) die toekenning van 'n kontrak in, of ongeveer Junie 2016 vir die opgradering van die toegangspad van Eenhede S tot Q;
- (dd) die toekenning van 'n kontrak in, of ongeveer Junie 2016 vir die konstruksie van die Madisha Ditoro klein toegangsbrug en die opgradering van interne strate en stormwaterdreins (fase 1) in Rakgoatha;
- (ee) die toekenning van 'n kontrak in, of ongeveer April 2016 vir die teer van 9 km interne strate in Rockville en Deel S, Lebowakgomo; en
- (ff) die toekenning van 'n kontrak in, of ongeveer Desember 2013 vir die opknapping van die Lebowakgomo Burgersentrum.

2. Enige onwettige of onbehoorlike gedrag deur—

- (a) werknemers van die Munisipaliteit;
- (b) enige ander persoon of entiteit,

met betrekking tot die bewerings uiteengesit in paragraaf 1 van hierdie Bylae.

PROCLAMATION NOTICE 246 OF 2025

by the
PRESIDENT of the REPUBLIC of SOUTH AFRICA

SPECIAL INVESTIGATING UNITS AND SPECIAL TRIBUNALS ACT, 1996 (ACT NO. 74 OF 1996): REFERRAL OF MATTERS TO EXISTING SPECIAL INVESTIGATING UNIT

WHEREAS allegations as contemplated in section 2(2) of the Special Investigating Units and Special Tribunals Act, 1996 (Act No. 74 of 1996) (hereinafter referred to as “the Act”), have been made in respect of the affairs of the Great North Transport (SOC) Ltd (hereinafter referred to as “the GNT”), which is situated in the Limpopo Province;

AND WHEREAS the State or the GNT may have suffered losses that may be recovered;

AND WHEREAS I deem it necessary that the said allegations should be investigated and civil proceedings emanating from such investigation should be adjudicated upon;

NOW, THEREFORE, I hereby, under section 2(1) of the Act, refer the matters mentioned in the Schedule, in respect of the GNT, for investigation to the Special Investigating Unit established by Proclamation No. R. 118 of 31 July 2001 and determine that, for the purposes of the investigation of the matters, the terms of reference of the Special Investigating Unit are to investigate as contemplated in the Act, any alleged—

- (a) serious maladministration in connection with the affairs of the GNT;
- (b) improper or unlawful conduct by board members, officials or employees of the GNT;
- (c) unlawful appropriation or expenditure of public money or property;
- (d) unlawful, irregular or unapproved acquisitive act, transaction, measure or practice having a bearing upon State property;
- (e) intentional or negligent loss of public money or damage to public property;
- (f) offence referred to in Parts 1 to 4, or section 17, 20 or 21 (in so far as it relates to the aforementioned offences) of Chapter 2 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act, 2004 (Act No. 12 of 2004), and which offences were committed in connection with the affairs of GNT; or
- (g) unlawful or improper conduct by any person, which has caused or may cause serious harm to the interests of the public or any category thereof,

which took place between 1 January 2002 and the date of publication of this Proclamation or which took place prior to 1 January 2002 or after the date of publication of this Proclamation, but is relevant to, connected with, incidental or ancillary to the matters mentioned in the Schedule or involve the same persons, entities or contracts investigated under authority of this Proclamation, and to exercise or perform all the functions and powers assigned to or conferred upon the said Special Investigating Unit by the Act, including the recovery of any losses suffered by the State or GNT, in relation to the said matters in the Schedule.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Republic of South Africa at Pretoria this twenty-third day of December Two thousand and twenty-four.

CM Ramaphosa
President

By Order of the President-in-Cabinet:

M T Kubayi
Minister of the Cabinet

SCHEDULE

1. The procurement of, or contracting for goods, works or services by or on behalf of the GNT and payments made in respect thereof in a manner that was—
 - (a) not fair, equitable, transparent, competitive or cost-effective;
 - (b) contrary to applicable—
 - (i) legislation;
 - (ii) manuals, guidelines, practice notes or instructions issued by National Treasury or the relevant Provincial Treasury; or
 - (iii) manuals, policies, procedures, prescripts; instructions or practices of, or applicable to GNT; or
 - (c) conducted by, or facilitated through, the improper or unlawful conduct of—
 - (i) board members, officials or employees of the GNT; or
 - (ii) contractors, suppliers or service providers of the GNT or any other person or entity,
to corruptly or unduly benefit themselves or any other person or entity,
and any related unauthorised, irregular or fruitless and wasteful expenditure incurred by the GNT or the State in relation to the—
 - (aa) appointment of Raletjena Technologies and Trading (Pty) Ltd;
 - (bb) extension of a contract between the GNT and Group 4 Security (Fidelity Cash Management) (Pty) Ltd;
 - (cc) appointment of Scania South Africa (Pty) Ltd to provide repair and maintenance services to the GNT;
 - (dd) procurement of 150 busses from Mercedes Benz South Africa (Pty) Ltd;
 - (ee) procurement of 87, 80-seater busses from MAN Truck and Bus South Africa (Pty) Ltd;
 - (ff) appointment of BB Truck and Tractor Services (Pty) Ltd to provide repair and maintenance services to the GNT;
 - (gg) procurement of legal services; or
 - (hh) procurement of a fleet management system.
2. Maladministration in the affairs of the GNT and any losses or prejudice suffered by the GNT or the State as a result of such maladministration in relation to—
 - (a) fruitless and wasteful expenditure incurred by the GNT as a result of interest payments made to Afri Oil (Pty) Ltd;
 - (b) a settlement agreement concluded with Umvuzo Energy (Pty) Ltd;
 - (c) the mismanagement of diesel supplies;
 - (d) the failure to collect debt that was due and owing to the GNT; or
 - (e) an agreement entered into between the GNT and emerging bus operators.
3. Any unlawful or improper conduct by board members, officials or employees of the GNT, the applicable contractors, suppliers or service providers or any other person or entity in relation to the allegations set out in paragraphs 1 and 2 of the Schedule.

PROKLAMASIE KENNISGEWING 246 VAN 2025**van die
PRESIDENT van die REPUBLIEK van SUID-AFRIKA****WET OP SPESIALE ONDERSOEKEENHEDE EN SPESIALE TRIBUNALE, 1996 (WET NO. 74 VAN 1996): VERWYSING VAN AANGELEENTHEDE NA BESTAANDE SPESIALE ONDERSOEKEENHEID**

AANGESIEN bewerings soos beoog in artikel 2(2) van die Wet op Spesiale Ondersoekeenheede en Spesiale Tribunale, 1996 (Wet No. 74 van 1996) (hierna na verwys as die "Wet"), gemaak is in verband met die aangeleentheede van die Great North Transport (MSB) Bpk (hierna na verwys as "die GVT") wat in die Limpopo Provinsie geleë is;

EN AANGESIEN die Staat of die GVT verliese gely het wat verhaal kan word;

EN AANGESIEN ek dit nodig ag dat gemelde bewerings ondersoek en siviele verrigtinge voortspruitend uit sodanige ondersoek bereg moet word;

DERHALWE verwys ek hierby, kragtens artikel 2(1) van die Wet, die aangeleentheede in die Bylae vermeld ten opsigte van die GVT, vir ondersoek na die Spesiale Ondersoekeenheid ingestel by Proklamasie No. R. 118 van 31 Julie 2001 en bepaal dat, vir die doeleindes van die ondersoek van die aangeleentheede, dit die opdrag van die Spesiale Ondersoekeenheid is om soos beoog in gemelde Wet, ondersoek te doen na enige beweerde—

- (a) ernstige wanadministrasie in verband met die aangeleentheede van die GVT;
- (b) onbehoorlike of onregmatige optrede deur raadslede, beamptes of werknemers van die GVT;
- (c) onregmatige bewilliging of besteding van publieke geld of eiendom;
- (d) onwettige, onreëlmatige of nie-goedgekeurde verkrygende handeling, transaksie, maatreël of praktyk wat op Staatseiendom betrekking het;
- (e) opsetlike of nalatige verlies van publieke geld of skade aan publieke eiendom;
- (f) misdryf bedoel in Dele 1 tot 4, of artikel 17, 20 of 21 (vir sover dit op voornoemde misdrywe betrekking het) van Hoofstuk 2 van die Wet op die Voorkoming en Bestryding van Korrupte Bedrywigheede, 2004 (Wet No. 12 van 2004), en welke misdrywe in verband met die sake van die GVT gepleeg is; of
- (g) onwettige of onbehoorlike optrede deur enige persoon wat ernstige benadeling vir die belange van die publiek of enige kategorie daarvan veroorsaak het of kan veroorsaak, wat plaasgevind het tussen 1 Januarie 2002 en die datum van publikasie van hierdie Proklamasie of wat plaasgevind het voor 1 Januarie 2002 of na die datum van publikasie van hierdie Proklamasie, maar wat relevant is tot, verband hou met, insidenteel of bykomstig is tot, die aangeleentheede vermeld in die Bylae of wat dieselfde persone, entiteite of kontrakte betrek wat ondersoek word kragtens die volmag verleen deur hierdie Proklamasie, en om al die werksaamhede en bevoegdhede wat deur die Wet aan die gemelde Spesiale Ondersoekeenheid toegewys of opgedra is, uit te oefen of te verrig in verband met die genoemde aangeleentheede in die Bylae, insluitend die verhaal van enige verliese wat deur die Staat of die GVT gely is.

Gegee onder my Hand en die Seël van die Republiek van Suid-Afrika te Pretoria op hede die drie-en-twintigste dag van Desember Twee duisend-en- vier-en-twintig.

CM Ramaphosa
President

Op las van die President-in-Kabinet:

M T Kubayi
Minister van die Kabinet

BYLAE

1. Die aanskaffing van, of kontraktering vir goedere, werk of dienste deur of namens die GVT en betalings wat in verband daarmee gemaak is op 'n wyse wat—
- (a) nie regverdig, billik, deursigtig, mededingend of koste-effektief was nie;
 - (b) strydig was met toepaslike—
 - (i) wetgewing;
 - (ii) handleidings, riglyne, praktyknotas of instruksies wat deur die Nasionale Tesourie of betrokke Provinsiale Tesourie uitgevaardig is; of
 - (iii) handleidings, beleid, prosedures, voorskrifte, instruksies of praktyke van, of wat op die GVT van toepassing is; of
 - (c) wat gedoen of gefasiliteer is deur die onbehoorlike of onwettige optrede van—
 - (i) raadslede, beamptes of werknemers van die GVT; of
 - (ii) kontrakteurs, verskaffers of diensleweraars van die GVT of enige ander persoon of entiteit,
om hulself of andere op 'n korrupte of onbehoorlike wyse te bevoordeel.
- en enige verbandhoudende ongemagtigde, onreëlmatige of vrugtelose en verspilte uitgawes wat deur die GVT of die Staat aangegaan was ten opsigte van die—
- (aa) aanstelling van Raletjena Technologies and Trading (Edms) Bpk;
 - (bb) verlenging van 'n kontrak tussen die GVT en Group 4 Security (Fidelity Cash Management) (Edms) Bpk;
 - (cc) aanstelling van Scania Suid-Afrika (Edms) Bpk om herstel- en instandhoudingsdienste aan die GVT te voorsien;
 - (dd) verkryging van 150 busse van Mercedes Benz Suid-Afrika (Edms) Bpk;
 - (ee) verkryging van 87 80-sitplek busse van MAN "Truck and Bus" Suid-Afrika (Edms) Bpk;
 - (ff) aanstelling van BB Truck and Tractor Services (Edms) Bpk om herstel- en instandhoudingsdienste aan die GVT te voorsien;
 - (gg) verkryging van regsdienste; en
 - (hh) verkryging van 'n vlootadministrasiesistelsel.
2. Wanadministrasie in die werksaamhede van die GVT en enige verliese, skade of werklike of potensiële nadeel wat deur die GVT of die Staat gely is as gevolg van sodanige wanadministrasie met betrekking tot—
- (a) vrugtelose en verspilte uitgawes wat deur die GVT aangegaan is, as gevolg van die betaling van rente aan Afri Oil (Edms) Bpk;
 - (b) 'n skikkingsooreenkoms aangegaan met Umvuzo Energy (Edms) Bpk;
 - (c) die wanadministrasie van diesel voorraad;
 - (d) die versuim om skuld wat betaalbaar en verskuldig is aan die GVT in te vorder; en
 - (e) 'n ooreenkoms wat tussen die GVT en opkomende busoperateurs aangegaan is.
3. Enige onregmatige of onreëlmatige gedrag deur die raadslede, beamptes of werknemers van die GVT, die toepaslike kontrakteurs, verskaffers of diensverskaffers of enige ander persoon of entiteit ten opsigte van die bewerings soos in paragrawe 1 en 2 van hierdie Bylae uiteengesit.

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