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## GENERAL NOTICE ALGEMENE KENNISGEWING

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### NOTICE 1151 OF 1997

#### DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY

MERCHANDISE MARKS ACT, 1941 (ACT NO. 17 OF 1941)

#### PROHIBITION ON THE USE OF A CERTAIN PHRASE AND WORDS

*I, Alexander Erwin, Minister of Trade and Industry, hereby prohibit under Section 15(1) of the Merchandise Marks Act, 1941 (Act 17 of 1941), the use of the phrase "Robben Island" and any combination of the words "Robben" and "Island" or words confusingly similar thereto, as depicted hereunder, in connection with any trade, business, profession or occupation or in connection with a trade mark, mark or trade description applied to goods, other than the use thereof by the Interim Management Authority of Robben Island or its successors and their mandatories.*

*Tour operators and parties who use the name "Robben Island" in a bona fide manner and solely to indicate the geographical position of the island shall be permitted to do so provided that such use does not otherwise fall within the scope of this prohibition and is not misleading to the public.*

# ROBBEN ISLAND

*The above-mentioned mark was available for inspection at the office of the Registrar of Trade Marks pursuant to Notice 935 of 1997.*



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## KENNISGEWING 1151 VAN 1997

### DEPARTEMENT VAN HANDEL EN NYWERHEID

HANDELSWAREMERKE-WET, 1941 (WET No. 17 VAN 1941)

#### VERBOD OP DIE GEBRUIK VAN 'N SEKERE FRASE EN WOORDE

*Ek, Alexander Erwin, Minister van Handel en Nywerheid, verbied hierby ingevolge artikel 15(1) van die Handelswaremerke-Wet, 1941 (Wet 17 van 1941) die gebruik van die frase "Robben Island" of enige kombinasie van die woorde "Robben" en "Island" of soortgelyke verwarringe woorde, soos hieronder afgebeeld, in verband met enige handel, besigheid, beroep of bedryf of in verband met 'n handelsmerk, merk of handelsomskrywing wat op ware aangebring is, uitgesonderd die gebruik daarvan deur die "Interim Management Authority of Robben Island" of opvolger en hulle gevollmagtiges.*

Toer ondernemers en partye wat die woorde "Robben Island" op 'n bona fide wyse gebruik en alleenlik om die geografiese ligging van die eiland aan te dui, sal toegelaat word om dit te doen op voorwaarde dat sulke gebruik nie binne die raamwerk van hierdie verbod val nie en ook nie misleidend is teenoor die publiek nie.

# ROBBEN ISLAND

Bovermelde merk het ingevolge Kennisgewing 935 van 1997 ter insae gelê by die kantoor van die Registrateur van Handelsmerke.



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