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INDEPENDENT BROADCASTNG AUTHORITY

APPLICATION TO AMEND BROADCASTING LICENCE: SOUTH AFRICAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION (SABC)

The Independent Broadcasting Authority gives notice, in accordance with Section 52 of the Independent Broadcasting Authority Act, No. 153 of 1993, (the Act) that an application has been received for amendments to the South African Broadcasting Corporation's (SABC) licence. The amendment if granted, would result in the expansion of the SABC's television services by way of self-help relay stations as set out in the attached Schedule. Radio 2000 would also be expanded through a self-help station.

The SABC has also applied to reduce the transmission power of SABC2 TV Channel in the following three areas, to 'afford efficient utilisation of the available spectrum':

- 1. Outdtshoorn from 80kW ERP TO 16kW ERP
- 2. Riversdale from 80 kW TO 20kW ERP
- 3. Piketberg from 100 kW TO 10kW ERP

This reduction in power brings the services of SABC2 to the same level as all the PBS services at the same sites.

The self-help stations would provide a service to remote areas that are not covered by the national public service broadcasting network. In most cases, the self-help stations proposed are additions to existing sites, in order to expand the number of services available in that area.

The application, relevant Schedules and any written representations received pursuant thereto are available for inspection by any interested parties during office hours of the Authority.

The effective date of the amendment would be the date on which the Authority's decision on the application would be published.

Interested parties are invited to submit written representations in relation to the application to the Licensing Unit of the Independent Broadcasting Authority at Block D, Pinmill Farm, 164 Katherine Street, Sandton, Johannesburg OR Private Bag X10002, Sandton 2146 OR by fax no: (011) 444-1461 within twenty-one (21) days of the date of publication of this notice.

Persons who submit representations in terms hereof shall, when submitting such representations, provide proof to the satisfaction of the Authority that a copy of

the representations has been sent by registered post to Trevor Evans, General Manager: Technical Liaison, SABC Radio Park, Henly Road, Auckland Park, 2092 OR Private Bag X1 Auckland Park, 2006 OR by fax to No: (011) 714-2204.

SCHEDULE

STATION NAME	PROGRAM	FREQ MHz	ERP
1. AGULHAS	SABC 3	751.25	2
2. BERGVILLE JAGERS	SABC 3	607.25	5
3. BREDASDORP	SABC 3	791.25	2.5
4. CLANWILLAM	SABC 3	559.25	5
5. FICKBURG	SABC 3	551.25	2.5
6. HEIDELBURG CP WITSAND	SABC 1	623.25	2.5
7. HEIDELBURG CP WITSAND	SABC 2	655.25	2.5
8. HEIDELBURG CP WITSAND	SABC 3	687.25	2.5
9. HEIDELBURG CP WITSAND	RADIO 2000	89.3	4
10. HOPE TOWN	SABC 1	639.25	10
11. HOPE TOWN	SABC2	671.25	10
12. HOPE TOWN	SABC 3	703.25	10
13. HOTAZEL BLACK ROCK	SABC 3	671.25	12
14. JAGERSFONTEIN	SABC 3	607.25	5
15. MARYDALE	SABC 1	631.25	2
16. MARYDALE	SABC 3	663.25	2
17. NIEU-BETHESDA	SABC 1	479.25	2
18. NIEU-BETHESDA	SABC 2	511.25	2
19. NIEU-BETHESDA	SABC 3	543.25	2
20. TUGELA FERRY	SABC 1	487.25	50
21. TUGELA FERRY	SABC 2	519.25	50
22. TUGELA FERRY	SABC 3	551.25	50
23. UNIONDALE TOWN	SABC 1	479.25	5
24. UNIONDALE TOWN	SABC 3	511.25	5
25. VILLIERSDP ELANDSKLF	SABC 3	567.25	2.5
26. STILBAAI	SABC 2	719.25	3

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