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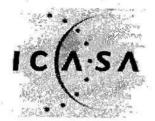
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GENERAL NOTICE

NOTICE 361 OF 2002



INDEPENDENT COMMUNICATIONS AUTHORITY OF SOUTH AFRICA

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MAKE REGULATIONS IN RESPECT OF TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES THAT MAY BE APPLIED FOR ONLY PURSUANT TO AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN INVITATION TO APPLY ISSUED BY THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS IN GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

The Independent Communications Authority of South Africa (ICASA) hereby gives notice that it intends to prescribe the regulation as set out in the schedule relating to section 39 (a) in terms of section 96 read together with section 34 (2) of the Telecommunications Amendment Act, 2001 (Act No. 64 of 2001).

Interested people or entities are hereby invited to submit written comments or written representations with regard to the proposed regulations, to be received by **no later than the 19th of April 2002** by post, hand delivery, facsimile transmission or by an electronic version in Microsoft Word 6.0 or lower for the attention of Mr. Siyabonga Madyibi at

ICASA at Private bag X10002 Sandton 2146 Block C Pin Mill Farm, 164 Katherine Street Sandton Facsimile +27 (0) 11321 8442; email: madyibis@icasa.org.za

Persons making written representations must clearly indicate in their representations if they wish to make oral representations including the duration thereof which shall not exceed one (1) hour. Should a request for such oral hearings be received then public hearings shall be held on a date to be determined by the Authority at Block C, Pin Mill, 164 Katherine Street, Sandton, Gauteng.

Mandla Langa Chairman CASA

Schedule

REGULATIONS IN RESPECT OF THE CATEGORIES OF LICENSES WHICH MAY BE GRANTED AND THE TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICE AUTHORISED BY SUCH LICENSES.

1. Definitions

1.1 In these regulations, words shall have the same meaning assigned to them in the Act unless the context indicates otherwise.

2. Licence Category

- 2.1 The Authority may pursuant to and in accordance with an invitation to apply issued by the Minister consider and evaluate applications for provision of local access telecommunication services as set out in section 39 of the Telecommunications Amendment Act of 2001.
- 2.2 After evaluating the applications the Authority shall recommend to the Minister to grant the application conditionally and suggests conditions that the Minister may impose in granting the licence.

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