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Independent Communications Authority of South Africa Pinmill Farm, 164 Katherine Street, Sandton Private Bag X10002, Sandton, 2146

APPLICATION FOR THE RENEWAL OF A FOUR YEAR COMMUNITY SOUND BROADCASTING LICENCE: RADIO TODAY

- 1. The Independent Communications Authority of South Africa ("the Authority") hereby gives notice, in terms of the provisions of section 11 read with section 93(10)(a) provisions of the Electronic Communications Act, No 36 of 2005, that it has received an application from Radio Today for the renewal of its community sound broadcasting licence. The details of the application are contained in the schedule below.
- 2. The application is available and open for inspection by interested persons in the Authority's library during the Authority's normal office hours.
- 3. Interested persons are invited to lodge written representations in relation to the application by no later than 5 August 2007. Representations must be directed to Mr. Herbert Fischat at the Licensing Unit, Broadcasting Division, Independent Communications Authority of South Africa at Block 0, Pinmill Farm, 164 Katherine Street, Sandton, Johannesburg or Private Bag x 10002 Sandton, 2146 or by fax no. (011) 448 2186.
- 4. Persons who lodge representations in terms hereof, must simultaneously indicate whether they atso require an opportunity to make oral representations to the Authority.
- 5. Persons who lodge representations in terms hereof, shall at the time of lodgement furnish proof to the satisfaction of the Authority that a copy of the representation has been delivered by hand to Dr. Ivan May, CEO, Radio Today, Inside the Garden Shop, 167 Jan Smuts Avenue, Comer Bolton Road, Parktown North 2193, or sent by registered post to P.O. Box 2820, Parklands, 2121, or faxed to (011) 880 5839.
- 6. Radio Today shall be entitled to respond in writing to written representations made by interested persons on the proposed renewal, and such written

response must be lodged with the Authority within forty (40) days of the date of publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette*. Radio Today must, at the time of lodging such written response, furnish proof to the Authority's satisfaction that it has delivered a copy of such response by hand, or has sent a copy of such response by registered mail or by facsimile to the relevant person having made such written representations.

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SCHEDULE

1. Name of the broadcasting service:

Radio Today...

2. Legal Entity:

An association incorporated under section 21 of the Companies Act of 1973.

3. Name and address of Applicant:

Radio Today, Inside the Garden Shop, 167 Jan Smuts Avenue, Parktown North, Johannesburg, 2193.

4. Community:

Community of interest, being senior citizens over the aged of 50 years who are mainly English speaking, residing in Greater Johannesburg Metropolitan Region and its surrounding areas.

5. Proposed Licence Area:

Licence Area 26 that covers the Greater Johannesburg Metropolitan Region and includes the suburbs of Sandton, Roodepoort, Edenvale, Alberton and Germiston.

6. Nature of Proposed Service:

Community sound broadcasting service aimed at providing entertainment, community projects and information to the elderly that resides in Johannesburg and its surrounding areas.

7. Proposed Signal Distributor:

Sentech Ltd.

8. Transmitter Location:

Marks Park.

9. Preferred frequency band and effective radiated power:

1485 kHz with ERP of 1 Kw.