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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS

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NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT: AIR QUALITY ACT, 2004 (ACT NO. 39 OF 2004)

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO AMEND THE LIST OF ACTIVITIES WHICH RESULT IN ATMOSPHERIC EMISSIONS WHICH HAVE OR MAY HAVE A SIGNIFICANT DETRIMENTAL EFFECT ON THE ENVIRONMENT, INCLUDING HEALTH, SOCIAL CONDITIONS, ECONOMIC CONDITIONS, ECOLOGICAL CONDITIONS OR CULTURAL HERITAGE

I, Nomvula Paula Mokonyane, Minister of Environmental Affairs, hereby, under section 21(4)(a), read with section 57(1) and (2) of the National Environmental Management: Air Quality Act, 2004 (Act No. 39 of 2004), consult on my intention to amend the Listed Activities and Associated Minimum Standards published under Government Notice No. 893 in Gazette No. 37054 of 22 November 2013, amended by Government Notice No. 551 of Government Gazette No. 38863, and amended by Government Notice No. 1207 in Gazette No. 42013 on 31 October 2018, as set out in the Schedule hereto.

Members of the public are invited to submit to the Minister, within 30 days from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Gazette*, written representations or objections on the proposed amendments to the following addresses:

By post to: The Director-General: Department of Environmental Affairs

Attention: Mr Olebogeng Matshediso

Private Bag X447
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By hand at: Environment House (Reception), 473 Steve Biko Road, Arcadia, Pretoria

By e-mail: <u>omatshediso@environment.gov.za</u>

Any Inquiries in connection with the notice can be directed to Ms Elizabeth Masekoameng at 012 399 9202 or Mr Olebogeng Matshediso at 012 399 9215

Comments received after the closing date may not be considered.

NOMVULA PAULA MOKONYANE
MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS

SCHEDULE

Definitions

1. In this Schedule "the List" means the List of activities and associated minimum emission standards identified in terms of section 21 of the National Environmental Management: Air Quality Act, 2004 (Act No. 39 of 2004), published under Government Notice No. 893 in Gazette No. 37054 of 22 November 2013 and amended by Government Notice No. 551 of Government Notice in Gazette No. 38863 and Government Notice No. 1207 in Gazette No. 42013 on 31 October 2018.

Amendment of the Category 1 of the List

- 2. Part 3, Category 1, Subcategory 1.1 of the List is hereby amended by the addition of the following special arrangement under subparagraph (a) after item (ii):
 - "(iii) Existing plants shall comply with a new plant emission limit of 1000 mg/Nm³ for sulphur dioxide (SO₂)."

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AMENDMENTS TO THE LISTED ACTIVITIES AND ASSOCIATED MINIMUM EMISSION STANDARDS IDENTIFIED IN TERMS OF SECTION 21 OF THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT: AIR QUALITY ACT, 2004 (ACT NO. 39 OF 2004)

I, Nomvula Paula Mokonyane, Minister of Environmental Affairs, hereby, in terms of section 21(1)(b) of the National Environmental Management: Air Quality Act, 2004 (Act No. 39 of 2004), amend the Listed Activities and Associated Minimum Standards published under Government Notice No. 893 in Government Gazette No. 37054 of 22 November 2013; amended by Government Notice No. 551 in Government Gazette No. 38863 and Government Notice No. 1207 in Government Gazette No. 42013 of 31 October 2018, as set out in the Schedule hereto.

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- "(iii) Existing plants shall comply with a new plant emission limit of 1000 mg/Nm³ for sulphur dioxide (SO₂)."

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