GENERAL NOTICE

NOTICE 423 OF 2008



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:

- 1. The Independent Communications Authority of South Africa ("the Authority") hereby gives notice, in terms of the provisions of section 5(7) read with section 95(2) of the Electronic Communications Act, No. 36 of 2005, that it has received an application from Botlokwa Community Radio Station for the renewal its four year community sound broadcasting licence.
- 2. The renewal is sought to continue broadcasting as a community radio station in the district of Botlokwa and surrounding areas.
- 3. The application is available and open for inspection by interested persons in the Authority's library during the Authority's normal office hours.
- 4. Interested persons are invited to lodge written representations in relation to the application by no later than 17 April 2008. Representations must be directed to Mr Fred Falken at the Licensing Unit, Broadcasting Division, Independent Communications Authority of South Africa at Block D, Pinmill Farm, 164 Katherine Street, Sandton, Johannesburg or Private Bag x 10002 Sandton, 2146 or by fax no. (011) 444 1461.
- 5. Persons who lodge representations in terms hereof, must simultaneously indicate whether they also require an opportunity to make oral representations to the Authority if a hearing were to be held.
- 6. 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 Mr Mpho Raphahlelo station manager at 341 Letsatsana Ga-Makgato Botlokwa or sent by registered post to PO Box 341 Dwarsriver 0812or faxed to 015/527 0683.

7. Botlokwa Community Radio Staion 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 sixty (14) days of the date of publication of this notice in the Government Gazette. Botlokwa Community Radio Station 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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