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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

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MEDICINES AND RELATED SUBSTANCES ACT, (ACT NO. 101 OF 1965) (ANNUALSINGLE EXIT PRICE ADJUSTMENT (SEPA) OF MEDICINES AND SCHEDULED SUBSTANCES FOR 2017)

I, DR A MOTSOALEDI, the Minister of Health, in terms of Regulation 8 (1) of the Regulations Relating to the Transparent Pricing System for Medicines and Scheduled Substances of the Medicines and Related Substances Act, 1965 (101 of 1965) as amended and upon recommendation of the Pricing Committee, intend to adjust the Single Exit Price (SEP) of Medicines and Scheduled Substances up to a maximum of 5.70% for the year 2017. This amount is based on the inflation data from the point of the previous review up to the latest available data.

The 2017 SEPA review will take into consideration any SEP adjustments that may have been applicable during the 2016 SEPA period, that were necessary in order to maintain security of supply due to the prevailing economic climate

Interested persons are invited to submit any substantiated comments in writing, on a compact disc and a hard copy within three months from the date of publication of this Notice to:

The Director-General: Health

For Attention: Director (Pharmaceutical Economic Evaluations)

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