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DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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**SECTION 41 B OF THE CONTINUING EDUCATION AND TRAINING ACT, 2006
(ACT NO.16 OF 2006)****THE DRAFT POLICY AND PROCEDURES FOR REGULATING THE OPENING,
MERGING AND CLOSING OF COMMUNITY EDUCATION AND TRAINING
COLLEGES LEARNING SITES**

I, Bonginkosi Emmanuel Nzimande, Minister of Higher Education and Training, in terms of the Continuing Education and Training Act, 2006 (Act No.16 of 2006), hereby invite public comments on the *draft Policy and procedures for regulating the opening, merging and closing of Community Education and Training (CET) Colleges' Learning Sites*.

The *draft Policy and procedures* aim to provide guidelines for the establishment or opening of CET college learning sites, set parameters within which merging and closing of CET college learning sites must be handled and standardise practices regarding the opening, merging and closing of CET college learning sites nationally.

All interested persons and organisations are invited to comment on the *draft Policy and procedures for regulating the opening, merging and closing of Community Education and Training (CET) Colleges' Learning Sites* in writing and direct their comments to:

The Director-General, Private Bag X174, Pretoria, 0001 for Attention: The Deputy Director-General, Dr EB Mahlobo, email: Mahlobo.B@dhet.gov.za or by fax to 012 324 2059.

Kindly provide name, telephone number, fax number and email address of the person or organisation when submitting comments.

Copies of the draft policy are available on the website of the Department at www.dhet.gov.za Hard copies will also be collected at the Department of Higher Education and Training, 123 Francis Baard Street, Pretoria.

The comments on the *draft Policy and procedures for regulating the opening, merging and closing of Community Education and Training (CET) Colleges Learning Sites* should reach the Department within 21 calendar days after publication of this Notice.



**Dr BE Nzimande, MP
Minister of Higher Education and Training**

Date: 24/02/2017