DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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SECTION 41B (4) OF THE CONTINUING EDUCATION AND TRAINING ACT, 2006 (ACT NO.16 OF 2006)

CALL FOR COMMENTS ON THE DRAFT NATIONAL POLICY ON VERIFICATION OF ENROLMENTS AND STAFF IN THE COMMUNITY EDUCATION AND TRAINING COLLEGES

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 National Policy on Verification of Enrolments and Staff in the Community Education and Training Colleges*.

The Draft National Policy on Verification of Enrolments and Staff in the Community Education and Training Colleges aims to:

- a. Establish a verification system for the authenticity of enrolled students and appointed staff in the CET colleges.
- b. Ensure that enrolled students, appointed staff and learning sites are identified; and
- c. Monitor the level of access and evaluation of the through-put in the CET colleges.

All interested persons and organisations are invited to comment on the *Draft National Policy* on *Verification of Enrolments and Staff* in writing and direct their comments to:

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

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

A copy of the draft policy is available on the website of the Department at <u>www.dhet.gov.za</u> Hard copies will also be made available for collection in Room 631, Department of Higher Education and Training, 123 Francis Baard Street, Pretoria, on request.

The comments on the Draft National Policy on Verification of Enrolments and Staff in the Community Education and Training Colleges should reach the Department within 21 calendar days after publication of this Notice

Dr BE Nzimande, MP Minister of Higher Education and Training

Date: 07/02/2017