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PROHIBITION ON THE MAKING OF FIRES IN THE OPEN AIR: DISTRICTS OF SWELLENDAM AND MONTAGU

I, Fritz von Krosigk, Director: Community Forestry, Department of Water Affairs and Forestry, duly authorised thereto by the Director- General of the Department Water 'Affairs and Forestry, hereby declare, in terms of section 25(1) of the Forest Act, 1984 (Act No. 122 of 1984) -

that in my opinion -

State forests or private forests in the area the boundaries of which are indicated in the Schedule hereto, are subject to **extraordinary** fire hazards and direct that in the said area no person shall from 15 November 2000 **up to and including 15 April 2001** make a fire in the open air or, if such a fire has been made, allow it to continue to burn or add fuel thereto, otherwise than-

- (a) fires made within a demarcated picnic or camping area or caravan park or holiday resort, but only at places within such a demarcated area as have been specifically prepared and maintained for that purpose: Provided that such fires are properly extinguished with water and/or sand; and
- (b) fires made on residential and industrial stands within proclaimed townships.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER AFFAIRS AND FORESTRY

## **SCHEDULE**

From Swellendam, in an easterly direction along Road N 2 to the T-junction to Suurbraak; thence in a northerly direction along Provincial Road TR 65/1 through Suurbraak to Barrydale; thence in a west-north-westerly direction along Provincial Road TR 3 1/3 to Montagu: thence in a southerly direction along Provincial Road TR 31/2 to the T-junction to Swellendam; thence in a south-easterly direction along Provincial Road TR 32/1 to

Swellendam, the point of beginning