NOTICE 1394 OF 2003

MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY

INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION ACT, 71 OF 2002

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS OF PERSONS TO BE APPOINTED AS COMMISSIONERS OF THE INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION COMMISSION

The International Trade Administration Act established the International Trade Administration Commission. This Commission has jurisdiction throughout the Republic. The Commission will investigate and evaluate applications with regard to alleged dumping, subsidized exports, safeguard duties and amendment of customs duties in the Common Customs Area. The Commission may investigate, evaluate and determine applications, and issue, or recommend the issuing of permits or certificates in terms of the rebate and drawback provisions of the Customs and Excise Act. The Commission must monitor, review, report to the Minister of Trade and Industry and when appropriate, advises the Minister in respect of, any matter referred to it that affects or may affect trade and industry.

The Commission will consist of a full-time Chief Commissioner and Deputy Chief Commissioner and two to ten part-time Commissioners.

To be eligible for appointment, and to continue to hold office as a member of the Commission a person must:

- Be ordinarily resident in South Africa
- Have suitable qualifications and experience in economics, accounting, law, commerce, agriculture, industry or public affairs
- Not be an office bearer of any party, movement, organization or body of a partisan political nature
- Not be an unrehabilitated insolvent
- Not have been found mentally unfit by order of a competent court
- Not have been convicted of an offence committed after the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa, took effect, and sentenced to imprisonment without the option of a fine.

I, Alexander Erwin, Minister of Trade and Industry, hereby call for the nomination of persons who comply with the abovementioned requirements.

Nominations, accompanied by a motivation, the Curriculum Vitae of the nominee and a letter of consent indicating the availability of the nominee to be appointed as a Commissioner if selected, should be forwarded to:

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The closing date for nominations is: 30 May 2003