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## GENERAL NOTICE

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### NOTICE 3438 OF 2003

#### INDEPENDENT COMMUNICATIONS AUTHORITY OF SOUTH AFRICA

#### NOTICE REGARDING WRITTEN SUBMISSIONS RECEIVED BY THE AUTHORITY FOR THE UNDER SERVICED AREA LICENCES IN TERMS OF SECTION 34(3)(a) OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT NO.103 OF 1996, AS AMENDED ("THE ACT")

The Independent Communications Authority of South Africa ("the Authority") hereby gives notice:

1. that pursuant to Government Gazette No.25591 of 14 October 2003, which invited written submissions from interested parties regarding applications received for under-serviced area licences ("USAL");
2. that the Authority received representations from the following entities:
  - (i) Lonaka Communications;
  - (ii) Capricorn Fixed-Mobile Telecommunications (Pty) Ltd;
  - (iii) Vodacom (Pty) Ltd;
  - (iv) Thinta Thinta Telecomms (Pty) Ltd;
  - (v) Bokone Telecoms (Pty) Ltd; and
  - (vi) MTN (Pty) Ltd.
3. that pursuant to the above notice the Authority published a notice dated 10 November 2003, Notice No.25606, to give affected applicants the opportunity to make written responses to above representations. However on the closing date indicated in the notice which was 21 November 2003, the Authority had not received any responses. Interested parties indicated that amongst other reasons that they had not obtained sight of the notice. The Authority hereby states that whilst it is the responsibility of all applicants to keep track of gazettes published. The Authority also recognizes that most of the applicants do not readily have access to government notices. The Authority hereby grants the affected applicants an additional extension to submit their written responses.
4. The above submissions are available for public inspections at the Authority's library in Block D, Pinmill Farm, 164 Katherine Street, Sandton, Gauteng, between 10h00 to 16h00, weekdays;
5. at the municipal libraries in each of the licence areas, in each province; **(Kindly find attached list of municipal libraries).**
6. The Authority hereby invites written responses by affected applicants to the abovementioned written submissions. The **closing date** for written responses is **06 January 2004 or 14 days from publication of this notice.**

7. The applicant shall in furnishing written responses through any of the following methods (i.e post, hand delivery and fax) **also** furnish an electronic format (Microsoft Word 6.0, Adobe PDF) of the written responses marked for the attention of the **Project Manager** for this licensing process:

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## CONTACT DETAILS FOR MUNICIPAL LIBRARIES

PROVINCE	DISTRICT	CONTACT PERSON	ADDRESS	CONTACT NO
1. Eastern Cape	a. Amatole District Municipal Hall	Mary May Davidson	Municipal Library Central Library Gladstone Street East London	043 722 4991
	b. O.R Tambo Municipal Hall	Penelope Makohliso	Municipal Library Public Library No. 34 Owen Street Umtata	047 501 4197 072 273 3991
2. Northern Province	a. Capricorn District Municipality	Mrs. A Pienaar	Polokwane Municipal Library 71 Hans van Rensburg Street Polokwane, Limpopo	015 290 2152
3. Free State	a. Northern Free State	Gerda Schutte	Municipal Library John Voster Road Next to Ettiene Rossow Theatre - Sasolburg	016 976 0029 ext: 374
	b. Lejweleputswa	Ms Linoko	Municipal Library Welkom Public Library Cnr of De Kaap & Ranette Street, Welkom	057 391 3130
4. North West	a. Bophirima District Municipality	George Ramogogane	Municipality Library 63 Stella Road Vryburg	053 928 2270 053 928 2270
	b. Central District	Mrs. Grany Ross	Central District Municipality Library Shop 55, Megacity Mmabatho	018 384 9713
5. KZN	a. Ugu District	Susan Marks	Municipal Library 10 Connor Street Port Shepstone	039 688 2060 088 2060 039
	b. Zululand District	Tanda Khumalo - Librarian	Municipality Library Cnr of King Zwelithini & Princess Magogo Ulundi	035 870 0501 035 870 1236 035 870 0595