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GENERAL NOTICE

NOTICE 1809 OF 2004



Independent Communications Authority of South Africa

Pinmill Farm, 164 Katherine Street, Sandton Private Bag X10002. Sandton, 2146

APPLICATION FOR THE AMENDMENT OF THE COMMUNITY TELEVISION LICENCE CONDITIONS: TRINITY BROADCASTING NETWORK

- The Independent Communications Authority of South Africa ("the Authority") hereby gives notice, in terms of section 52(2)(a) of the Independent Broadcasting Authority Act, Act No 153 of 1993 ("the Act"), that it has received an application from Trinity Broadcasting Network (TBN) for the amendment of its broadcasting licence in terms of section 52(1)(c) of the Act. The details of the amendment application are contained in the schedule below.
- 2. The amendment application is available and open for inspection by interested persons in the Authority's library during the Authority's normal office hours.
- 3. Interested persons are invited to lodge written representations in relation to the application by no later than 13 September 2004. Representations must be directed to Dumisani Mphatsoê at The Licensing Unit, Broadcasting Division, Independent Communications Authority of South Africa at Block D, Pinmill Farm, 164 Katherine Street, Sandton, Johannesburg or Private Bag x 10002 Sandton, 2146 or by fax no. (011) 448 2186.
- Persons who lodge representations in terms hereof must simultaneously indicate whether they also require an opportunity to make oral representations to the Authority.
- 5. Persons who lodge representations in terms hereof, shall at the time of lodgement furnish proof to the satisfaction of the authority that a copy of the representation has been delivered by hand to Mr Bernard Roebert, The Director of Operations, Independent Boulevard, Bisho, Eastern Cape Province or sent by registered post at P.O Box 497, King William's Town 5600 or faxed to (040) 6364173.
- 6. Trinity Broadcasting Network shall be entitled to respond in writing to written representations made by interested persons on the proposed amendment, and such written response must be lodged with the Authority within sixty (60) days of the date of publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette*. Trinity Broadcasting Network must, at the time of lodging such written response, furnish proof to the Authority's satisfaction that it has delivered a copy of such response by hand, or has sent a copy of such response by registered mail or by facsimile to the relevant person having made such written representations.

MANDLA LANGA CHAIRPERSON ICASA

SCHEDULE

- 1. The applicant's proposed amendments are as follows:
 - 1.1 To increase Broadcasting hours from 13 hours per day to 24 hours per day;
 - 1.2 To place a repeater transmitter in Port Elizabeth at Sentech site, Greenbushes C8; and
 - 1.3 To increase power at Port Alfred Gap filler from 25 watts to 100 watts.

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