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STRATEGIC INDUSTRIAL PROJECT (SIP)

I, Mandisi Mpahlwa, Minister of Trade and Industry, by virtue of power vested in me, in terms of section 12G(16)d of the Income Tax Act, 1962 (Act 58 of 1962) as amended (hereinafter referred to as the Act) and the Regulations promulgated in the Government Gazette No. 22848 of 21 November 2001, hereby publish the decision to approve an application received for the SIP Programme

1. PARTICULARS OF APPLICANT

1.1 Name of applicant: Behr South Africa (Pty) Ltd.

1.2 Behr South Africa (Pty) Ltd's expansion project with a total investment of R100 024 803,00 and qualifying assets of R55 577 250,00. The project is classifiable under SIC code 35100.

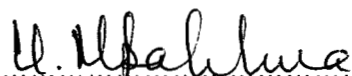
2. SUMMARY OF EVALUATION PROCESS

On the 09/08/2004, I as the Minister of Trade and Industry endorsed the recommendation of the Strategic Industrial Projects Adjudication Committee meeting of 8th July 2004 not to approve the application of Behr South Africa (Pty) Ltd as a Strategic Industrial Project (SIP) in terms of Section 12G of the Income Tax Act (Act No. 58 of 1962), as amended and the relevant Regulations. The project has indicated that it will concurrently benefit from the Motor Industry Development Programme (MIDP) which does not comply the mandatory condition on concurrent benefits to qualify as a Strategic Industrial Project as contemplated in the Act and Regulations.

3. ENQUIRIES RELATING TO THIS PUBLICATION SHOULD BE MADE TO:

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