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ESTABLISHMENT OF THE NZHELELE CATCHMENT WATER USER ASSOCIATION, VHEMBE DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY, LIMPOPO PROVINCE, WATER MANAGEMENT AREA NUMBER 1

- I, Buyelwa Patience Sonjica, Minister of Water Affairs and Forestry, hereby in terms of section 92(1) of the National Water Act, 1998 (Act No 36 of 1998), declare that-
- (a) the Nzhelele Catchment Water User Association is established;
- (b) the Association's name is the Nzhelele Catchment Water User Association;
- (c) the area of operation of the Nzhelele Catchment Water User Association includes all properties in respect of which any person is entitled to use water (surface and underground water) by virtue of entitlements in terms of section 22(1) of the Act from
 - (i) the water resources under control **of** the Association including the entire Nzhelele River Catchment (Quaternary catchments **A8QA-A80G**) that is situated between the Soutpansberg Mountains and the Limpopo River with the Eastern and Western boundaries formed respectively **by** the **Sand** River **and** the Nwanedzi River;
 - (ii) all tributaries of rivers situated within the area described in paragraph (c)(i) above; and
 - (iii) any other water resource(s) and/or waterwork(s) situated outside the area described in paragraph (c)(i) above, which water resource(s) and/or waterwork(s) and accompanying area the Department of Water Affairs and Forestry or the responsible authority may require the Association to control,

which is situated in Water Management Area number 1 in the Province of the Limpopo; and

(d) the constitution of the Nzhelele Catchment Water User Association'has been approved.

BUYELWA PATIENCE SONJICA

MINISTER OF WATER AFFAIRS AND FORESTRY