## GENERAL NOTICE

#### **NOTICE 2019 OF 2005**



### INDEPENDENT COMMUNICATIONS AUTHORITY OF SOUTH AFRICA

# APPLICATION FOR THE AMENDMENT OF BROADCASTING LICENCE CONDITIONS: SABC 3

- 1. The Independent Communications Authority of South Africa ("the Authority") hereby gives notice, in term of the provisions of section 52(2) of the Independent Broadcasting Authority Act, No 153 of 1993, as amended, that it has received an application in terms of section 52 from SABC (Pty) Ltd for the amendment to the SABC 3 television licence in terms of section 52(1) (c) of the Act.
- 2. The amendment application is sought to enable SABC 3 to expand its coverage in the area of Bethlehem and Ulundi and to allow a power upgrade of the Nelspruit transmitter as set out in the attached schedule.
- 3. The application, relevant schedule and any representations received pursuant thereto is available and open for inspection by interested parties in the Authority's library during normal office hours.
- 4. Interested parties are invited to lodge written representations in relation to the application within twenty one (21) days of the date of publication of this notice which will expire on 30 December 2005. Persons who lodge representations in terms hereof must simultaneously indicate whether they also require an opportunity to make oral representations to the Authority.
- 5. All written representations, responses and other correspondence in terms hereof must be directed to Mr. Thabo Ndhlovu, Manager: 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.
- **6.** 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 Ms Lara Kantor, General Manager: Policy and Regulatory Affairs, SABC Radio Park, **2092** Henley Road, Auckland Park, or sent by registered post to Private Bag x 1, Auckland Park 2006 or by fax to **(011)714 4508**.
- 7. SABC (Pty) Ltd 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. SABC (Pty) Ltd 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.

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### **SCHEDULE**

- 1. The applicant is applying for additional transmitter frequencies and power upgrade for SABC 3 at the following existing transmitter sites:
  - a) Bethlehem 839.25MHz, ERP 100kW;
  - b) Ulundi 231.25 MHz, ERP 50 kW; and
  - c) Nelspruit power upgrade on the existing frequency 591.25 MHz from ERP 15 kW to 151.4 kW

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