# GENERAL NOTICE

#### **NOTICE 843 OF 2006**



# Independent Communications Authority of South Africa

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

#### INDEPENDENT COMMUNICATIONS AUTHORITY OF SOUTH AFRICA

#### APPLICATION FOR THE RENEWAL OF COMMUNITY SOUND BROADCASTING LICENCE:

#### RADIO HINDVANI

- 1. The Independent Communications Authority of South Africa ("the Authority") hereby gives notice, in terms of the provisions of section 44(2) of the Independent Broadcasting Authority Act, No 153 of 1993, as amended, that it has received an application from Radio Hindvani for the renewal of its community sound broadcasting licence in terms of section 44(1). The details of the application are contained in the schedule below.
- 2. The 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 25 July 2006. Representations must be directed to Victor Grootboom 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 X10002 Sandton, 2146 or by fax no. (011) 444 1461.
- 4. 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. Ramu Gopidayal, Station Manager, Radio Hindvani at: 58 Manton Crescent Reservoir Hills, Durban 4091 or sent by registered post to P.O.Box 78, Pavilion, 3611 or faxed to (031) 566 3157.
- 6. Radio Hindvani shall be entitled to respond in writing to written representations made by interested persons on the proposed renewal, and such written response must be lodged with the Authority within thirty (30) days of the date of publication

of this notice in the *Government Gazette*. Radio Hindvani 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. Name of the broadcasting service:

Radio Hindvani

### 2. Legal Entity:

Voluntary Association (Non Profit organisation)

# 3. Name and address of Applicant:

58 Manton Cresecent Reservoir Hills, Durban, 4091

## 4. Community

Community of Interest of Hindi Language and Culture and Hindu religion.

#### 5. Proposed Licence Area

Broadcast area of Radio Hindvani which includes areas within the Durban - Pietermaritzburg-Stanger triangle.

# 6. Nature of Proposed Service

Community Sound Broadcasting Service aimed at developing the cultural needs of the community, developing of the Hindi Language and promoting values through religious teachings.

### 7. Proposed Signal Distributor:

Sentech

### 8. Transmitter Location:

Sentech Durban North site.

#### 9. Preferred frequency band and effective radiated power

91.5 MHz with 0.250 Kw (250 Watts) ERP

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