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Independent Communications Authority of South Africa

Pinmili Farm, 164 Katherine Street, Sandton Private Bag X10002, Sandton, 2146

INDEPENDENT COMMUNICATIONS AUTHORITY OF SOUTH AFRICA

APPLICATION FOR THE AMENDMENT OF BROADCASTING TECHNICAL LICENCE CONDITIONS: RADIO KRAGBRON

- 1. The Independent Communications Authority of South Africa ("the Authority") hereby gives notice, in terms of section 10(2) of the Electronic Communications Act ("the EC Act"), that it has received an application from Radio Kragbron (the applicant) for the amendment of its technical licence conditions in terms of section 10(1) read with section 93(10) of the EC Act. Radio Kragbron wants to increase its power output from 2kW to 10kW and change its frequency from 96.0 MHz to 93.1 MHz.
- This notice substitutes a previous notice, No.1107 of 2007, Gazette No 30272 published on 06 September 2007. The frequency applied for namely 96.3 MHz was not available.
- 3. The amendment application is available and open for inspection by interested persons in the Authority's library during the Authority's normal office hours.

- 4. Interested persons are invited to lodge written representations in relation to the application by no later than 16 November 2007. Representations must be directed to Victor Grootboom at The Licensing Unit, Licensing 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.
- 5. Persons who lodge representations in terms hereof must simultaneously indicate whether they also require an opportunity to make oral representations to the Authority should there be a hearing in respect of the application.
- 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 Mr Hennie Smit, Station Manager, Radio Kragbron, at Green Point Centre, c/o Fanie & Rayn Street, Del Judor 30 (Site1629) Witbank, or send by registered post to P.O. Box 8928, Die Heuwel, Witbank, 1042, or faxed to (013) 697 1195.
- 7. Radio Kragbron 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 fourteen days (14) days of the date of receiving such representations. Radio Kragbron 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 Kragbron

2. Legal Entity:

Radio Kragbron (Section 21 Company)

3. Name and postal address of Applicant:

Radio Kragbron P.O. Box 8928 Die Heuwel Witbank 1042

4. Community:

Afrikaans Community of interest of Witbank- Middelburg and its surrounds.

5. Proposed Licence Area:

Witbank-Middelburg- and surrounding areas.

6. Nature of Proposed Service

Community Sound Broadcasting Service aimed at developing the Afrikaans language and culture and community by providing access to information.

7. Upgrade of transmitter

The applicant also wants to upgrade its transmitter from 200 watt to 1 kW

8. Proposed Signal Distributor:

Sentech (Pty) Ltd

8. Transmitter Location:

Witbank at: 25 49' 04" S and 29' 23" 24" E

(Middelburg Sentech site)

9. Preferred frequency band and effective radiated power

93.1 MHz at 10kW. ERP