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GENERAL NOTICE

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Independent Communications Authority of South Africa
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS: SPORT BROADCASTING RIGHTS REGULATIONS

The Independent Communications Authority of South Africa ("ICASA") hereby, in accordance with section 4(6) of the Electronic Communications Act ("ECA") No.36 of 2005, gives notice to convene oral hearings on the Draft Regulations in respect of digital broadcasting framework ("Draft Regulations").

ICASA published the Discussion Document, on 03 October 2008, General Notice 1238, Government Gazette Number 31483. The Authority invited interested parties, stakeholders, and the public to respond to the issues raised in the Sport Broadcasting Rights Discussion Document. The closing date for the receipt of written representations was extended to 21 November 2008. The Authority received thirteen(13) submissions. Twelve (12) of these have indicated their wish to make oral presentations.

**Venue: Block C Presentation Room,
164 Katherine Street,
Pinmill Farm,
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10 DECEMBER 2008**DAY 1****Chairperson's Opening Address 08h00-09h00**

- PSL/SAFA 09h00 - 10h00
- SA Rugby 10h00 - 11h00
- Cricket SA 11h00 - 12h00
- Lunch 13h00 – 14h00

11 DECEMBER 2008**DAY 2**

- Etv1 09h00-10h00
- Telkom media 10h00-11h00
- ODM 11h00-12h00
- WOW 12h00-13h00
- Lunch 13h00- 14h00
- Multichoice 14h00-15h00
- Mnet 15h00-16h00

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