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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION DEPARTEMENT VAN ONDERWYS

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GENERAL AND FURTHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING QUALITY ASSURANCE ACT, 2001 (ACT NO. 58 OF 2001)

FILLING VACANCIES IN THE SECOND UMALUSI COUNCIL FOR GENERAL AND FURTHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING QUALITY ASSURANCE CAUSED BY THE RESIGNATION OF TWO MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL

- I, Grace Naledi Mandisa Pandor, Minister of Education, hereby in terms of Sections 6(4) and 6(5) of the General and Further Education and Training Quality Assurance Act, 2001 (Act No. 58 of 2001), invite nominations from persons, role-players or organisations active or involved in General and Further Education and Training for appointment as members of the Council to fill vacancies caused by the resignation of two members.
- 2. In accordance with section 6(1)(a) of the General and Further Education and Training Quality Assurance Act, 2001 (Act No. 58 of 2001) I have appointed the Second Umalusi Council for General and Further Education and Training Quality Assurance, hereafter referred to as "the Council", for the period 8 June 2006 until 7 June 2010.
- 3. Vacancies occurred in the Council due to the appointment of one of the members, Mr MS Rakometsi as the new Chief Executive Officer of Umalusi, and the resignation of Professor IL Rensburg as Council member. To fill the vacancies caused by Mr Rakometsi's appointment and Professor Rensburg's resignation, the relevant persons, role-players or organisations are requested by this notice to submit nominations for two new members.

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- 4. This Notice is concerned with the procedures for nominating members. The post of member of the Council is not a full-time appointment.
- 5. In terms of Section 6(3)(a) of the said act membership must:
 - (a) Be broadly representative of the General and Further Education and Training sectors and related interests;
 - (b) Have thorough knowledge and understanding of General and Further Education and Training;
 - (c) Appreciate the role of the General and Further Education and Training system in reconstruction and development;
 - (d) Have known and attested commitment to the interests of General and Further Education and Training;
 - Have knowledge and understanding of accreditation, assessment and certification of General and Further Education and Training programmes;
 - (f) Have experience in statistics; and
 - (g) Have experience in the financial field.
- 6. Any member appointed as member of the Council:
 - (a) Holds office for a period not exceeding four years; and
 - (b) May be reappointed at the expiry of his or her term of office, but may not serve for more than two consecutive terms of office.
- 7. Nominations, should be accompanied by a *curriculum vitae* of the nominee, and a letter of consent to serve as a member of the Council.
- Nominations marked "Appointments to fill a vacancy in the Second General and Further Education and Training Quality Assurance Council", should be received at the address given in paragraph 9 below by 24 April 2009.

9. Please address all correspondence in connection with this Notice to:

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