

NOTICE 1198 OF 2009**DEPARTMENT OF COOPERATIVE GOVERNANCE AND TRADITIONAL
AFFAIRS****REGULATIONS: NATIONAL FIRE SERVICES FRAMEWORK IN TERMS OF
SECTION 15 (1) (G) OF THE FIRE BRIGADE SERVICES ACT, 1987 (ACT NO.
99 OF 1987)**

The Minister for Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs, in terms of Section 15 (1) (g) of the Fire Brigade Services Act, 1987 (Act No. 99 of 1987), intends making the Regulations as set out in the Schedule.

The Regulations are hereby published for public comment. Any person wishing to comment on the proposed Regulations is invited to submit written comments to:

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Comments received after **5 October 2009** will not be considered.

SCHEDULE

Definitions

1. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise indicates any word or expression to which a meaning has been assigned in the Fire Brigade Services Act, 1987 (Act No. 99 of 1987) shall bear the meaning so assigned thereto and unless the context otherwise indicates -

“Act” means the Fire Brigade Services Act, 1987 (Act No. 99 of 1987);

“National Fire Services Framework” or “Framework” means a Framework contemplated in regulation 2.

National Fire Services Framework

2.(1) (a) The Minister, after consultation with the Fire Brigade Board, must prepare a National Fire Service Framework applicable to controlling authorities, that sets out the medium term Key Performance Indicators and Objectives which are aimed at guiding and directing the planning and provision of a service.

(b) The Framework contemplated in paragraph (a) must promote—
(i) public safety; and
(ii) the efficiency and effectiveness of services.

(c) The Minister, after consultation with the Fire Brigade Board, may review the National Fire Services Framework as required.

Commencement.

3. These Regulations take effect on the date of publication thereof in the Government Gazette.