GENERAL NOTICE

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE AND CONSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

PUBLICATION OF EXPLANATORY SUMMARY OF: PREVENTION AND COMBATING OF TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS BILL, 2010

The Minister of Justice and Constitutional Development intends introducing the Prevention and Combating of Trafficking in Persons Bill, 2010, in the National Assembly shortly. The explanatory summary of the Bill is hereby published in accordance with Rule 241(1)(c) of the Rules of the National Assembly.

The Prevention and Combating of Trafficking in Persons Bill, 2010, is intended to give effect to the United Nations Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, especially Women and Children, Supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organised Crime, 2000; to provide for an offence of trafficking in persons and other offences associated with trafficking in persons; to prevent and combat the trafficking of persons within or across the borders of the Republic; to provide for measures to protect and assist victims of trafficking in persons; to provide for the establishment of the Intersectoral Committee on Prevention and Combating of Trafficking in Persons; and to provide for matters connected therewith.

A copy of the above Bill can be found on the website of the Parliamentary Monitoring Group at http://www.pmg.org.za and may, after introduction, also be obtained from:

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