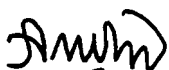


**DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE AND CONSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT****No. 858****1 October 2010****SMALL CLAIMS COURTS ACT, 1984 (ACT NO. 61 OF 1984)****ALTERATION OF THE AREA FOR WHICH THE SMALL CLAIMS COURT FOR VOLKSRUST WAS ESTABLISHED AS PUBLISHED IN GOVERNMENT NOTICE NO. 548 OF 31 MARCH 1989 AS AMENDED BY GOVERNMENT NOTICE NO. 1743 OF 26 JUNE 1992 AS AMENDED BY GOVERNMENT NOTICE NO. 663 OF 28 MAY 1999: ESTABLISHMENT OF A SMALL CLAIMS COURT FOR THE AREA OF AMERSFOORT**

I, Andries Carl Nel, Deputy Minister of Justice and Constitutional Development, acting under the power delegated to me by the Minister of Justice and Constitutional Development, under section 2 of the Small Claims Courts Act, 1984 (Act No. 61 of 1984), hereby -

- (a) alter the area for which the Small Claims Court of Volksrust was established by excising therefrom the district of Amersfoort;
- (b) amend Government Notice No. 548 of 31 March 1989 as amended by Government Notice No. 1743 of 26 June 1992 as amended by Government Notice No. 663 of 28 May 1999, to reflect that the area of the Small Claims Court of Volksrust consists of the districts of Volksrust and Wakkerstroom; and
- (c)
  - (i) establish a Small Claims Court for the adjudication of claims for the area of Amersfoort, consisting of the district of Amersfoort;
  - (ii) determine Amersfoort to be the seat of the said court; and
  - (iii) determine Amersfoort to be the place in that area for the holding of sessions of the said court.

Notwithstanding the alteration of the area of jurisdiction and amendment of the Government Notice, contemplated in paragraphs (a) and (b) above, the adjudication of claims from the district of Amersfoort which have already commenced shall, if such adjudication has at the date when the Small Claims Court for Amersfoort is established by the publication of this Government Notice in the Government Gazette not been concluded, be continued and concluded in the Small Claims Court of Volksrust as if the area of the Small Claims Court of Volksrust has not been altered.

**MR A C NEL, MP****DEPUTY MINISTER OF JUSTICE AND CONSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT**