NOTICE 1104 OF 2010

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE AND CONSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

INVITATION FOR NOMINATION OF CANDIDATES FOR AN APPOINTMENT TO THE EQUALITY REVIEW COMMITTEE (ERC)

The Minister of Justice and Constitutional Development, Mr. J.T. Radebe, MP, hereby invites institutions, civil society organisations and /or individuals to nominate candidates for appointment to serve in the Equality Review Committee (the ERC) representing the civil society in terms of section 32 (d) of the Promotion of Equality and Prevention of Unfair Discrimination Act, 2000 (Act 4 of 2000) (hereinafter referred to as the Equality Act). Nominees must be South African citizens permanently residing in the Republic.

In terms of section 33 of the Equality Act, the ERC advises the Minister about:

(a) the operation of the Equality Act;

(b) the laws that impact on equality; and

(c) the ERC must also submit regular reports to the Minister on the operation of the Equality Act, addressing whether the objectives of the Equality Act and the Constitution have been achieved and must make recommendations on any necessary amendments to the Equality Act to improve its operation.

Persons nominated must possess suitable qualifications and expertise in the fields of, amongst others:

- Human Rights, particularly the right to equality;
- Policy Development;
- Law;
- Civil and Constitutional Litigation; and
- Legal Research; or any other related expertise or qualifications.

Written nominations must contain the following:

- Full names and address of the institution or individual making the nomination;
- One-page motivation letter why the nominee should be appointed;
- The nominee's written acceptance of the nomination;
- The detailed Curriculum Vitae of the nominee which provides, amongst others, full names, contact details of the nominee such as telephone numbers, fax number, e-mail address, academic qualifications, employment record, etc.

The closing date for the nominations is <u>**14 January 2011**</u> at 16h00. Inquiries and nominations should be addressed to:

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