NOTICE 53 OF 2012

NATIONAL DEPARTMENT OF TOURISM

I, Marthinus Christoffel Johannes van Schalkwyk, Minister of Tourism, hereby in terms of Section 4(2) of the Tourism Act, 1993 (Act No. 72 of 1993), invite all interested persons to submit to me, within 14 days from the date of publication of this notice in the Gazette, the names of persons who in the opinion of such persons are suitable to be appointed as members of the Board of South African Tourism. When submitting nominations it should be borne in mind that persons to be nominated should by virtue of their knowledge be capable of promoting the objectives of the South African Tourism in an unbiased manner.

Nominations together with curricula vitae, must be sent to the following address; Ms Yogeeta Dheda, Director: Office of the Director General, National Department of Tourism, Private Bag X424, Pretoria, 0001, Fax: 012 444 7040, or e-mail <u>vdheda@tourism.gov.za</u>.

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Section 5 of the Tourism Act, 1993, determines that no member shall be appointed as a member of the board -

- (a) If he or she is an unrehabilitated insolvent;
- (b) If he or she was at any time, within the Republic or elsewhere, convicted of an offence and was sentenced to an imprisonment without the option of a fine;
- (c) If he or she is not a South African citizen and is not permanently resident within the Republic;
- (d) If he or she holds any office of profit under the Republic or is a member or employee of any local government body: Provided that this paragraph shall not apply to the person referred to in Section 4(2) (c) which indicated that the Minister may appoint one officer of the Department to represent the Department on the board.

Nominations shall be persons who possess appropriate knowledge and/or experience in the areas of tourism marketing and development, human resource and financial management or business practice, or otherwise possess special insight in relation to any aspect of the activities of South African Tourism.