## GENERAL NOTICES ALGEMENE KENNISGEWINGS

## **NOTICE 427 OF 2012**

## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND FISHERIES

AGRICULTURAL PRODUCT STANDARDS ACT, 1990 (ACT No. 119 OF 1990)

## PROPOSED NEW REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE GRADING, PACKING AND MARKING OF FRESH VEGETABLES INTENDED FOR SALE IN THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

I, Tina Joemat-Pettersson, Minister of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries has, under section 15 of the Agricultural Product Standards Act, 1990 (Act No. 119 of 1990) hereby -

- (a) make known that I intend to make regulation in the Schedule:
- (b) invite interested persons to submit comments and any representations concerning the proposed regulations in writing within eight (8) weeks from the date of publication to the following address:

Executive Officer: Agricultural Product Standards Act, 1990 (Act No. 119 of 1990), Department of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries, Private Bag X343, Pretoria, 0001,

Tel. (012) 319 6291/6171, Fax (012) 319 6055

Email: CarolineL@nda.agric.za or VictorMa@daff.gov.za

- (c) determined that once these regulations are finalised, they will repeal the regulations R69 of 13 February 2009; and
- (d) regulation may be obtained from the departmental website: http://www.daff.gov.za/pages/sideMenu/FoodSafety.html or can be send through electronic mail or posted by mail to any person upon request.

T. Joemat-Pettersson,

The Honourable Minister of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries