## GENERAL NOTICE

## **NOTICE 166 OF 2013**

## DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY

NOTICE OF INTRODUCTION OF BILL INTO PARLIAMENT

The Minister of Trade and Industry intends introducing the following Bill into Parliament during March 2013:

## SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONES BILL

To provide for the designation, promotion, development, operation and management of Special Economic Zones; to provide for the establishment, appointment of members and functioning of the Special Economic Zones Advisory Board; to empower the Minister to establish the Special Economic Zones Fund; to regulate the application, issuing, suspension, withdrawal and transfer of Special Economic Zones operator permits; to provide for functions of the Special Economic Zones operator; to provide for transitional arrangements; and to provide for matters connected therewith.

Subsequent to the introduction of the Bill into Parliament, copies can be obtained from:

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