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SMALL CLAIMS COURTS ACT, 1984 (ACT NO. 61 OF 1984)

ESTABLISHMENT OF SMALL CLAIMS COURTS FOR THE AREAS OF THOHoyANDOU AND MUTALE AND WITHDRAWAL OF GOVERNMENT NOTICE NO. 51 OF 25 JANUARY 2013

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) (i) establish a Small Claims Court for the adjudication of claims for the area of Thohoyandou, consisting of the district of Thohoyandou;
(ii) determine Thohoyandou to be the seat of the said Court; and
(iii) determine Thohoyandou, Vuwani and Dzanani to be the places in that area for the holding of sessions of the said Court.
- (b) (i) establish a Small Claims Court for the adjudication of claims for the area of Mutale, consisting of the district of Mutale;
(ii) determine Mutale to be the seat of the said Court; and
(iii) determine Mutale to be the place in that area for the holding of sessions of the said Court.
- (c) withdraw Government Notice No. 51 of 25 January 2013.

Despite the withdrawal of Government Notice No. 51 of 25 January 2013, any claim emanating from the district of Mutale which has already been instituted in the Small Claims Court of Thohoyandou prior to the publication of this Government Notice, shall be continued and concluded in the Small Claims Court of Thohoyandou as if this Government Notice has not been published.

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