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## GENERAL NOTICE

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### NOTICE 734 OF 2013

#### DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATIONS

#### PUBLICATION OF EXPLANATORY SUMMARY OF SOUTH AFRICAN POST OFFICE SOC LTD AMENDMENT BILL, 2013

1. Notice is hereby given in terms of Rule 241(1)(b) of the Rules of the National Assembly of Parliament that the Minister of Communications intends to introduce the South African Post Office SOC Ltd Amendment Bill, 2013, in the National Assembly shortly.

2. The explanatory summary of the Bill is hereby published in accordance with Rule 241(1)(c) of such Rules.

3. The Bill makes provision for the amendment of the South African Post Office SOC Ltd Act, 2011; so as to update and transfer pension-related provisions of the South African Post Office SOC Ltd from the Post and Telecommunication-related Matters Act, 1958 to the South African Post Office SOC Ltd Act, 2011; to provide for the payment of pension benefits to a former spouse of a member on divorce or the dissolution of a customary marriage; to improve governance provisions between the Boards of the South African Post Office SOC Ltd and the South African Postbank Limited; to amend the Post and Telecommunication-related Matters Act, 1958; and to provide for matters connected therewith.

4. Copies of the Bill and the Memorandum on the Objects of the Bill can be obtained from:

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4.2 Government Printers: Cape Town (Telephone number: 021 - 465 7531) (after introduction).

  
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