NOTICE 1108 OF 2013

NOTICE OF AUTHORISED SIGNATURE FOR PURPOSES OF APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED TO THE COMPANIES AND INTELECTUAL PROPERTY COMMISSION

I, Ms. Astrid Ludin, The Commissioner of the Companies and Intellectual Property Commission (CIPC) would like to designate alternative methods for the recognition of signatures on applications submitted to CIPC pursuant to section 28 of the Electronic Communications Act, 2002 (Act 25 of 2002) and section 6(13) of the Companies Act, 2008 (Act 71 of 2008).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE COMMISSIONER OF THE COMPANIES AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY COMMISSION (CIPC) THAT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 28 OF THE ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS AND TRANSACTIONS ACT, 2002 (ACT 25 OF 2002) AND SECTION 6(13) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2008 (ACT 71 OF 2008) OF ALTERNTIVE METHODS FOR ATTACHING SIGNATURES TO DOCUMENTS SUBMITTED TO CIPC.

Members of the public are hereby advised that the signature requirement on any document that has been identified on the CIPC portal, www.cipc.co.za, as a document that may be filed by electronic communications, is satisfied by the person by successfully providing (i) his or her fingerprint, or any other biometric measure, or (ii) one time password sent by the CIPC system to either his or her cellular telephone or e-mail address or a combination of his or her cellular telephone and e-mail address.

Any document filed using the above will be deemed to have been duly signed by the person whose signature is required for purposes of such document and the electronic signature referred to above is linked to/attached/associated with each document so filed.

Ms Astrid Ludin
Commissioner: CIPC

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