

**DEPARTMENT OF WATER AFFAIRS AND FORESTRY
DEPARTEMENT VAN WATERWESE EN BOSBOU**

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**ESTABLISHMENT OF THE DUIVENHOKS WATER USER ASSOCIATION, PROVINCE
OF THE WESTERN CAPE, WATER MANAGEMENT AREA NUMBER 16**

I, Silas Seani Mbedzi, Chief Director: Institutional Oversight, Department of Water Affairs and Forestry, duly authorised thereto by the Minister of Water Affairs and Forestry, hereby in terms of section 92(1) of the National Water Act, 1998 (Act No 36 of 1998), declare that-

- (a) the Duivenhoks Water User Association is established;
- (b) the Association's name is the Duivenhoks Water User Association;
- (c) the area of operation of the Duivenhoks Water User Association includes all properties in respect of which any person is entitled to use water (surface and underground water) by virtue of entitlements in terms of section 22(1) of the Act from –
 - (i) the area of operation covers the catchment area of Duivenhoks River, including all its tributaries, from where it originates till the southern boundary of the current Duivenhoks Irrigation Board
 - (ii) any other water resource(s) and/or waterworks situated outside the area described in paragraph (c)(i) above, which water resource(s) or waterworks and accompanying area the Department of Water Affairs and Forestry or the responsible authority may require the Association to control, which is situated in Water Management Area number 16 in the Province of the Western Cape; and
- (d) the constitution of the Duivenhoks Water User Association has been approved.



SILAS SEANI MBEDZI

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