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

ESTABLISHMENT OF SMALL CLAIMS COURTS FOR THE AREAS OF VREDENBURG AND HOPEFIELD AND WITHDRAWAL OF GOVERNMENT NOTICE NO. 72 OF 18 JANUARY 1991

I, John Harold Jeffery, 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 -

 (i) establish a Small Claims Court for the adjudication of claims for the area of Vredenburg, consisting of the district of Vredenburg and the area of jurisdiction of the Magistrate's Court, Laaiplek;

(ii) determine Vredenburg to be the seat of the said Court; and

(iii) determine Vredenburg to be the place 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 Hopefield, consisting of the district of Hopefield;
 - (ii) determine Hopefield to be the seat of the said Court; and

(iii) determine Hopefield to be the place in that area for the holding of sessions of the said Court.

(c) withdraw Government Notice No. 72 of 18 January 1991.

Despite the withdrawal of Government Notice No. 72 of 18 January 1991, any claim emanating from the district of Hopefield which has already been instituted in the Small Claims Court of West Coast prior to the publication of this Government Notice, shall be continued and concluded in the Small Claims Court of Vredenburg as if this Government Notice has not been published.

MR J H JÉFFERY, MP DEPUTY MINISTER OF JUSTICE AND CONSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT