

**DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND LAND REFORM
NOTICE 721 OF 2015**

**NOTICE TO LODGE LAND CLAIMS ON CERTAIN FARMS IN THE
MELMOTH DISTRICT, KWAZULU – NATAL**

Take notice that the Chief Land Claims Commissioner has made a decision in terms of section 12 (4) of the Restitution of Land Rights Act No. 22 of 1994 as amended (the Act). The decision is that the resources of the Commission on Restitution of Land Rights and the Land Claims Court would be more effectively utilised if all claims for restitution of rights in land in terms of the Act in respect of the farms listed in the schedule below were to be investigated and adjudicated at the same time.

Potential claimants who wish to lodge land claims in respect of the farms in the schedule must lodge them at the Office of the Regional Land Claims Commissioner: KwaZulu-Natal **by not later than 17 December 2015**. The address of the Regional Land Claims Commissioner: KwaZulu-Natal is 139 Langalibalele Street, Umhlaba House, Pietermaritzburg, for attention Mr. Sibusiso Dladla.

Copies of the claims forms or the letter from the Regional Land Claims Commissioner acknowledging receipt of the claim must be delivered to the State Attorney, Durban (Ref. Ms S. Naidoo) at the Offices of the State Attorney, Metlife Building, 391 Anton Lembede Street, Durban (8th Floor, Room 814).

No claim in respect of the matter contemplated in subsection (4) shall be lodged after 17 December 2015: Provided that the Commission may allow a claimant on good cause shown, to lodge a claim after the expiry of such period, but not later than 30 June 2019.

If you do not understand the Notice or need more information, kindly contact the following officials at the Offices of the Regional Land Claims Commission: KwaZulu-Natal, namely:

1. Ms Zandile Gumede: Telephone number: (031) 307 2883

Email address: Zandile.Gumede@drdlr.gov.za

2. Mzokhulayo Mthembu (AmaGqwetha):**Telephone number: (033) 341 2600****Email address: Mzokhulayo.Mthembu@drdlr.gov.za****SCHEDULE**

Any portions or remaining extents of the following farms (save where a farm has not been subdivided in which event the whole of the farm is referred to):

Saxony farm No.6149 which has been subdivided into Portions 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 38, 48 and 49; farm Merino No.: 6150 which has been subdivided into Portions 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12 and remainder of the farm Merino No. 6150; Spesbona No.: 6136; farm Nooitgedacht No.: 6137 which has been subdivided into Portions 1,2,3, and remainder of the farm Nooitgedacht No. 6137; farm Zietover No.: 6138 which has been subdivided into Portions 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and remainder of the farm Zietover No.: 6138; farm Verzethoek No.: 6151 which has been subdivided into Portions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and remainder of the farm Verzethoek No.: 6151; Morgenzon No.: 6152 which has been subdivided into Portion 1 and remainder of the farm Morgenzon No.: 6152; Vergelen No.: 6139 which has been subdivided into Portions 1, 2, 3 and the remainder of the farm Vergelen No.: 6139; Langgewacht No.: 6153; Dean No.: 6140 which has been subdivided into Portions 1, 2, and the remainder of the farm Dean No.: 6140; Wandsbeck No.: 6157 which has been subdivided into Portions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7 and remainder of the farm Wandsbeck No.: 6157.

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MS NOMFUNDO GOBODO
CHIEF LAND CLAIMS COMMISSIONER

COMMISSION ON RESTITUTION OF LAND RIGHTS**PRETORIA**