
GOVERNMENT NOTICES • GOEWERMENTSKENNISGEWINGS

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE AND CONSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT**NO. 3****18 JANUARY 2016****VARIATION OF NOTICES IN RESPECT OF CERTAIN REGIONAL DIVISIONS**

I, Tshililo Michael Masutha, Minister of Justice and Correctional Services, acting under section 2(1)(l) of the Magistrates' Courts Act, 1944 (Act No. 32 of 1944) (the Act), hereby, with effect from 25 January 2016, vary -

- (a) Government Notice No. 219 published in the Government Gazette of 27 February 2004 by the substitution for items 3 (Gauteng), 5 (Mpumalanga), 6 (North West) and 8 (Limpopo) of items 3, 5, 6 and 8 in the Schedule 1 hereto; and
- (b) Government Notice No. 670 published in the Government Gazette of 29 July 2010 by the substitution for items 3 (Gauteng), 5 (Limpopo), 6 (Mpumalanga) and 8 (North West) of items 3, 5, 6 and 8 in the Schedule 2 hereto.

Despite the variation of the Notices mentioned under paragraphs (a) and (b) above, proceedings which have already started but have not been concluded on the date of coming into effect of this notice shall be proceeded with until the such proceedings have been concluded.

Given under my hand at PRETORIA on this the 13th day of
..... JANUARY Two thousand and sixteen.



TM MASUTHA
MINISTER OF JUSTICE AND CORRECTIONAL SERVICES

SCHEDULE 1

Item	Regional Division	Consisting of the Following Districts
3.	Gauteng	Ekurhuleni Central (and Germiston sub-district), Ekurhuleni East (and Nigel sub-district), Ekurhuleni North (and Boksburg and Tembisa sub-districts), Ekurhuleni South East (and Brakpan, Daveyton and Tsakane sub-districts), Emfuleni (and Sebokeng and Vereeniging sub-districts), Johannesburg Central (and Soweto sub-district), Johannesburg North (and Alexandra sub-district), Johannesburg West, Lesedi, Merafong (and Fochville sub-district), Midvaal, Mogale City (and Kagiso sub-district), Tshwane Central (and Atteridgeville and Mamelodi sub-districts), Tshwane East (and Bronkhorstspuit sub-district), Tshwane North (and Soshanguve sub-district), Randfontein, and Westonaria.
8.	Limpopo	Ba-Phalaborwa (and Namakgale and Lulekani sub districts) Bela-Bela, Blouberg, Elias Motsoaledi (and Moutse sub-district), Giyani, Letaba, Lepelle-Nkumpi, Lephalale (and Phalala sub-district), Makhado (and Dzanani, Hlanganani, Tshilwavusiku and Tshitale sub-districts), Makhuduthamaga (and Sekhukhune sub-district), Malamulele (and Tiyani and Vuwani sub-districts), Mutale, Modimolle, Mogalakwena (and Mokopane sub-district) Molemole, Mookgophong, Musina, Polokwane (and Mankweng and Seshego sub-districts), Thabazimbi (and Northam sub-district), Thulamela, Tubatse and Tzaneen (Lenyenye and Tzaneen sub-districts).

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5.	Mpumalanga	Bushbuckridge (and Mhala sub-district), Chief Albert Luthuli (and Carolina sub-district), Dipaleseng, Dr JS Moroka (and Mbibana sub-district), Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme (and Amersfoort and Wakkerstroom sub-districts), Emalahleni (and Kriel and Vosman sub-districts), Emakhazeni (and Waterval Boven sub-district), Govan Mbeki (and Bethal and Secunda sub-districts), Lekwa, Mbombela and Nsikazi and White River sub-districts), Mkhondo (and Amsterdam sub-district), Msukaligwa (Breyten sub-district), Nkomazi (and Komatipoort sub-district), Steve Tshwete (and Hendrina sub-district), Thaba Chweu (and Graskop and Sabie sub-districts), Thembisile Hani (and KwaMhlanga sub-district), Umjindi and Victor Khanye.
6	North West	Ditsobotla (and Itsoseng and Coligny sub-districts), Kagisano-Molopo, Kgetlengrivier (and Swartruggens sub-district), Lekwa-Teemane (and Christiana sub-district), Madibeng (and Ga rankuwa sub-district), Mahikeng, Mamusa, Matlosana (and Orkney and Stilfontein sub-districts), Maquassi Hills, Moretele, Moses Kotane (and Madikwe sub-district), Naledi, Ramotshere-Moiloa (and Groot Marico and Zeerust sub-districts), Rustenburg (and Tlhabane sub-district), Taung (Pampierstad sub-district), Tlokwe, Tswaing (and Atamelang and Ottosdal sub-districts) and Ventersdorp.

SCHEDULE 2

COLUMN "A"	COLUMN "B"	COLUMN "C"	COLUMN "D"
REGIONAL DIVISION	SEAT OF THE COURT	PLACES APPOINTED FOR THE HOLDING OF A COURT FOR THE ADJUDICATION OF CIVIL DISPUTES	MAGISTERIAL DISTRICTS/SUB-DISTRICTS OR AREAS IN RESPECT OF WHICH THE COURT OF THE REGIONAL DIVISION SITTING AT PLACES MENTIONED IN COLUMN "C" HAS JURISDICTION
3. GAUTENG	Johannesburg	1. Benoni	Ekurhuleni South East (and Tsakane Sub-district)
		2. Ekangala	Tshwane East (and Bronkhorstspuit and Cullinan Sub-districts)
		3. Germiston	Germiston Sub-district
		4. Heidelberg	Lesedi
		5. Johannesburg (has concurrent jurisdiction with Kliptown)	Johannesburg Central
		6. Kagiso	Mogale City (and Kagiso Sub-district)

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		7. Kempton Park	Ekurhuleni North (and Boksburg, Daveyton and Tembisa Sub-districts)
		8. Kliptown (has concurrent jurisdiction with Johannesburg)	Soweto Sub-district
		9. Oberholzer	Merafong City (and Fochville Sub-district) and Westonaria
		10. Palm Ridge	Ekurhuleni Central
		11. Pretoria	Tshwane Central (and Atteridgeville and Mamelodi Sub-districts)
		12. Pretoria North	Tshwane North (and Soshanguve Sub-district)
		13. Randburg	Johannesburg North (and Alexandra Sub-

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5. LIMPOPO	Polokwane		district)
		14. Roodepoort	Johannesburg West and Randfontein
		15. Sebokeng	Sebokeng Sub-district
		16. Springs	Ekurhuleni East (and Brakpan and Nigel Sub- districts)
		17. Vereeniging	Emfuleni (and Sebokeng and Vereeniging Sub- districts) and Midvaal
		1. Polokwane	Molemole, Polokwane (and Mankweng and Seshego Sub-districts) and Senwabarwana
		2. Burgersfort	Tubatse
		3. Giyani	Giyani and Malamulele (and Tiyani and Vuwani

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			sub-districts)
		4. Groblersdal	Elias Motsoaledi (and Moutse sub-district)
		5. Lebowakgomo	Lepelle-Nkumpi
		6. Lephalale	Lephalale (and Phalala Sub-district) and Thabazimbi (and Northam Sub-district)
		7. Louis Trichardt	Makhado (and Dzanani, Hlanganani, Tshitale and Tshilwavirusiku Sub-districts)
		8. Modimolle	Bela-Bela and Modimolle
		9. Mahwelereng	Mogalakwena (and Mokopane Sub-district) and Mookgophong
		10. Musina	Musina

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6. MPUMALANGA	Mbombela	11. Phalaborwa	Ba-Phalaborwa (and Lulekani and Namakgale Sub-districts)
		12. Nebo	Makhuduthamaga (and Sekhukhune Sub-district)
		13. Thohoyandou	Thulamela and Mutale
		14. Nkowankowa	Letaba and Tzaneen (and Lenyenye Sub-district)
		1. Mbombela	Emakhazeni (and Waterval Boven Sub-district), Mbombela (and Nsikazi and White River Sub-districts), Thaba Chweu (Mashishing) (and Graskop and Sabie Sub-districts) and Umjindi
		2. Eerstehoek	Chief Albert Luthuli (and Carolina Sub-district),

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			Mkhondo (and Amsterdam Sub-district) and Msukaligwa (and Breyten Sub-district)
		3. Evander	Dipaleseng, Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme (and Amersfoort and Wakkerstroom Sub-districts), Govan Mbeki (and Bethal and and Secunda Sub-districts), Lekwa and Victor Khanye
		4. Kwaggafontein	Thembisile Hani and KwaMhlanga Sub-district
		5. Mapulaneng	Bushbuckridge (and Mhala Sub-district)
		6. Middelburg	eMalahleni (and Kriel and Vosman Sub- districts) and Steve Tshwete (and Hendrina Sub-district)

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8. NORTH WEST	Mmabatho		
		7. Tonga	Nkomazi (and Komatipoort Sub-district)
		8. Siyabuswa	Dr JS Moroka (and Mbibana Sub-district)
		1. Mmabatho	Mahikeng and Ramotshere Moiloa (and Groot Marico and Zeerust Sub-districts)
		2. Bloemhof	Lekwa-Teemane (and Christiana Sub-district)
		3. Brits	Madibeng
		4. Ga-Rankuwa	Ga-Rankuwa Sub-district
		5. Klerksdorp	Mamusa, Matlosana (and Orkney and Stilfontein Sub-districts) and Maquassi Hills
		6. Lichtenburg	Ditsobotla (and Coligny and Itsoseng Sub-districts)

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		7. Mankwe	Moses Kotane (and Madikwe Sub-district)
		8. Potchefstroom	Tlokwe and Ventersdorp
		9. Rustenburg	Kgetlengrivier (and Swartruggens Sub-district) and Rustenburg (and Tlhabane Sub-district)
		10. Taung	Taung
		11. Temba	Moretele
		12. Vryburg	Ganyesa, Naledi, Tswaing (and Atamelang and Ottosdal Sub-districts)