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## DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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***CALL FOR COMMENTS ON THE DRAFT POLICY ON THE EVALUATION OF CREATIVE OUTPUTS AND INNOVATIONS PRODUCED BY PUBLIC HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS, 2015***

I, Bonginkosi Emmanuel Nzimande, Minister of Higher Education and Training, hereby publish the *Draft Policy on the Evaluation of Creative Outputs and Innovations produced by Public Higher Education Institutions (2015)* for public comments.

The purpose of the draft policy is to outline criteria for assessment and recognition for subsidy purposes, of scholarly outputs from the creative and performing arts produced by public higher education institutions in South Africa. The specified outputs in terms of this policy are: Fine Arts and Visual Arts; Music; Theatre, Performance and Dance; Design and Architecture; Film and Television; Literary Arts and Innovations.

The full text of the *Draft Policy on the Evaluation of Creative Outputs and Innovations produced by Public Higher Education Institutions (2015)* can be downloaded from the Department's website at [www.dhet.gov.za](http://www.dhet.gov.za). All interested parties are invited to comment on the draft policy in writing, and direct their comments to:

The Director-General, Department of Higher Education and Training, Private Bag X174, Pretoria, 0001, for the attention of Dr Sandile Williams, email: [Williams.Sandile@dhet.gov.za](mailto:Williams.Sandile@dhet.gov.za).

The name, address, telephone number, and email address of the person or organisation submitting the comments must be provided.

The comments on the *Draft Policy on the Evaluation of Creative Outputs and Innovations produced by Public Higher Education Institutions (2015)* must be submitted not later than 30 days from the date of publication of this notice.



**Dr BE Nzimande, MP**  
**Minister of Higher Education and Training**

Date: 26/11/2015