

GENERAL NOTICES • ALGEMENE KENNISGEWINGS**DEPARTMENT OF ARTS AND CULTURE****NOTICE 2 OF 2016****NOTICE IN TERMS OF SECTION 12 (1) OF THE USE OF OFFICIAL LANGUAGES ACT, 2012 (ACT NO. 12 OF 2012) AND REGULATION 9 OF THE REGULATIONS PUBLISHED ON THE 28TH OF FEBRUARY 2014 IN THE GOVERNMENT GAZETTE UNDER NOTICE No.10140: NOTICE OF EXEMPTION OF THE QUALITY COUNCIL FOR TRADE AND OCCUPATIONS FROM ESTABLISHING A LANGUAGE UNIT**

In terms of Section 12(1) of the Use of Official Languages Act, 2012 (Act No. 12 of 2012) (to be referred to hereinafter as "the Act") and Regulation 9 of the Regulations published on the 28th of February 2014 in the Government Gazette under Notice No. 10140 (to be referred to hereinafter as "the Regulations"), I hereby -

- (i) exempt in part, the Quality Council for Trade and Occupations from the application of section 7 of the Act; and
- (ii) require the Quality Council for Trade and Occupations in accordance with section 12(4) of the Act to assign a senior employee to perform the functions of a language unit.

In terms of Regulation 9 of the Regulations to the Act, I may at any time review an exemption granted in terms of this Act and may-

- a) withdraw the exemption;
- b) amend or remove any condition to which the exemption is subject to; or add the conditions that may be necessary;
- c) amend the scope of the exemption; or
- d) take any other step in regard to the exemption.

Given under my Hand at Pretoria on this 14 day of ~~JANUARY~~ 2016.



MR NE MTHETHWA, MP
MINISTER OF ARTS AND CULTURE