

**DEPARTMENT OF GOVERNMENT COMMUNICATION AND INFORMATION SYSTEM
NOTICE 386 OF 2016**

**INVITATION OF NOMINATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT AS MEMBERS OF THE
MARKETING, ADVERTISING AND COMMUNICATION SOUTH AFRICA
CHARTER COUNCIL**

Honourable Faith Muthambi, the Minister of Communications, MP, hereby invites the public to nominate 2 (two) new members per stakeholder for the Marketing, Advertising and Communication South Africa Charter Council (MAC SA Charter Council) in terms of the MAC Sector Code of section 9(1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act, (Act no 53 of 2003) as amended by the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act, (Act No 46 of 2013).

In paragraph 21.5.2 of the Sector Code it stipulates that “In the interest of being representative of the collective experience of our country and to also avail itself of expertise, each stakeholder will be entitled to two (2) representatives”.

The Council is a statutory body and needs to be established in terms of the MAC Sector Code in terms of section 9(1) (b) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act, (Act no 53 of 2003) as amended by the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act, (Act No 46 of 2013) to issue directives of general application, including classification guidelines, in accordance with matters of national policy consistent with the purpose of this Act.

Requirements

The members of the Council should be fit and proper persons; be of good character and not be disqualified. The nominees will be vetted to ensure that they are in good standing before they are approved. The members of the Council shall have experience in or knowledge of, any one or more of the following matters: advertising, marketing and communication

Disqualification with regard to membership of Council

Please note that no person shall qualify to be appointed as a Council member or to be such a member, if he or she:

- is not a citizen of and is not permanently resident in the Republic;
- is an rehabilitated insolvent; is subject to an order of a competent court declaring him or her to be mentally ill or mentally disordered;

- is convicted, after the commencement of this Act, whether in the Republic or elsewhere, of any offence for which he or she has been sentenced to imprisonment without the option of a fine; and
- at any time before or after the commencement of the Act was or is, convicted of fraud, forgery and uttering a forged document, perjury, corruption, dishonesty or has been or is found guilty of any offence in terms of this Act.

Terms and conditions

Each stakeholder representative shall serve for a minimum of two (2) years with the option of another two (2) consecutive years. No member may serve on the MAC SA for more than four (4) consecutive years. No more than half of the members of the MAC SA may leave at the end of the first two years. Members of the Council shall be appointed for a period of 4 (four) years from the date of appointment by the Minister.

Nomination particulars

Written nominations must contain the following information:

- in respect of the nominator, a signed nomination letter from a confirmed MAC Signatory briefly motivating why the nominated person is most suitable for appointment (maximum: 1 page). The letter must bear the full name, identity number, physical and postal addresses, telephone number(s), email address of the nominator; and
- in respect of nominee, a signed letter of acceptance of the nomination accompanied by a comprehensive curriculum vitae (CV) and Certified proof of academic qualifications and identity document (ID). The CV must indicate the following information: identity number, physical and postal addresses, telephone and facsimile number, e-mail address, gender, race and at least two contactable referees.

Nominations and applications must be addressed to Ms Marlene Scheffer in the Office of the Director General at:

Private Bag X745, Pretoria, 0001 or email to marlenes@gcis.gov.za or hand delivered to the Government Communication and Information System, 1035 Tshedimosetso House, cnr Frances Baard and Festival streets, Hatfield, Pretoria, 0001.

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CLOSING DATE FOR NOMINATIONS: 15 July 2016