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### DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT NOTICE 481 OF 2016

## GAUTENG FREEWAY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT, TOLL ROADS: REBATE ON THE PAYMENT OF TOLL

I, Elizabeth Dipuo Peters, Minister of Transport, on the recommendation of South African National Roads Agency SOC Limited ("the Agency"), hereby grant a full rebate in terms of section 27(3) of the South African National Roads Agency Limited and National Roads Act, 1998 (Act No. 7 of 1998) ("the Act") from the payment of toll in respect of the Gauteng Freeway Improvement Project (GFIP) toll roads to motor vehicles whilst conveying persons with disabilities described in the Schedule.

Those toll roads are as declared by Government Notices No. 349 to 354 in Government Gazette No. 30912 of 28 March 2008:

- N1 sections 20 and 21
- N3 section 12
- N4 section 1
- N12 sections 18 and 19

As declared by Government Notice No. R.800 in Government Gazette No. 31273 of 28 July 2008:

R21 sections 1 and 2.

The rebate that will apply in terms of this Notice, will be payable from not earlier than 14 days from date of publication of this Notice in the Government Gazette.

MS DIPUO PETERS, MP

MINISTER OF TRANSPORT

#### **SCHEDULE**

#### **DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT**

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- 1. Motor vehicles conveying persons with disabilities as contemplated in item 3 and which comply with the requirements of the Regulations on Exemption from and Rebates on the Payment of Toll, 2016 made by the Minister of Transport in connection with exemptions and rebates ("Exemption and Rebate Regulations"), will enjoy a full rebate when conveying the persons contemplated in item 3, from the payment of toll on the following e-roads namely:
- (a) As declared by Government Notices No. 349 to 354 in Government Gazette No. 30912 of 28 March 2008:
  - N1 sections 20 and 21
  - N3 section 12
  - N4 section 1
  - N12 sections 18 and 19
- (b) As declared by Government Notice No. R.800 in Government Gazette No. 31273 of 28 July 2008:
  - R21 sections 1 and 2
    - The Exemption and Rebate Regulations prescribe the forms to be used, the information to be furnished and procedures to be followed in connection with such rebate.
- 2. The rebate applies to Class A2 vehicles whose owners have provided the information and documents required by the Exemption and Rebate Regulations and have an e-tag issued by the Agency affixed to such vehicle, in accordance with the e-Road Regulations, 2013 and the Exemption and Rebate Regulations and where the applicant can show that the vehicle will be used or was used to convey a person or persons who qualify according to the definition of disability below.

- 3. That definition is as follows: "persons who have long term physical, mental, intellectual or sensory impairments which, in interaction with various barriers, may hinder their full and effective participation in society on an equal basis with others". Medical conditions such as autism, mental health, epilepsy and loss of hearing will also be considered.
- 4. The medical impairment must be permanent and must limit functional mobility as shown by a certificate from a medical practitioner registered with the Health Professions Council of South Africa. The certificate must be accompanied by an impairment questionnaire completed by the applicant and medical practitioner.
- 5. The rebate will not exceed the monthly e-toll cap for the vehicle for the calendar month in question.