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**DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND LAND REFORM****NO. 1488****02 DECEMBER 2016****EXTENSION OF THE APPLICATION OF THE PROVISIONS OF THE INTERIM  
PROTECTION OF INFORMAL LAND RIGHTS ACT, 1996 (ACT No. 31 OF 1996)**

Whereas the application of the provisions of the Interim Protection of Informal Land Rights Act, 1996 (Act No. 31 of 1996), will expire on 31 December 2016, I, Gugile Nkwinti, Minister for Rural Development and Land Reform, under section 5(2) of the said Act, hereby extend the application of the provisions of the said Act for a further period of 12 months ending on 31 December 2017.

**MR NKWINTI, GE (MP)****MINISTER FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND LAND REFORM**