DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS

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NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT: BIODIVERSITY ACT, 2004 (ACT NO. 10 OF 2004)

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DECLARE AN EXTENSION TO KWELERA NATIONAL BOTANICAL GARDEN

I, Bomo Edith Edna Molewa, Minister of Environmental Affairs, hereby, in terms of section 33(1)(b) read with section 100 of the National Environmental Management: Biodiversity Act, 2004 (Act No. 10 of 2004), give of my intention to declare the property known as Farm 1505, as depicted in the Schedule, as an extension to the existing Kwelera National Botanical Garden, to be managed by South African National Biodiversity Institute as required in terms of section 11(1)(e) of the National Environmental Management: Biodiversity Act, 2004.

Members of the public are invited to submit to the Minister, within 30 days after the publication of the notice in the *Gazette*, written comments or inputs to the following addresses:

By post to: The Director-General:

Department of Environmental Affairs

Attention: Ms Willeen Olivier

Private Bag X447

Pretoria 0001

By hand to: Department of Environmental Affairs, Environment House, 473 Steve Biko Street,

Arcadia, Pretoria, 0001

By e-mail: wolivier@environment.gov.za, or

Any enquiries in connection with the notice can be directed to Ms Willeen Olivier at 012 399 9581.

Comments received after the closing date may not be considered.

BOMO EDITH EDNA MOLEWA

MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS

SCHEDULE

Kwelera National Botanical Garden extension declared on Farm No 1505, Division of East London, Eastern Cape Province, as depicted by ABCDEFG in the diagramme below.

