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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND FISHERIES

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AGRICULTURAL PRODUCT STANDARDS ACT, 1990 (ACT No. 119 OF 1990)

PROPOSED NEW REGULATIONS RELATING TO (A) COFFEE, CHICORY AND RELATED PRODUCTS, AND (B) TEA AND RELATED PRODUCTS INTENDED FOR SALE IN THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA:

INVITATION FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS

I, Angela Thokozile Didiza, Minister of Agriculture, Land Reform and Rural Development, acting under section 15 of the Agricultural Product Standards Act, 1990 (Act No. 119 of 1990), hereby make known that I intend to publish the following new regulations:

- (a) Regulations relating to Coffee, Chicory and related products.
- (b) Regulations relating to Tea and related products.

All interested parties are invited to submit comments and any representations concerning the proposed new draft regulations in writing within **30 days** from the date of publication of this Notice to the following address:

Executive Officer: Agricultural Product Standards Department of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries Private Bag X343, Pretoria, 0001 30 Hamilton Street, Harvest House Building, Arcadia, Room 159 Tel. no. 012 319 6388; Fax no. 012 319 6265 Email: **SimphiweMAT@daff.gov.za**

The proposed new draft regulations are available on the Department's website, www.daff.gov.za, go to "Branches" \rightarrow "Agricultural Production, Health & Food Safety" \rightarrow "Food Safety & Quality Assurance" \rightarrow "Draft legislation for comments", or can be forwarded via electronic mail or posted to any person upon request.

Ms. Angela Thokozile Didiza Minister of Agriculture, Land Reform and Rural Development