

**DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE AND CONSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT****NOTICE 235 OF 2021****PUBLICATION OF EXPLANATORY SUMMARY OF THE CRIMINAL PROCEDURE AMENDMENT BILL, 2021**

1. Notice is hereby given in terms of Rule 276(1)(b) of the Rules of the National Assembly that the Minister of Justice and Correctional Services intends introducing the Criminal Procedure Amendment Bill, 2021, in the National Assembly shortly.
2. The explanatory summary of the Bill is hereby published in accordance with Rule 276(1)(c) of the Rules of the National Assembly.
3. The Bill is intended to amend the Criminal Procedure Act, 1977, so as to further regulate the publication of information which reveals or may reveal the identity of an accused, a witness or person against whom an offence has allegedly been committed who is under the age of 18 years; and to provide for matters connected therewith.
4. A copy of the Bill can be found on the websites of the Department and Parliamentary Monitoring Group at <http://www.justice.gov.za> and <http://www.pmg.org.za>, respectively, and may, after introduction, also be obtained from the Government Printers, Cape Town (telephone number: (021) 465 7531).

**DEPARTEMENT VAN JUSTISIE EN STAATKUNDIGE ONTWIKKELING****KENNISGEWING 235 VAN 2021****PUBLIKASIE VAN VERDUIDELIKENDE OPSOMMING VAN DIE WETSONTWERP OP DIE STRAFPROSES, 2021**

1. Kennis word hiermee ooreenkomsdig Reël 276(1)(b) van die Reëls van die Nasionale Vergadering gegee dat die Minister van Justisie en Korrektiewe Dienste beoog om die Wetsontwerp op die Strafproses, 2021, eersdaags in die Nasionale Vergadering in te dien.
2. Die verduidelikende opsomming van die Wetsontwerp word hierby ooreenkomsdig Reël 276(1)(c) van die Reëls van die Nasionale Vergadering gepubliseer.
3. Die Wetsontwerp het ten doel om die Strafproseswet, 1977, te wysig, ten einde die publikasie van inligting wat die identiteit van 'n beskuldigde, 'n getuie of persoon teen wie 'n misdryf na bewering gepleeg is wat onder die onderon van 18 jaar is, onthul of kan onthul, verder te reël; en om voorsiening te maak vir verbandhoudende aangeleenthede.
4. 'n Afskrif van die Wetsontwerp kan gevind word op die webwerwe van die Department en Parlementêre Moniteringsgroep by <http://www.doj.gov.za> en <http://www.pmg.co.za> en kan na indiening ook bekom word van die Staatsdrukkers, Kaapstad (Telefoonnummer: (021) 465-7531).