

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, LAND REFORM AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT**NOTICE 467 OF 2021****AGRICULTURAL PRODUCT STANDARDS ACT, 1990 (ACT No. 119 OF 1990)****REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE PROTECTION OF GEOGRAPHICAL INDICATIONS USED ON
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS INTENDED FOR SALE IN THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA: PROPOSED
AMENDMENT**

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 an amendment to the "Regulations relating to the protection of geographical indications used on agricultural products intended for sale in the Republic of South Africa" (No.R. 447 of 22 March 2019).

All interested parties are invited to submit comments or make representations concerning the proposed amendment to the regulations within **30 days** from the date of publication of this notice to the following address:

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The proposed amendment is available on the Department's website www.dalrrd.gov.za, go to "Branches", then to "Agricultural Production, Health & Food Safety", then to "Food Safety & Quality Assurance" and then to "Draft legislation for comments", or can be forwarded via electronic mail or posted on request.

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