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**DEPARTMENT OF TRADE, INDUSTRY AND COMPETITION****GENERAL NOTICE 951 OF 2022**

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**FINAL NOTICE**

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**MERCHANDISE MARKS ACT, 1941 (ACT 17 OF 1941)****PROHIBITION ON THE USE OF THE LOGO FOR THE BORDER MANAGEMENT  
AUTHORITY (BMA)**

I, Ebrahim Patel, Minister of Trade, Industry and Competition, hereby publish the Final Notice, in terms of section 15(1) of the Merchandise Marks Act, 1941 that prohibits the use of the logos as depicted in **Annexure 1-2** or similar drawings, which might cause confusion with any trade, business, profession or occupation or event, or in connection with any trademark, mark or trade description applied to goods, save where the use thereof is by the authority of the Department of Home Affairs.

Proprietors of identical or similar marks already in use prior to the date of this notice will not be affected by this prohibition and the prohibition will be perpetual and absolute in nature.



**Ebrahim Patel**  
**Minister of Trade, Industry and Competition**

31 / 3 / 2022

**Annexure 1:**



Annexure 2

