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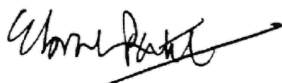
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**DEPARTMENT OF TRADE, INDUSTRY AND COMPETITION****NO. 3437****19 May 2023****NOTICE IN TERMS OF SECTION 43B(4)(b) OF THE COMPETITION ACT  
NO. 89 OF 1998 (AS AMENDED)****NOTICE OF EXTENSION GRANTED: ONLINE INTERMEDIATION  
PLATFORMS MARKET INQUIRY**

As published under Government Notice No 3313 in Government Gazette No. 48436 on 18 April 2023, the period for completion of the Online Intermediation Platforms Market Inquiry ("OIPMI") and a final report will expire on 19 May 2023. The Commission requested an extension in terms of section 43B(4)(b) of the Act to allow for a further period to consider the draft final report, draft remedial actions and recommendations before a final decision is taken on the report.

In terms of section 43B(4)(b) of the Competition Act, 1998 (Act No. 89 of 1998) ("Act"), I hereby extend the period for completion of the OIPMI and the final report for a further month ending on 30 June 2023.

**EBRAHIM PATEL****MINISTER OF TRADE, INDUSTRY AND COMPETITION****18 MAY 2023**