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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, LAND REFORM AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

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

26 May 2023

INVITATION FOR THE PUBLIC TO COMMENT ON REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE GRADING, PACKING AND MARKING OF MAIZE INTENDED FOR SALE IN THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

I, Angela Thoko 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 publish the attached Regulations regarding the grading, packing, and marking of maize destined for sale in the Republic of South Africa, for public comment.

All interested parties are invited to submit comments and any representations concerning the proposed revised 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, Land Reform and Rural Development Private Bag X343, Pretoria, 0001 30 Hamilton Street, Harvest House Bullding, Arcadia, Room 152 Tel. no. 012 319 6171; Fax no. 012 319 6265 Email: VictorMa@dalrrd.gov.za

The revised regulations are available on the Department's website www.dalrrd.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.

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MRS AT DIDIZA, WF MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE, LAND REFORM AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT