DEPARTMENT OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT

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NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT: PROTECTED AREAS ACT, 2003 (ACT NO. 57 OF 2003)

CONSULTATION ON THE INTENTION TO DECLARE CERTAIN PROPERTIES SITUATED IN THE LIMPOPO PROVINCE TO BE PART OF THE EXISTING MARAKELE NATIONAL PARK IN TERMS OF THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT: PROTECTED AREAS ACT, 2003 (ACT NO. 57 OF 2003)

I, Barbara Dallas Creecy, Minister of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment, hereby under section 20(1)(a)(ii) read with sections 31 and 33 of the National Environmental Management: Protected Areas Act, 2003 (Act No.57 of 2003), give notice of my intention to declare certain properties situated in the Limpopo Province to be part of the existing Marakele National Park, as set out in the Schedule hereto.

Members of the public are invited to submit, within 60 days from date of publication of this Notice in the Gazette, or in the newspaper, whichever date is the last date, written comments to this Notice, to the following addresses:

By post to: The Director-General

Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment

Attention: Mr Sydney Nkosi

Private Bag X447 PRETORIA 0001

By hand to: 473 Steve Biko Street, Arcadia, **PRETORIA**, 0083

By mail to: <u>smampe@dffe.gov.za</u>

Any enquiries in connection with the notice can be directed to Mr Sydney Nkosi at 012 399 9065

Comments received after the closing may be disregarded.

BARBARA DALLAS CREECY

MINISTER OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT

SCHEDULE

KQ REGISTRATION DIVISION

- Portion 31 of the Farm Groothoek No 278, KQ Registration Division, Limpopo Province and measuring 140.1066, held by the Deed of Transfer T124087/2002;
- Remaining extent of the Farm Duikerspan No 136, KQ Registration Division, Limpopo Province and measuring 468.8776 hectares, held by the Deed of Transfer T56007/1997;
- 3. Portion 9 of the Farm Hartebeestfontein No 281, KQ Registration Division, Limpopo Province and measuring 47.9658, held by the Deed of Transfer T124087/2002.

Total hectares: 656.95