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DEPARTMENT OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT

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DRAFT BIENNIAL UPDATE REPORT-5 FOR THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

I, Barbara Creecy, Minister of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment, hereby publish the draft Fifth Biennial Update Report (BUR-5) to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) for public comments. Members of the public may download the draft BUR-5 from the Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment (DFFE) website at https://bit.ly/BUR5SA

Members of the public are invited to submit to the Minister, within 30 days of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*, written representations on or objections to the draft Biennial Update Report-5 to the following addresses:

By post to: The Director-General: Department of Forestry, Fisheries, and the Environment

Attention: S Motshwanedi

Department of Forestry, Fisheries, and the Environment

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By email to: smotshwanedl@dffe.gov.za or msteleki@dffe.gov.za; or

Hand delivered to the Department of Forestry, Fisheries, and the Environment, Environment House, 473 Steve Biko Road, Arcadia, Pretoria, 0001.

Any inquiries in connection with the draft BUR-5 can be directed to Ms S Mothwanedi at: 012 399 9155 or smotshwanedi@dffe.gov.za.

Kindly note that comments received after the closing date may not be considered.

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MINISTER OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT