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DEPARTMENT OF TRADE, INDUSTRY AND COMPETITION**NO. 6133****17 April 2025****NOTICE IN TERMS OF SECTION 43B(4)(b) OF THE COMPETITION ACT
NO. 89 OF 1998 (AS AMENDED)****NOTICE OF EXTENSION GRANTED: MEDIA AND DIGITAL PLATFORMS
MARKET INQUIRY**

As published under Government Notice No. 3880 of Government Gazette No. 49309, the 18-month period for completion of the Media and Digital Platforms Market Inquiry ("MDPMI") and a final report will expire on 23 April 2025. The Commission requested an extension in terms of section 43B(4)(b) of the Competition Act, 1998 (Act No. 89 of 1998 as amended, "the Act") to allow for a reasonable period to further consider the draft final report, draft remedial actions and recommendations and to finalise engagements with certain affected stakeholders before a decision is taken on the report.

In terms of section 43B(4)(b) of the Act, I hereby extend the period for completion of the MDPMI and the final report for a period of 4 months until 22 August 2025.

**Mr Mpho Parks Tau, MP****Minister of Trade, Industry and Competition**

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