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Department of Higher Education and Training

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NATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS FRAMEWORK ACT, 2008 (ACT NO. 67 OF 2008)

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO SERVE ON THE SOUTH AFRICAN QUALIFICATIONS AUTHORITY (SAQA) BOARD FOR THE TERM 1 JANUARY 2026 TO 31 DECEMBER 2030

I, Dr Nobuhle Pamela Nkabane, Minister of Higher Education and Training, in terms of Section 14 of the National Qualifications Act, 2008 (Act No. 67 of 2008), as amended, hereby invite nominations for appointments to the Board of the South African Qualifications Authority (SAQA). The term of office of the current Board expires on 31 December 2025. I am required to appoint 12 persons in their personal capacities to the SAQA Board, in accordance with section 14(2)(a) of the NQF Act, 2008.

The members appointed must:

- a) Be broadly representative of the education and training sectors and related interests;
- b) Be a leader in the education and training sector he/she is active in;
- c) Have thorough knowledge and understanding of education and training;
- d) Have known and attested commitment to the interests of education and training;
- e) Have knowledge and understanding of qualifications matters and quality assurance in education and training; and
- f) Be competent to undertake the governance and oversee the financial affairs of the SAQA.

Written nominations must include the following:

- Full names and credentials of the individual or organisation making a nomination;
- · The nominee's signed written acceptance of the nomination;
- · Motivation letter indicating why the nominee must be considered for appointment; and
- Comprehensive curriculum vitae of the nominee.

The closing date for the receipt of nominations is **20 working days** from the date of publication of this Notice.

Please address all correspondences and any related enquiries to:

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