

## DEPARTMENT OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT

NO. 6738

17 October 2025

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

## AMENDMENT NOTICE: CONSULTATION ON THE NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DECLARE CERTAIN PROPERTIES SITUATED IN THE EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE AS A NEW NATIONAL PARK WITH THE NAME "GRASSLAND NATIONAL PARK" IN TERMS OF THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT: PROTECTED AREAS ACT, 2003 (ACT NO. 57 OF 2003)

I, Dion Travers George, Minister of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment, hereby in terms of sections 20(1)(a)(i) and (b) read with sections 31 and 33 of the National Environmental Management: Protected Areas Act, 2003 (Act No.57 of 2003), replacing the notice published on Government Gazette No. 53485, Notice No. 6717 of 8 October 2025, give notice of my intention to declare certain properties situated in the Eastern Cape Province as a new national park with the name "Grasslands National Park", as set out in the attached Schedule.

Members of the public are invited to submit, **within 60 days** from date of publication of this Notice in the *Government Gazette*, or in the newspaper, whichever date is the last date, written comments 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**  
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By hand to: 473 Steve Biko Street, Arcadia, **PRETORIA**, 0083

By mail to: [smampe@dfpe.gov.za](mailto:smampe@dfpe.gov.za)

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.**



**DR DION TRAVERS GEORGE**  
**MINISTER OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT**

## SCHEDULE

| No.                | Title Deed No. | Description of Properties                           | Ownership             | Registration Division | Extent (ha)        |
|--------------------|----------------|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| 1.                 | T3922/1998     | Portion 1 of the Farm Glencairn No. 21              | Roberts Delwyn Owen   | Maclear               | 389.8905           |
| 2.                 | T3922/1998     | Remaining extent of the farm Glen Avice No.28       | Delwyn Roberts        | Maclear               | 356.7898           |
| 3.                 | T3922/1998     | Portion 2 of the Farm Glen Avice No. 28             | Roberts Delwyn Owen   | Maclear               | 356.7899           |
| 4.                 | T88714/1997    | Portion 1 of the Farm Traquair No. 56               | Browne Judith Lynne   | Barkly East           | 692.6737           |
| 5.                 | T39178/2015    | Farm Mountain Side No. 76                           | Cornlands Trust       | Maclear               | 757.9307           |
| 6.                 | T92339/2007    | Farm Grotto No. 78                                  | Roberts Delwyn Owen   | Maclear               | 584.2633           |
| 7.                 | T7718/2020     | Remaining extent of the Farm Highlands No. 83       | Roberts Farming Trust | Maclear               | 311.7776           |
| 8.                 | T10190/2019    | Portion 1 of the Farm Highlands No. 83              | Roberts Farming Trust | Maclear               | 315.2038           |
| 9.                 | T26563/2014    | Farm Excelsior No. 84                               | Roberts Delwyn Owen   | Maclear               | 775.1615           |
| 10.                | T8272/2023     | Remaining extent of the Farm Welcome Valley No. 119 | Roberts Farming Trust | Maclear               | 393.8221           |
| 11.                | T92339/2007    | Portion 1 of the Farm Welcome Valley No. 119        | Roberts Delwyn Owen   | Maclear               | 254.3880           |
| 12.                | T8272/2023     | Portion 2 of the Farm Welcome Valley No. 119        | Roberts Farming Trust | Maclear               | 270.6662           |
| 13.                | T4103/2024     | Farm Wide Valley No. 120                            | Roberts Farming Trust | Maclear               | 1024.2167          |
| 14.                | T65260/2017    | The Farm Ben Lyell No.121                           | Roberts Farming Trust | Maclear               | 887.7141           |
| 15.                | T39177/2015    | Farm Woodlands No. 126                              | Cornlands Trust       | Maclear               | 510.5074           |
| 16.                | T48658/2017    | Farm Ben Loyal No. 252                              | Roberts Farming Trust | Barkley East          | 573.1562           |
| 17.                | T5539/1997     | Farm Woodcliffs No. 372                             | Sephton Phyllis Julia | Maclear               | 941.9027           |
| 18.                | T4151/2024     | Farm No. 376                                        | Roberts Farming Trust | Maclear               | 829.0700           |
| <b>GRAND TOTAL</b> |                |                                                     |                       |                       | <b>10 225,9242</b> |

All situated in the Eastern Cape Province