

DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND LABOUR

NO. R. 7526

29 May 2026

LABOUR RELATIONS ACT, 1995

NATIONAL BARGAINING COUNCIL OF THE LEATHER INDUSTRY OF SOUTH AFRICA: EXTENSION OF PERIOD OF OPERATION OF THE GENERAL GOODS AND HANDBAG COLLECTIVE AGREEMENT

I, **STEPHEN DAVID RATHAI**, Director: Collective Bargaining, duly authorized by the Minister of Employment and Labour, hereby, in terms of section 32(6)(a)(i) of the Labour Relations Act, 1995, declare the provisions of Government Notices Nos. R. 1348 of 28 October 2016, R. 759 of 29 September 2017, 1257 of 16 November 2018, R. 1382 of 25 October 2019, R. 217 of 18 March 2021, R. 454 of 28 May 2021, R. 4040 of 10 November 2023 and R,6990 of 09 January 2026 by further period ending 30 June 2031.

**DIRECTOR: COLLECTIVE BARGAINING**

DATE: ...22/05/2026.....