

**NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION****NOTICE 339 OF 2018****IMPUMELELO AGRIBUSINESS SOLUTIONS (PTY) Ltd.****AGRICULTURAL PRODUCT STANDARDS ACT NO. 119 OF 1990****INVITATION OF COMMENTS ON THE PROPOSED INSPECTION FEES**

The Chief Executive Officer of the designated assignee, Impumelelo Agribusiness Solutions, hereby invite comments on the proposed inspection fees. Impumelelo Agribusiness Solutions, has been designated in terms of section 2(3)(a) of the Agricultural Product Standards Act, 1990 (Act No. 119 of 1990), to apply sections 3(1) and 4A of the said Act, with respect to various regulated processed products as listed below.

Comments are hereby invited with respect to the proposed inspection fees from all affected stakeholders and they should reach the office of the Chief Executive Officer: Impumelelo Agribusiness Solutions by **no later than 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice.**

The proposed inspection fees are as follows:

**LOCAL MANUFACTURING**

<b>Products</b>	<b>Proposed Inspection Fees</b>
Fruit juices and drinks	R1 509 per product inspection (4 x per annum)
Frozen fruit	R1 509 per product inspection (4 x per annum)
Frozen vegetables	R1 509 per product inspection (4 x per annum)
Jam	R1 509 per product inspection (4 x per annum)
Jelly	R1 509 per product inspection (4 x per annum)
Marmalade	R1 509 per product inspection (4 x per annum)
Honey	R1 509 per product inspection (4 x per annum)
Rooibos	R1 509 per product inspection (4 x per annum)
Table olives	R1 509 per product inspection (4 x per annum)
Fat spreads	R1 509 per product inspection (4 x per annum)
Mayonnaise	R1 509 per product inspection (4 x per annum)
Salad dressings	R1 509 per product inspection (4 x per annum)
Vinegar	R1 509 per product inspection (4 x per annum)
Canned pasta	R1 509 per product inspection (4 x per annum)
Canned mushrooms	R1 509 per product inspection (4 x per annum)
Canned fruit	R1 509 per product inspection (4 x per annum)
Canned vegetables	R1 509 per product inspection (4 x per annum)

**IMPORTED REGULATED PRODUCTS**

Containers	Proposed Fees
Container carrying homogenous products	R1 348 per container
Container carrying mixed products – 2 products to be inspected	R1 618 per container
Container carrying mixed products – 3 products to be inspected	R1 753 per container
Container carrying mixed products – 4 products to be inspected	R1 888 per container
Container carrying mixed products – 5 products to be inspected	R2 023 per container
Container carrying mixed products – 6 products to be inspected	R2 158 per container

**LABORATORY TEST COSTS**

Sample	Analysis	Proposed cost	Total cost
Honey	Maximum HMF content	R 600.00	R 2 980.00
	Fructose : glucose ratio	R 1 130.00	
	Maximum sucrose content	R 600.00	
	Lund-test	R 600.00	
	Moisture content	R 50.00	
Vingar	Acidity via Titration	R 182.00	R 667.00
	Difference between Imitation Vinegar and other Vinegars	R 485.00	
Fat Spreads	Fat content (dairy method)	R 435.00	R 1 185.00
	Moisture content (dairy method)	R 180.00	
	Salt (dairy method)	R 360.00	
	Slip point (dairy method)	R 210.00	
Mayonnaise & Salad Dressing	Fat content (dairy method)	R 435.00	R 435.00
Rooibos	Moisture content	R 180.00	R 180.00
Table Olives	Sodium Chloride	R 360.00	R 456.00
	pH	R 96.00	

**VALUE ADDED TAX**

The proposed fees are VAT exclusive

**Comments may be submitted in writing to:**

**The CEO: Impumelelo Agribusiness Solutions**

Dr. Mduduzi Ngcobo at e-mail: CEO@impumeleloagribiz.co.za or posted (couriered) to Unit 5, 36 van Rensburg Street, Nelspruit, 1200.