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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, LAND REFORM AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

NOTICE 212 OF 2021

LEAF SERVICES (PTY) LTD
 AGRICULTURAL PRODUCT STANDARDS ACT, 1990 (ACT NO. 119 OF 1990)
 NOTICE FOR COMMENT

Leaf Services (Pty) Ltd, designated as an assignee in terms of the Agricultural Product Standards Act, 119 of 1990, ("APSA") to apply Section 3(1)(a) and (b), 3A(1), 4A(1)(a), 7 and 8 of APSA in respect of regulated grain and grain products, hereby invites comments with respect to the proposed inspection procedures and fees referred to below from all affected stakeholders.

Affected stakeholders are all food business operators in the grain industry who:

1. Perform grading of raw grains reflected in the table below under any regulation made in terms of APSA; and/or
2. Produce, pack, process or trade in regulated grain products reflected in the table below under any regulation made in terms APSA.

Leaf Services will commence inspections of the affected parties upon conclusion of the process prescribed under the Promotion of Administrative Justice (Act 3 of 2000), in line with its assigned mandate under APSA.

The detail of the proposed inspection methodologies can be found at www.leafservices.co.za/report, or on request from Leaf Services at the email address below.

The proposed inspection fees in respect of the different products are as provided in the table below. The inspection fees in respect of grain products will be levied on the volumes of products sold. The inspection fees in respect of grain will be levied on the volumes of products delivered for commercial purposes, including tonnages delivered for storage.

Grain and grain products	Rate per ton (Rand)	Rate per loaf (cents)
Canola	1.90	
Dry Beans	1.90	
Ground nuts	1.90	
Maize	1.90	
Malting barley	1.90	
Sorghum	1.90	
Soya Beans	1.90	
Sunflower seeds	1.90	
Wheat (all types)	1.90	
Rice	1.90	
Maize products	6.00	
Wheat products (excl bread)	6.00	
Bread (Loaf)		2.30

- All proposed fees exclude Value Added Tax (VAT)

Written comments/representations should be directed by email to the Chief Executive Officer: Leaf Services (daniel.botes@leafservices.co.za) to be received by no later than 30 days from the date of publication of this notice.

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