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AGRICULTURAL PRODUCT STANDARDS ACT, 1990 (ACT No. 119 OF 1990)

INVITATION FOR THE PUBLIC TO COMMENT ON REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE QUALITY, GRADING, PACKING AND MARKING OF TOMATOES INTENDED FOR SALE IN THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

I, Angela Thoko Didiza, Minister of Agriculture, Land Reform and Rural Development, acting under section 15 of the Agricultural Product Standards Act, 1990 (Act No. 119 of 1990) hereby publish the attached Regulations relating to the quality, grading, packing and marking of tomatoes intended for sale in the Republic of South Africa.

Interested parties are invited to submit written comments within (5) five weeks from the date of publication of this Notice to the following address:

Executive Officer: Agricultural Product Standards Department of Agriculture, Land Reform and Rural Development Private Bag X343, Pretoria, 0001, 30 Hamilton Street, Harvest House Building, Room 152

Tel. no. 012 319 6291 or 6171 Fax no. 012 319 6265 Email: <u>CarolineL@dalrrd.gov.za or VictorMa@dalrrd.gov.za</u>

The Regulations may be obtained from the Department's website at the following link <u>http://www.dalrrd.gov.za/Branches/Agricultural-Production-Health-Food-Safety/Food-Safety/Food-Safety-Quality-Assurance/Draft-Legislation-for-Comments</u> or can be sent through electronic mail or posted by mail to any person upon request.

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