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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, FORESTRY AND FISHERIES

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THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENT MANAGEMENT BIODIVERSITY ACT, 2004 (ACT NO.10 OF 2004)

THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT ACT 1998 (ACT NO. 107 OF 1998)

EXTENSION OF THE PERIOD FOR NOMINATION OF SUITABLE PERSONS TO BE APPOINTED AS MEMBERS OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN NATIONAL BIODIVERSITY INSTITUTE

I, Barbara Dallas Creecy, Minister of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment, acting in terms of section 47C of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998) read with sections 15(1)(a) and (2)(a)(b) of the National Environment Management Biodiversity Act, 2004 (Act No.10 of 2004), hereby give notice of extension of the period to nominate suitable persons as Board members of the South African National Biodiversity Institute in terms of Notice No 165 published in Government Gazette No. 44219 on 3 March 2021. The nomination period is extended for a period of 14 days from the date of publication of this Notice in the Government Gazette.

Members of the public are invited to submit written nominations of suitable persons to be considered for appointment. The nominations must include:

- (a) A nomination and acceptance letter of the nominee; and
- (b) Curriculum Vitae of the nominee which sets out the following:
 - (i) personal details, including full names, surname, race, gender and disability of the nominee;
 - (ii) postal and residential address, and contact number(s) of the nominee;
 - (iii) certified copies of all academic qualifications and other relevant documentation; and
 - (iv) particulars of the nominee's qualifications and experience.

The nominee must have suitable experience or expertise in any of the following fields: strategic management and leadership; community development; audit and risk; corporate governance; conservation, biodiversity management, tourism development, financial (Chartered Accountant), information technology, human resource management, or otherwise possess special insight in relation to any aspect of the activities of South African National Biodiversity Institute.

Please note that section 15 of the Act stipulates as follows:

(4) When making appointments the Minister must-

- (a) consult the MECs for Environmental Affairs; and
- (b) have regard to the need for appointing persons to promote representivity

Nominations must be submitted within 14 days of the publication of this Notice in the Government Gazette to any of the following addresses:

By post: The Director-General

Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment For Attention: Director: Office of the Director-General

Private Bag X447 **PRETORIA** 0001

By hand at: Reception, Environment House, 473 Steve Biko Road, Arcadia, Pretoria, 0083

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, delivering documents by hand at the Department is discouraged, however, anyone entering the Department's building will be subjected to

COVID-19 protocols and procedures.

By email: sanbiboard@environment.gov.za

Enquiries: Ms Buyiswa Ndibongo: +27 (0) 72 764 4759

Persons who submitted nominations in terms of Notice No 165 published in Government Gazette No. 44219 on 3 March 2021 should not resubmit as their nominations will be considered.

Kindly note that nominations received after the closing date may not be considered.

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MINISTER OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT