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DEPARTMENT OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT

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WORLD HERITAGE CONVENTION ACT, 1999 (ACT NO. 49 OF 1999)

NOTICE OF THE INTENTION TO CHANGE THE NAME OF UKHAHLAMBA-DRAKENSBERG PARK WORLD HERITAGE SITE TO MALOTI-DRAKENSBERG PARK WORLD HERITAGE SITE IN LINE WITH DECISION 37 COM 8B.18 OF THE WORLD HERITAGE COMMITTEE

I, Barbara Dallas Creecy, Minister of Forestry, Fisheries and Environment, hereby, in terms of section 1 (xxiv)(a), read with section 5(b) of the World Heritage Convention Act, 1999 (Act No. 49 of 1999), give notice of my intention to change the name of the uKhahlamba-Drakensberg Park World Heritage Site, inscribed in 2000 on the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation (UNESCO) World Heritage List, to Maloti-Drakensberg Park World Heritage Site. This notice does not change the description of the heritage site published under Government Notice No.1199 in *Gazette* No.30590 dated 18 December 2007.

Members of the public are invited to submit written comments to this notice within 30 days from the date of publication in the Government *Gazette*, or in the newspapers, whichever date is the last date, to the following addresses:

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The Director-General

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Comments received after the closing date may not be considered.

BARBARA DALLAS CREECY, MP

MINISTER OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT