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LEGAL NOTICE NO. 29 OF 1990

THE COMMISSION OF ENQUIRY ACT, 1963

(Act No. 35 of 1963)

THE COMMISSION OF ENQUIRY INTO THE OPERATIONS OF THE
GOVERNMENT CATTLE FATTENING AND SISA RANCHES NOTICE, 1990

(Under Section 3)

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Commission of Enquiry Act, 1963, I, HEZEKIEL SIPHO MAMBA, Minister for Agriculture and Co-operatives, hereby issue the following Notice -

Citation.

1. This Notice may be cited as the Commission of Enquiry into the Fattening and Sisa Ranches Notice, 1990.

Establishment of Commission.

2. (1) There is hereby issued and established a Commission to be known as the Commission of Enquiry into the operations of the Government Cattle Fattening and Sisa Ranches, hereafter referred to as "the Commission".

(2) The Commission shall be composed of the following members -

MR. JOB B. DLAMENI	—	CHAIRMAN
MR. SAMUEL MYENI	—	MEMBER
MR. SIPHO H. ZWANE	—	"
MR. MAGALELA NGWENYA	—	"
DR. ROBERT S.N. THWALA	—	"
MR. LUKE HLATSHWAYO	—	"
MR. MICHAEL MHLANGA	—	"
MR. SOLOMON L. KHUMALO	—	"
MR. JAMES NCONGWANE	—	"
MR. JAMESON VILAKATI	—	SECRETARY

Functions of the Commission.

3. The Commission shall examine and enquire into the operations of the Fattening and Sisa Ranches, and its terms of reference are as follows -

- (a) To establish the extent to which ranch management has or has not applied the approved ranch rules. In particular, it shall review and comment on whether:
 - (i) Cattle entry conditions have been met (e.g. maximum cattle numbers per owner not exceeded; priorities given to cattle originating from areas identified as being particularly overgrazed etc.)
 - (ii) Cattle deaths, births and sales have been properly accounted for, and the owners timeously advised.
 - (iii) Records are adequately maintained.
- (b) To determine if certain persons have used their positions to take undue advantage of the Sisa and Fattening Ranches to further their own aims to the detriment of more deserving cases as defined by the original ranch principles.
- (c) To recommend possible policy changes that may be adopted to modify the purposes and streamline operations of the ranches.

- (d) To investigate any other matter which is related to or is incidental to the effective operation of the ranches.
- (e) To recommend ways and means of removing deficiencies, inefficiencies, malpractices and of preventing their recurrence.
- (f) to make other recommendations as may seem necessary.

Enquiry venue.

- 4. The enquiry shall be held at the Co-operative Development Centre (CODEC) Ezulwini at such times as the Commission may determine.

Enquiry in camera.

- 5. Except where the Minister for Agriculture and Co-operatives otherwise directs, the enquiry shall be held in camera, and the Commission shall take such steps as to preserve the secrecy of the proceedings and recommendations.

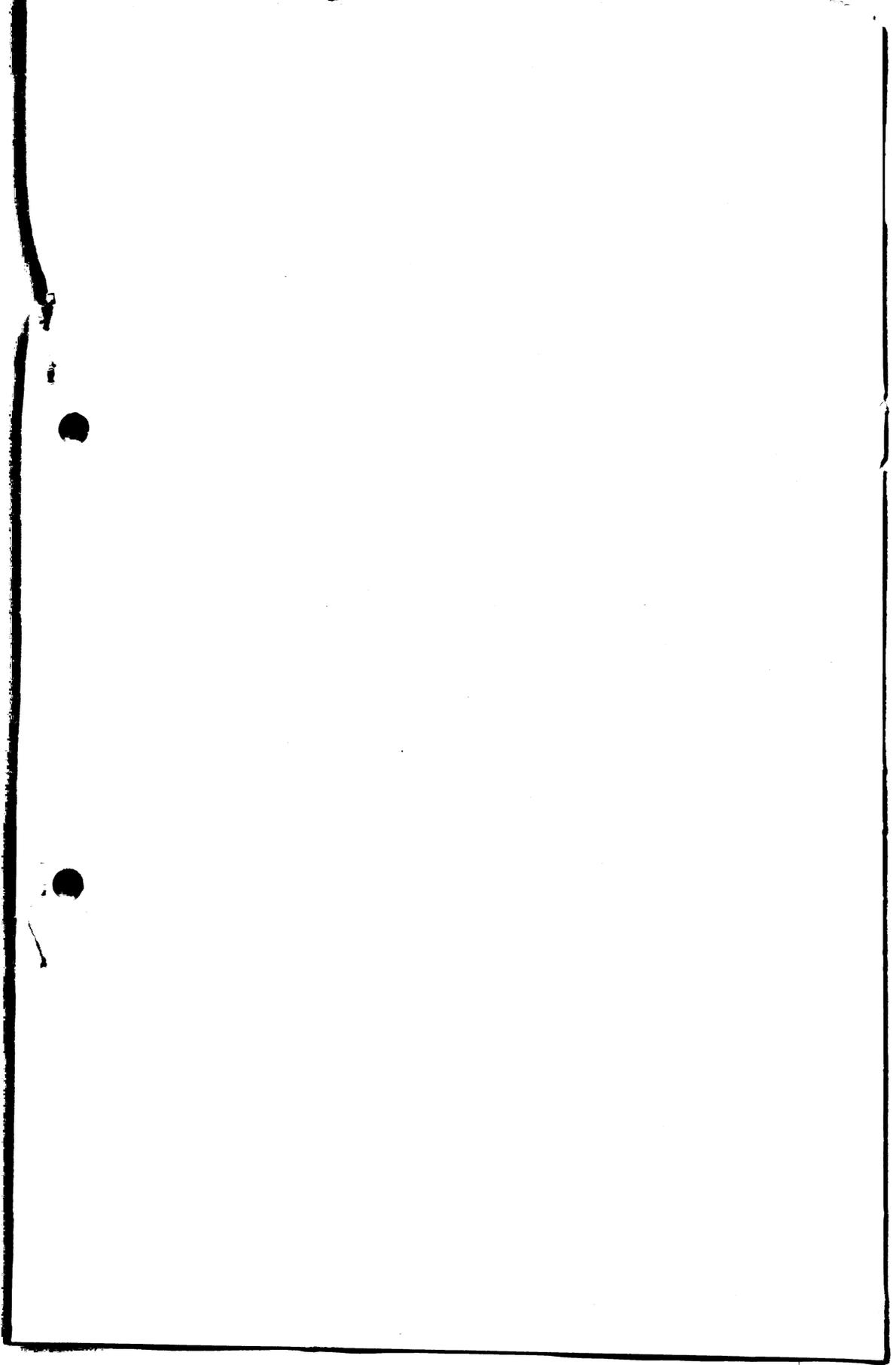
Duration of enquiry.

- 6. The Commission shall commence its functions on the 18th April 1990 and shall submit its report to the Minister for Agriculture and Co-operatives by the 31st August, 1990 or on such later date as the Minister may permit in writing.

H.S. MAMBA

Minister for Agriculture and Co-operatives

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12th April, 1990



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