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NOTICE 2033 OF 2005



Independent Communications Authority of South Africa
Pinmill Farm, 164 Katherine Street, Sandton
Private Bag X10002, Sandton, 2146

INDEPENDENT COMMUNICATIONS AUTHORITY OF SOUTH AFRICA

APPLICATION FOR THE AMENDMENT OF BROADCASTING LICENCE CONDITIONS: SOUTH AFRICAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION (PTY) LTD (SABC) UMHLOBO WENENE

1. The Independent Communications Authority of South Africa ("the Authority") hereby gives notice, in terms of the provisions of section 52(2) of the Independent Broadcasting Authority Act, No 153 of 1993, as amended, that it has received an application in terms of section 52 from SABC (Pty) Ltd for the amendment to the SABC licence (Umhlobo Wenene) in terms of section 52(1) (c) of the Act.
2. The amendment application is sought to enable SABC Umhlobo Wenene to expand its coverage in the area of Kimberley in the Northern Cape Province and allow it to the use of a spare frequency (106.9 MHz.) at Kimberley.
3. The application, relevant schedule and any representations received pursuant thereto is available and open for inspection by interested parties in the Authority's library during normal office hours.
4. Interested parties are invited to lodge written representations in relation to the application within twenty one (21) days of the date of publication of this notice which will expire on 08 January 2006. Persons who lodge representations in terms hereof must simultaneously indicate whether they also require an opportunity to make oral representations to the Authority.
5. All written representations, responses and other correspondence in terms hereof must be directed to Mr. Thabo Ndhlovu, Manager: The Licensing Unit, Broadcasting Division, Independent Communications Authority of South Africa at Block D, Pinmill Farm, 164 Katherine Street, Sandton, Johannesburg or Private Bag x 10002 Sandton, 2146 or by fax no. (011) 448 2186.
6. Persons who lodge representations in terms hereof, shall at the time of lodgement furnish proof to the satisfaction of the Authority that a copy of the representation has been delivered by hand to Ms Lara Kantor, General Manager: Policy and Regulatory Affairs, SABC Radio Park, 2092 Henley Road, Auckland Park, or sent by registered post to Private Bag x 1, Auckland Park 2006 or by fax to (011) 714 4508.

7. SABC (Pty) Ltd shall be entitled to respond in writing to written representations made by interested persons on the proposed amendment, and such written response must be lodged with the Authority within sixty (60) days of the date of publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette*. SABC (Pty) Ltd must, at the time of lodging such written response, furnish proof to the Authority's satisfaction that it has delivered a copy of such response by hand, or has sent a copy of such response by registered mail or by facsimile to the relevant person having made such written representations.

**PARIS MASHILE
CHAIRPERSON
ICASA**

SCHEDULE

1. The applicant is applying for an additional spare transmitter frequencies for SABC Umhlobo Wenene at the following existing transmitter sites:
 - a) Kimberley 106.9 MHz, ERP 10kW, (Not listed in terms of the 2004 frequency plan as a spare frequency at Kimberley)
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