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## GENERAL NOTICE

NOTICE 1349 OF 1999

### **SOUTH AFRICAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY**



**NOTICE IN TERMS OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT, 1996 (ACT 103 OF 1996), INVITING REPRESENTATIONS IN RELATION TO APPLICATIONS TO PROVIDE MOBILE CELLULAR TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICE IN THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA.**

1. In terms of section 34(3) of the Telecommunications Act, 1996, the South African Telecommunications Regulatory Authority ("SATRA") hereby gives notice of the applications lodged pursuant to an invitation by the Minister for Post, Telecommunications and Broadcasting in Government Gazette no. 19806 dated 26 February 1999.

2. The applicants are:
  - (1) Africa Speaks Cellular
  - (2) Afrozone Telecoms
  - (3) Cell C
  - (4) Five Mobile Networks
  - (5) Khuluma 084 Cellular
  - (6) Nextcom Cellular
  - (7) Spatial Cellular
  - (8) Telenor-Telia Consortium
3. The terms and conditions on which it is proposed that the licence will be granted will be published in due course.
4. Interested persons are invited to lodge written representations in relation to the applications with SATRA, for the attention of Mr Andries Matthysen at SATRA, Block A Pin Mill Farm, 164 Katherine Street, Sandton, or by fax (011) 321-8536 or by e-mail at [matta@satra.gov.za](mailto:matta@satra.gov.za), (Tel. 011- 321-8200) not later than 16h00 on 15 July 1999.
5. Applicants may lodge their written responses to the written representations of interested persons not later than 16h00 on 6 August 1999.
6. All representations and documents lodged with SATRA pursuant to this notice shall be open for public inspection by interested parties during the normal office hours of SATRA from 21 June 1999.
7. Representations and documents which SATRA considers to be confidential will not be available for public inspection. Persons submitting representations that they believe are confidential must indicate so clearly together with their reasons. SATRA may, on receiving a request for confidentiality, determine that such documents shall not be open for public inspection. If a request for confidentiality is refused, the person making the request will be allowed to withdraw the document in question.
8. Persons who submit written representations must when submitting their representation indicate whether they wish to make oral representations at a public hearing to be held from 10h00 from 6 September 1999 at Block B Pin Mill Farm, 164 Katherine Street, Sandton, and must indicate the estimated duration of their oral presentation.

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9. Persons referred to in paragraph 8 above should be available at their own cost at the above venue for the purpose of making such oral representations.
  10. A preliminary time schedule for oral representations will be available on 13 August 1999 from Mr Andries Matthysen at SATRA.

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**CHAIRPERSON, SATRA**

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