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# DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATIONS

# PUBLICATION OF EXPLANATORY SUMMARY OF SOUTH AFRICAN COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY BILL

The Minister of Communications intends introducing the South African Communications Regulatory Authority Bill in the National Assembly before the end of February 2000. The explanatory summary of the Bill is hereby published in accordance with Rule 241(c) of the Rules of the National Assembly.

The Bill provides for:

The establishment of the South African Communications Regulatory Authority; and for the disestablishment of the Independent Broadcasting Authority and South African Telecommunications Regulatory Authority; to transfer the functions of the latter authorities to the South African Communications Regulatory Authority; to amend the Independent Broadcasting Authority Act, 1993, the Telecommunications Act, 1996, and the Broadcasting Act, 1999; and to provide for matters connected therewith.

Copies of the Bill can be obtained from:

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