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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

PUBLICATION OF EXPLANATORY SUMMARY OF THE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE AGENTS AMENDMENT BILL

The Minister of Agriculture intends introducing the Agricultural Produce Agents Amendment Bill in the National Assembly during August 2003. The explanatory summary of the Bill is hereby published in accordance with Rule 241(c) of the Rules of the National Assembly.

The Bill addresses the following issues:

- To further define certain definitions in the Agricultural Produce Agents Act, 1992;
- to amend the constitution of the Agricultural Produce Agents Council;
- to amend the existing Act as it relates to fresh produce agents;
- to provide for the extension of the jurisdiction of the council to export agents; and
- to enhance the regulating authority of the council regarding sales persons in the employ of fresh products agents, and for matters connected therewith.

Copies of the Bill can be obtained from:

1. **Government Printers: Pretoria and Cape Town**
2. **Department of Agriculture**
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KENNISGEWING 2097 VAN 2003**DEPARTEMENT VAN LANDBOU****PUBLIKASIE VAN VERDUIDELIKENDE OPSOMMING VAN WYSIGINGS-
WETONTWERP OP LANDBOUPRODUKTE-AGENTE**

Die Minister van Landbou beoog om die Wysigingswetsontwerp op Landbouprodukte-Agente by die Nasionale Vergadering in te dien gedurende Augustus 2003. Die verduidelikende opsomming van die Wetsontwerp word hierby gepubliseer ooreenkomstig Reël 241(c) van die Reëls van die Nasionale Vergadering:

Die Wetsontwerp speek die volgende aangeleenthede aan:

- Samestelling van die Raad wat die beroepe reguleer van varsprodukte-agente;
- lewendehawe-agente en uitvoeragente;
- sekere bepalings in verband met varsprodukte-agente;
- voorsiening maak vir die uitbreiding van die jurisdiksie van die Raad om uitvoeragente in te sluit; en
- versterking van die regulatoriese bevoegdheid van die Raad en vir aangeleenthede wat daarmee in verband staan.

Afskrifte van die Wetsontwerp kan verkry word van:

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