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## GENERAL NOTICE

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### NOTICE 19 OF 2004



#### **Independent Communications Authority of South Africa**

Pinmill Farm, 164 Katherine Street, Sandton  
Private Bag X10002, Sandton, 2146

#### **INDEPENDENT COMMUNICATIONS AUTHORITY OF SOUTH AFRICA**

#### **APPLICATION BY THE SOUTH AFRICAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION (SABC) FOR TWO REGIONAL TELEVISION SERVICES**

The Independent Communications Authority of South Africa hereby **wishes to withdraw and replace Government Gazette Number 25856 Notice Number 3433 of 18 December 2003 with the notice mentioned below.**

The Independent Communications of South Africa hereby gives notice in terms of section 41 of the Independent Broadcasting Authority Act, 153 of the 1993 that it has received in terms of section 22(a) of the Broadcasting Act, 4 of 1999, as amended, an application from the South African Broadcasting Corporation for two Regional Television Services namely SABC 4 and SABC 5.

SABC 4 will broadcast in the Limpopo, North West, Gauteng, Free State, and Northern Cape Provinces in Setswana, Sesotho, Sepedi, Xitsonga, Tshivenda, Afrikaans and English.

SABC 5 will broadcast in Mpumalanga, Limpopo (eastern border), Gauteng, Kwa-Zulu, Eastern Cape, and the Western Cape in isiZulu, isiXhosa, isiNdebele, isiSwati, Afrikaans and English.

The applicant proposes a service which will encourage the development of South African expressions by catering for all official languages in terms of the charter as it appears in chapter 4 of the Broadcasting Act, 1999. The service will according to the applicant present the public broadcaster and the citizens it serves with the possibility of show casing content that informs, educate and entertains in a fuller, more relevant and meaningful way than the existing platforms have allowed.

Interested parties are invited to lodge written representations in relation to the application to Thabo Ndhlovu of the Licensing Unit, Broadcasting Division, Independent Communication Authority of South Africa at Block D, Pin Mill Farm, 164 Katherine Street, Sandton, Johannesburg or Private Bag x 10002, Sandton, 2146 or by fax no. 011 444 1461/ 448 2186 within 30 days of the publication of this notice.

Persons, who lodge representations in terms hereof, shall at the time of lodging such representation, furnish proof to the satisfaction of the Authority that a copy of the representation has been sent by registered post or delivered to the applicant concerned.

Representations to the SABC can be addressed to Lara Kantor at 2301 Radio Park, Henley Road, Auckland Park or posted to Private Bag x 1, Auckland Park, 2003 or fax 011 714 4508.

The application and representations received pursuant thereto are open for inspection by interested parties during the normal office hours of the Authority at the offices of the Authority at Block D Pin Mill Farm, 164 Katherine Street, Sandton, 2146.

Any queries in relation to this publication may be addressed to Thabo Ndhlovu, Manager: Licensing Unit, telephone number (011) 321 8217 or fax number (011) 448 2186.

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