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DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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NATIONAL EDUCATION POLICY ACT, 1996 (ACT NO. 27 OF 1996), THE FURTHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING COLLEGES ACT, 2006 (ACT NO. 16 OF 2006) AND

NATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS FRAMEWORK ACT, 2008 (ACT 67 OF 2008)

AMENDMENT NOTICE

AMENDMENT TO SCHEDULE 1 OF GOVERNMENT GAZETTE NO 33201, VOL 539, DATED 17 MAY 2010, AMENDMENT TO GOVERNMENT NOTICE 1200 IN GOVERNMENT GAZETTE NO. 32810, DATED 14 DECEMBER 2009, REGARDING THE EXTENSION OF THE OFFERING OF NATIONAL N CERTIFICATES: N4-N6

I, Bonginkosi Emmanuel Nzimande, Minister of Higher Education and Training, hereby, in terms of Sections 3(4)(1) and 7 of the National Education Policy Act, 1996 (Act No. 27 of 1996), read with section 43(1) of the Further Education and Training Colleges Act, 2006 (Act No 16 of 2006) approve an amendment of Paragraph "c" of Schedule 1 in Government Gazette No 33201, Vol 539, dated 17 May 2010: Amendment to Government Notice 1200 in Government Gazette No. 32810, Dated 14 December 2009, regarding the extension of the offering of National N Certificates: N4-N6 as set out in the Schedule

BE NZIMANDE, MP

MINISTER OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING

DATE: 01/11/10

SCHEDULE

Amendment to the provisions regarding the extension of the offering of National N Certificates: N4-N6

a) Paragraph (c) of Schedule 1 published in Government Gazette No. 33201 is hereby amended to read as follows:

The extension period shall end after the Minister has, after consultation with the Quality Council for Trades and Occupations (QCTO), determined policy in the Gazette on:

- an occupational qualifications sub-framework as an integral part of the National Qualifications Framework;
- ii) the sub-framework for quality assurance for occupational qualifications; and
- *any other matter concerning occupational standards or occupational qualifications.*