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SOUTH AFRICAN SCHOOLS ACT, 1996 (ACT NO 84 of 1996)

AMENDED NATIONAL NORMS AND STANDARDS FOR SCHOOL FUNDING

I, Angelina Matsie Motshekga, Minister of Basic Education, in terms of the section 48(1) of the South African Schools Act, 1996, (Act 84 of 1996) and paragraph 110 of the National Norms and Standards for School Funding (NNSSF), after consultation with the Minister of Finance and the Council of Education Ministers, hereby publish amendments to the NNSSF. The NNSSF were published in Government Notice No. 890, Government Gazette No. 29179 of 31 August 2006, corrected by Government Notice No. 1282, Government Gazette No. 29473 of 14 December 2006, amended by Government Notice No. 26, Government Gazette No. 30679 of 18 January 2006 and further amended by Government Notice No. 1089, Government Gazette No. 31498 of 17 October 2008, Government Notice No. 1387, Government Gazette No. 31574 of 4 November 2008, Government Notice No. 78, Government Gazette No. 31848 of 30 January 2009, Government Notice No. 1052, Government Gazette No. 32683 of 6 November 2009, Government Notice No. 1135, Government Gazette No. 32772 of 3 December 2009; Government Notice No. 1179, Government Gazette No. 32804 of 11 December 2009 and Government Notice No. 1017, Government Gazette No. 33723 of 05 November 2010.

In accordance with paragraphs 177(1)(a) and 177(3) of the NNSSF, I hereby determine that the Grade 3 or Grade 6 instrument used for the Annual National Assessment in public schools, where applicable, be used to measure learner achievement within independent schools which are eligible for subsidy.

The effective date for implementation of this amendment will be 1 January 2012.

MRS ANGIE MOTSHEKGA, MP

Minister of Basic Education