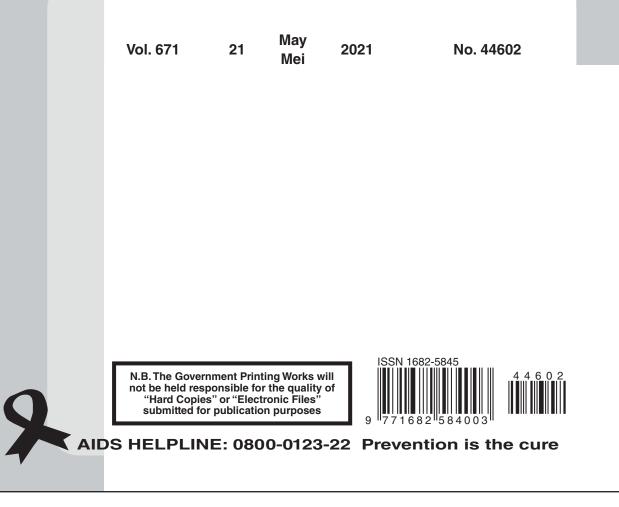


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### NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT: WASTE ACT, 2008 (ACT NO. 59 OF 2008)

### EXTENSION OF TIME TO COMMENT ON THE DRAFT NATIONAL NORMS AND STANDARDS FOR THE TREATMENT OF ORGANIC WASTE

I, Barbara Dallas Creecy, Minister of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment, hereby extend, by an additional 30 days, the comment period on the Draft National Norms and Standards for the Treatment of Organic Waste, as published under Government Notice R.275 in Government *Gazette* 44340 on 29 March 2021, to 30 July 2021.

Members of the public are therefore invited to submit written comments or inputs on the Draft National Norms and Standards for the Treatment of Organic Waste, as published under Government Notice R.275 in Government *Gazette* 44340 on 29 March 2021, by no later than Friday, the 30<sup>th</sup> of July 2021, to the following addresses:

By post to: The Director-General: Department of Environmental Affairs Attention: Mr Anben Pillay Private Bag X447 PRETORIA 0001

By hand at: Reception, Environment House, 473 Steve Biko Road, Arcadia, Pretoria, 0083

Please note that anyone entering the Department's building will be subjected to COVID 19 procedures. Due to the COVID 19 pandemic delivering comments by hand at the Department is being discouraged.

By e-mail: <u>APillay@environment.gov.za</u>

Any inquiries in connection with the Notice can be directed to Mr Anben Pillay at (012) 399 9827 / 066 489 6132

A copy of the draft national norms and standards for the treatment of organic waste can also be accessed at <u>http://sawic.environment.gov.za</u> under "Draft documents for comment".

Comments received after the closing date may not be considered.

BARBARA DALLAS CREECY MINISTER OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT

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