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DEPARTMENT OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT

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**NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT ACT, 1998
(ACT NO. 107 OF 1998)****EXTENSION OF THE APPOINTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT PRACTITIONERS ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH AFRICA AS THE SINGLE REGISTRATION AUTHORITY IN TERMS OF SECTION 24H(3), READ WITH 24H(6), OF THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT ACT, 1998, FOR A PERIOD OF TWENTY-FOUR (24) MONTHS**

I, Barbara Dallas Creecy, Minister of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment hereby extend the appointment of the Environmental Assessment Practitioners Association of South Africa, as a single registration authority, in terms of section 24H(3), read with section 24H(6), of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998) for a period of twenty-four (24) months.

The Environmental Assessment Practitioners Association of South Africa was appointed as the single registration authority for a period of five years, with effect from 8 February 2018 until 7 February 2023, whereafter the period of appointment was extended until 7 February 2024. This appointment is further extended until 7 February 2026 to enable me to adequately consider what the most sustainable way forward would be for the long-term regulation of environmental assessment practitioners.



BARBARA DALLAS CREECY
MINISTER OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT

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