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Small businesses get a boost

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overnment has given South African small businesses and cooperatives a lifeline.

This after government announced that it has set aside 30 percent of its procurement spend for services from small businesses, and cooperatives.

Minister in The Presidency for Planning, Monitoring duce legislative amendments

announced this shortly after the Cabinet Lekgotla held recently.

He said a new Procurement Bill developed by National Treasury that will be introduced next year, would ensure that 30 percent of government contracts are set aside for small companies, cooperatives and township businesses.

"Government would intro-

set aside to unlock the potential of SMMEs, cooperatives and the township and rural enterprises. This would be done by March 2017," said Minister Radebe.

He added that this was part of government's evaluations of financial incentives for business to strengthen and achieve greater value for money to enhance more inclusive growth.

and Evaluation, Jeff Radebe, to implement the 30 percent to focus on labour-intensive

sectors, including the need for various mechanisms to support greater impact on jobs, such as the use of the incentive programmes, amongst others: clothing, textiles, leather and footwear value-chain; agro-processing and business process servic-

The economy was top of the agenda at the Cabinet Lekgotla as government assessed its

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Protect your social grant

Gabi Khumalo

he South African Social Security Agency (SASSA) has urged social grant beneficiaries to make other arrangements with financial service providers to pay their premiums This follows the amendments of

the regulations of the Social Assistance Act of 2004, where some social grant beneficiaries will have to make other arrangements regarding the payment of funeral insurance premiums.

The amendmens of the regulations was a necessary and responsible step taken by SASSA and the Department

of Social Development in order to protect vulnerable beneficiaries against dishonest fi-

nancial service providers.

"The law allows for only a maximum of 10 percent of the grant value to be deduct-



ed and requires that SASSA should be informed when-

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Ikonomi ya mahayani i khou khwinifhadza matshilo

Vho Siya Miti

∎hurangeli ha vhupo ha mahayani ngei Kapa Vhubvaduvha vhu khou shuma vhukuma kha u mandafhadza vhafumakadzi na vhaswa.

Vhunzhi ha zwitshavha zwi khou kana mbuelo dza Thandela ya Indibano, dzangano line mudzulatshidulo walo ha vha minisiţa wa kale Vho Lindiwe Hendricks.

"Muhumbulo muhulwane wa Indibano ndi u humisela murahu tshitshavhani."

Thandela dza Indibano dzi shuma kha vhupo ha mahayani u itela u swikelela mveledziso ya ikonomi. Mushumo wayo ndi u wana masheleni a thandela dza mveledziso, nga mannda kha zwa vhulimi, na u tanganya zwitshavha zwa mahayani na vhafaramukovhe vho teaho.



Indibano yo thomiwa nga Phambili Vuna, khamphani i langwaho nga Vho Hendricks na mukalaha wavho, feme ya vhutoli va PwC, na Kula Investments, khamphani i wanalaho ngei East London yo sedzaho kha thandela dza mveledziso ya mahayani.

"Muhumbulo muhulwane wa Indibano ndi u humisela murahu tshitshavhani. Ro zwi vhona uri muvhuso u ngasi kone u vha hothe-hothe na uri ri khou ita khuwelelo kha sekithara ya phuraivethe uri dzi divhonadze uri hu kone u bveledzwa vhupo ha mahayani," vho ralo Vho Hendricks.

Thandela vo tikedza tshitshavha tsha Zulukama tsini na Whittlesea, hune vhadzulapo vha shuma kha habu dza dzimakete.

"Ri na vhaledzani vha ngaho Masipala wa Tshiţiriki tsha Amathole vhane ra khou shuma navho. Masipala wo netshedza nngu dza tsadzi na dza nduna na uri mirado ya tshitshavha yo pfumbudzwa u bvisa mikumba wa nngu na u dzi fuwa ," vho ralo Vho Hendricks.

Zulukama Community Trust wuļu uri vha kone u swikelela zwazwino ina miţanganelano

ya sumbe ya nngu, ine khayo inwe na inwe ya vha na 100 dza tsadzi na nna dza nduna, dzine dzo ţanganelana dza vha nngu dza 728. Tshivhalo tsha dzishede tsho engedzea uya kha 22 ubva tshe ya thomiwa nga 2006.

Vho Hendricks vhori u bvelela ha habu dza dziwuļu zwi sumbedzisa uri huna lupfumo kha vhupo ha mahayani. 🔽

Thebvu dza *Macadamia* dzi disa fulufhelo



Thebvu dza macadamia dza khwalithi dzi bveledzwa fhethu ho fhambanaho kha la Kapa Vhubvaduvha.

Vho Siya Miti

Ihadzulapo vha muvhundu wa Ncera nnda ha East London vha khou vhuelwa nga thandela ya bulasi la macadamia yo rwelwaho tari zwenezwino vhuponi uvho. Macadamia ndi thebvu dzi

Thandela dza Indibano, vhurangeli vhune ndivho yaho ha vha u mandafhadza vhafumakadzi na vhaswa kha vhupo ha Kapa Vhubvaduvha, dzi khou ranga phanda nyengedzedzo ya ndimo ya thebvu dza macadamia.

Nyengedzedzo i khou thomiwa kha vhupo ha sialala ha AmaJingqi ngei Willowvale, fhasi ha Vhamusanda Vho Dumalisile.

"Thandela ya Indibane yo dzhoina EC Macadamia, ine ndi kale i khou shuma Bulasini la Ncera sa vhaledzani vha u engedza masheleni, hu u itela u engedza thandela ya *macadamia* ya Kapa Vhubvaduvha. Ri khou engedza masheleni kha tshinwe na tshinwe tshiswa na masimu kha macadamia kha vundu," vho ralo Vho Lindiwe Hendricks mutumbuli wa Thandela ya Indibano.

Mavu a egere dza 300 a ngei Ncera a bveledza thani dza 50 000 dza macadamia nga nwaha.

"Nanwaha khano yo engedzea uya kha thani dza 80 000 na uri vhupo ha Ncera ho khodwa sa hone vhupo ha nţhesa kha shango malugana na khwalithi ya thebvu dzine vha bveledza," vho ralo Vho Hendricks.

vhudifhinduleli ha u bvisa vhathu kha vhushai na u vhona uri hu na lupfumo kha vhupo ha mahayani."

Ngei Willowvale, saithi tharu dza egere dza 300 dzine inwe na inwe hu tshi katelwa na AmaJingqi, dzo topolwa. Kha vhupo ha Pondoland, Indibano i khou sedzulusa vhupo ho teaho hune ha nga limiwa nduhu dza macadamia.

Vhathu vha mahayani, nga mannda vhafumakadzi na vhaswa, vho mandafhadzwa nga zwikili zwe vho vha vha si na kale, vho ralo Vho Hendricks.

"U fushea hanga hu vha hone musi ndi tshi vhona matshilo a khou shanduka. Ndi vhona vhafumakadzi vhane vho vha vha si na fhulufhelo vha tshi khou langa mashubi Hezwo ndi a dihudza ngazwo vhukuma."

Vho engedza nga uri u bvelela ha thandela ya thebvu dza macadamia zwi sumbedza uri huna khonadzeo ya u disa lupfumo kha vhupo ha mahayani.

"Ri na vhuḍifhinduleli ha u bvisa vhathu kha vhushai na u vhona uri hu na lupfumo kha vhupo ha mahayani, u itela u fhelisa mupfuluwo wa vhana vha tshi ya dzidoroboni."

Bindu la u runga ndi tswikelelo ine ya khou engedzea

Vho Albert Pule

lbva musi a tshe muţuku, Ntshepeng Mofokeng wa minwaha ya 34 ovha a tshi toda u vha na bindu lawe ene mune. Musi ono thaphudza maţiriki o humbula u ita zwa muzika a dovha a lingedza mashudu kha zwa zwiambaro na ndowetshumo ya bannga fhedzi dzangaleļo ļa u vha ramabindu wa mufumakadzi lo vha li hone.

"Na musi ndi tshi khou shuma, muloro wa u vha na bindu langa nne mune wo vha u hone. Nga murahu ha musi ndi tshi litsha u shuma banngani ndo thoma u humbula ndo khwathisa ngaha u bveledza muloro wanga," o ralo Ntshepeng o bebelwaho Pimville.

Nga murahu ha musi o no dzhia tsheo ya bindu line a khou toda u vha nalo o mbo di kwama Zhendedzi la Mveledziso ya Vhaswa vha Lushaka (NYDA) uri a wane thuso wa masheleni.

"Ndo vha ndi si na fhulufhelo kha NYDA nga nwambo wa zwiţori zwine ndo no pfa ngayo.

"Ndi nga ri, u swika zwino, vho ntsumbedza uri zwe nda vha ndi tshi divha nga havho asi zwone, thuso na ndededzo ye nda wana khavho ndi yavhudi."

Bindu lawe, li vhidzwaho Tsa Motse Lifestyle Concepts lo netshedzwa gavhelo la u thoma u shuma la R50 000.

"Ndo vha ndo takala vhukuma, zwavhudi-vhudi nda ndo takala lwo kalulaho musi bindu langa li tshi nangiwa ngauri zwi sumbedza uri ndi khou tshimbila nga mulenzhe wone na uri ndi khou ita zwo teaho."

Bindu la Mofokeng li runga maxaradeni, zwisiamelo zwiţuku, blinds, malagane a mbete ya dovha ya nakisa nganomu nduni. Zwazwino yo thola vhathu vhana, vhavhili ndi vhashumi vha tshothe vhavhili vha shuma lwa tshifhinga nyana.

"Vharengi vhe nda sedza khavho ndi vha phuraivethe vhane vho tou diimisa nga vhothe, vhane vha kha di bva u renga nndu, vha makete wa vhulondoti - nga mannda dzihodela khulwane. Heyo ndi yone ndila ine nda khou ţoḍa bindu heļi ļi tshi sedza khayo." Mofokeng o engedza nga uri una pulane dza u ya kha minwe mima-

Ori inwe ya khaedu khu-



■ Ntshepeng Mofokeng o kona u bveledzisa muloro wawe wa u vha na bindu lawe nga kha thuso ya NYDA.

mune wa bindu line la kha di vha lituku ndi u tatisana na pfungavhune dzo no bvelelaho kha ndowetshumo ya zwiambaro.

"Ndi khaedu khulwane lwane ine a tangana nayo sa fhedzi ri a lingedza nga ndila dzothe uri ri netshedze vharengi vhashu tshenzhemo i songo dowelelaho. Ri dovha ra netshedza tshumelo ya u vha ţanzwela maxaradeni na uri tshumelo yashu ndi ya phurofeshinala,

mitengo i pfalaho na tshumelo ya u ţanzwa ya khwinesa."

Mofokeng uri u tama u vhona khamphani yawe itshi aluwa na u sika mishumo minzhi matshelo.

Mufuwi wa khovhe vha khou tshila vhutshilo ha miloro yavho

Vho Sboniso Dlamini

usi Vho Bhekuyise Ngema vha tshi wana mushumo kha vhengele la zwiliwa zwa lwanzheni, vho mbo di thoma u funa khovhe zwa vha tutuwedza uri vha thome bindu lavho. Vho Ngema vha minwaha ya 51 ndi mune wa Sofoco Fish Farm ino wanala ngei Mandeni devhula ha Durban kha la KwaZulu-Natal.

Freshwater fish farm yo rinwa nga murahu ha mulambo ure kha vhupo ha Mbizimbelwe ngei Mandeni kha la KwaZulu Natala, ina thanele dza 20 dzo faraho madi o kunaho o fhambanaho. Thanele idzi dzi na tshaka dzo fhambanaho dza 12 dza koi na goldfish, dzine vha dzi fuwa vha rengisa vhatshi itela u tshila.

"Ndi a funa mushumo wanga na uri ndo vha ndi



ba a tshi ya kha inwe thanele.



khou toda u ita zwithu zwo fhambanaho. Ndo shumisa ndivho yanga ya u shuma nga dziphaiphi na ya zwa mudagasi kha u gwa dindi lo tsaho la u vhora madi nda dzhenisa bommbo uri huvhe na madi a yaho kha dzithanele. Vhoro ili li bveledza lithara dza madi dza 165 nga minete fhedzi ndi

kha di toda bommbo nnzhi dza madi uri dzi thuse heyi ire hone. Khovhe dzi ţoda madi o kunaho na tshikhala tsha muya wa u fema, ndo shumisa ndivho ine nda vha nayo ya u shuma nga dzi phaiphi u vhona uri dzi wana zwine dza toda," vho ralo Vho Ngema.

Bindu la vho Ngema lo

wina Pfufho ya Mune wa Mabindu Maţulu nga 2015.

Vha fhedza tshifhinga tshavho tshinzhi na khovhe u vhona uri dzo dzula zwavhudi. Vha dzi fha zwiliwa, vha bvisa makum-

"Ndi khou lingedza u sumbedza vhaswa uri u nga kona u bveledza miloro yau, naho nyimele yau yo vhifha hani."

ba vha dzi vhea kha thanele dzo fhambanaho, hune a andiswa hone. Khovhe dzo andiswaho zwezwo dzi iswa kha inwe thanele.

Vho Ngema vhari vha fhulufhela uri bindu ļavho ļi nga tutuwedza vhaswa uri ha thome mabindu avho.

"Ndi khou lingedza u sumbedza vhaswa uri vha nga bveledza miloro yavho naho nyimele yavho yo vhifha hani. Ndi khou tama vha tshi divha uri u thoma bindu a zwi todi masheleni manzhi fhedzi u thoma fhasi wa kona u aluwa. Ahuna zwine na nga wana arali no dzula hayani hu si na zwine na khou ita," vho ralo Vho

Tshipikwa tshihulwane tsha Vho Ngema kha bindu ļavho ndi uri ļi aluwe ļi kone u netshedza tshumelo kha mavhengele mahulwane ya khovhe thethe. Naho Sofoco Farm isi na khomphyutha kana thekhinolodzhi va maduvha ano vha na sisiţeme ya u nwala ine vha rekhoda khayo masheleni a bindu lavho na zwine zwi ţodaho u nwalwa fhasi.

Vhari zwazwino vharengi vhavho vha to tevhela khovhe ngauri vhone a vha athu vha na goloi ya u dzi