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To whom it may concern:

Re: Expression of Sirtfi compliance for TENET

This serves to confirm that the Tertiary Education and Research Network of South Africa (RF) NPC (TENET) first completed a self-assessment of the identity provider it uses within the South African Identity Federation (SAFIRE) using the Sirtfi v1.0 framework on 23 July 2018 and again using the revised Sirtfi v2.0 framework on 9 October 2025.

TENET hereby attests that, at the time of the aforementioned assessment, our identity provider (as well as the underlying systems on which it depends) satisfied the normative assertions set out in the REFEDS Security Incident Response Trust Framework for Federated Identity (Sirtfi) v2.0, as described at https://refeds.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/08/Sirtfiv2.pdf

This expression of compliance is scoped to the following SAML entities:

- https://idp-01.tenet.ac.za/idp/shibboleth
- https://sts.windows.net/1bc58914-e634-4e90-aa43-71acd0515947/

Our security contact for inclusion in metadata is:

Role name:	TENET Incident Response Team
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We understand that this commitment is self-asserted, and that the Federation Operator does not verify our compliance with Sirtfi.

Yours faithfully,

Guy Halse

Executive Officer: Trust & Identity