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## GENERAL NOTICE

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### Department of Human Settlements

North West Provincial Government

Republic of South Africa

### INVITATION FOR NOMINATIONS

**Invitation by the MEC responsible for Human Settlements in the North West Province for nominations of persons in terms of section 7(4) of the Housing Act, 1997 as amended, for appointment as members of the North West Housing Advisory Panel to advise the MEC on matters relating to Housing Development.**

In terms of the Housing Amendment Act, No 04 of 2001, **Hon. Desbo Mohono**, a Member of the Executive Council responsible for Human Settlements in the North West Province, hereby calls for nominations of persons to serve on the North West Housing Advisory Panel.

The Panel must comprise of a combination of expertise, skills and knowledge in the following fields;

- Theoretical and/or practical knowledge in housing policy development
- Extensive knowledge of low-income housing finance
- Knowledge of the built environment fields, such as Engineering, Regional and Town Planning
- Experience in and knowledge of low-income housing related legislation
- Practical experience in project management, implementation and contract administration
- Knowledge and/or experience in respect of planning legislation and planning strategy and policy
- Mobilization and Organizational skills

The competencies of the nominated persons should be clearly reflected on their curricula Vitae.

The following provisions in the Act have a bearing on the appointment of member of the Housing Advisory Panel.

The MEC must establish a Panel of not more than six persons who are fit and proper, possess knowledge, qualifications or experience in the field of housing. Members of the Panel will be appointed in accordance with procurement policies consistent with section 217 of the

Constitution Act 108 of 1996, and must be appointed only after the MEC has through the media and by notice in the *gazette* invited nominations of persons as candidates for the respective positions in the panel. A member of the panel shall be appointed for the period determined by the MEC, and may, subject to subsection (3) be reappointed on termination of that period. The MEC may at any time terminate the membership of a panel member for reasons that are just and fair. A member of the panel other than the person who is in full-time employment of the state, will be paid an allowance to be determined by the MEC after consultation with the MEC responsible for Treasury in the province.

Membership of the panel ceases if a member:

- Resigns
- 's estate is sequestrated or he/she applies for assistance in terms of section 10(1)(e) of the Agricultural Credit Act of 1996.
- Becomes of unsound mind
- Is convicted of an offence and sentenced to imprisonment without an option of a fine
- Becomes a Member of Parliament, Provincial Legislature, Municipal Council, is Executive Council of a Province.

Applications must be accompanied by:

An Identity Document, Certified Copies of qualifications, A Curriculum Vitae with competencies, experience and full names; addresses and telephone numbers of at least three referees; Foreign qualifications must be accompanied by a SAQA evaluation report. Failure to comply with any of the requirements will result in the immediate disqualification of the application.

Completed applications should be forwarded to:

**The Director: Human Resource Management, Department of Human Settlements, Private Bag x2145, Mmabatho, 2735 or hand delivered to The Telkom Building, 3366 Bessemmer Street, Industrial Site, Mahikeng (behind The Crossing Shopping Complex), for Attention Mr Mandla Khumalo.**

**Enquiries: Mpho Jaards, tel: 018 387 6056**

**Closing Date: 17 March 2011**

**NB: The Department of Human Settlements reserves the right not to make appointments.**

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