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GENERAL NOTICE

NOTICE 492 OF 2006



Independent Communications Authority of South Africa
Pinmill Farm, 164 Katherine Street, Sandton
Private Bag X10002, Sandton, 2146

APPLICATION FOR THE RENEWAL OF A FOUR YEAR COMMUNITY SOUND BROADCASTING LICENCE: MUSLIM BROADCASTING CORPORATION

1. The Independent Communications Authority of South Africa ("the Authority") hereby gives notice, in terms of the provisions of section 44(2) of the Independent Broadcasting Authority Act, No 153 of 1993, as amended, that it has received an application from the Muslim Broadcasting Corporation (Voice of the Cape) for the renewal of its community sound broadcasting licence in terms of section 44(1). The details of the application are contained in the schedule below.
2. The application is available and open for inspection by interested persons in the Authority's library during the Authority's normal office hours.
3. Interested persons are invited to lodge written representations in relation to the application by no later than 05 May 2006. Representations must be directed to Mr. Ngoako Malatji at the Licensing Unit, Broadcasting Division, Independent Communications Authority of South Africa at Block D, Pinmill Farm, 164 Katherine Street, Sandton, Johannesburg or Private Bag x 10002 Sandton, 2146 or by fax no. (011) 448 2186.
4. Persons who lodge representations in terms hereof, must simultaneously indicate whether they also require an opportunity to make oral representations to the Authority.
5. Persons who lodge representations in terms hereof, shall at the time of lodgement furnish proof to the satisfaction of the Authority that a copy of the representation has been delivered by hand to Mr. Imam Alli, Station Manager, Voice of the Cape, 2 Queens Park Avenue Salt River 7925, or sent by registered post to P.O. Box 16210, Vlaeberg 8018 or faxed to (021) 447 7271.
6. Voice of the Cape shall be entitled to respond in writing to written representations made by interested persons on the proposed renewal, and such written response must be lodged with the Authority within sixty (60) days of the date of publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette*. Voice of the Cape must, at the time of lodging such written response, furnish proof to the Authority's satisfaction that it has delivered a copy of such response by

hand, or has sent a copy of such response by registered mail or by facsimile to the relevant person having made such written representations.

**PARIS MASHILE
CHAIRPERSON
ICASA**

SCHEDULE

1. Name of the broadcasting service:

The Voice of the Cape

2. Legal Entity:

Trust

3. Name and address of Applicant:

The Voice of the Cape, 2 Queens Park Avenue, Salt River.

4. Community:

Community of interest, being the Sunni Muslims community residing in the Greater Cape metropolis in the Western Cape Province.

5. Proposed Licence Area:

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6. Nature of Proposed Service:

Community sound broadcasting service aimed at developing the community by providing programmes on news, education, basic literacy, skills development, and HIV/AIDS awareness.

7. Proposed Signal Distributor:

Sentech Ltd.

8. Transmitter Location:

Die Rif.

9. Preferred frequency band and effective radiated power:

100.4 MHz with 250 Watts ERP
