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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE AND CONSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

PUBLICATION OF EXPLANATORY SUMMARY OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION BILL, 2013

The Minister of Justice and Constitutional Development intends introducing the South African Human Rights Commission Bill, 2013, in the National Assembly shortly. The explanatory summary of the Bill is hereby published in accordance with Rule 241(1)(c) of the Rules of the National Assembly.

The Bill seeks to repeal the existing Human Rights Commission Act, 1994 (Act No. 54 of 1994), and to replace it with a new South African Human Rights Commission Act. The Bill further seeks to provide for the composition, powers, functions and functioning of the South African Human Rights Commission and for matters connected therewith.

A copy of the Bill can be found on the website of the Parliamentary Monitoring Group at "<http://www.pmg.org.za>" and the website of the Department of Justice and Constitutional Development at "<http://www.justice.gov.za>" and may, after introduction into Parliament, also be obtained from:

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KENNISGEWING 116 VAN 2013**DEPARTEMENT VAN JUSTISIE EN STAATKUNDIGE ONTWIKKELING****PUBLIKASIE VAN VERDUIDELIKENDE OPSOMMING VAN DIE WETSONTWERP
OP DIE SUID-AFRIKAANSE MENSEREGTEKOMMISSIE, 2013**

Die Minister van Justisie en Staatkundige Ontwikkeling beoog om die Wetsontwerp op die Suid-Afrikaanse Menseregtekommissie, 2013, eersdaags in die Nasionale Vergadering in te dien. Die verduidelikende opsomming van die Wetsontwerp word hierby ooreenkomstig Reël 241(1)(c) van die Reëls van die Nasionale Vergadering gepubliseer.

Die Wetsontwerp beoog om die bestaande Wet op die Menseregtekommissie, 1994 (Wet No. 54 van 1994), te herroep en om dit met 'n nuwe Wet op die Suid-Afrikaanse Menseregtekommissie te vervang. Die Wetsontwerp beoog verder om vir die samestelling, bevoegdhede, werksaamhede en funksionering van die Suid-Afrikaanse Menseregtekommissie en vir aangeleenthede wat daarmee in verband staan, voorsiening te maak.

'n Afskrif van die Wetsontwerp kan op die webtuiste van die Parlementêre Moniteringsgroep by "<http://www.pmg.org.za>" en die webtuiste van die Departement van Justisie en Staatkundige Ontwikkeling by "<http://www.justice.gov.za>" gevind word en kan, na indiening by die Parlement, ook verkry word vanaf:

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