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NOTICE 2 OF 2020 REGARDING CORRONA LOCKDOWN IN TERMS OF THE CROSS-BORDER ROAD TRANSPORT ACT, ACT 4 OF 1998

On 23 March 2020 the Honorable President of the Republic of South Africa directed a lockdown of South Africa to stem the spread of the Corona pandemic commencing on 26 March 2020 at Midnight and terminating on 16 April 2020 at Midnight.

Section 27 Freight Permit of the Cross-Border Road Transport Act, Act 4 of 1998 as amended, regulates the process that needs to be undertaken when deciding on granting, renewal and amending of freight permits. However, due to the lockdown the Agency is unable to follow the process. The Regulatory Committee has appraised itself of the situation and has resolved as follows:

- 1) Cross -Border Road Transport Freight Permits that have expired or are expiring during the lockdown period are deemed to be valid until the end of the lockdown.
- 2) Freight operators will then have 30 days after the end of the lockdown to renew their freight permits.

Operators must carry this notice with the expired/expiring permit during the duration of the journey.

Date: 03 April 2020

Chairperson of the Regulatory Committee Cross-Border Road Transport Agency

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