Companies and Intellectual Property Commission

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COMPANIES AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY COMMISSION (CIPC)

Notice is hereby given in terms of and for purposes of the Acts mentioned in the Schedule below, that CIPC will be closed to the public from **10h00 on Friday 23 December 2016 to Monday 2 January 2017**.

The CIPC Offices at –

- the Department of Trade and Industry Campus (77 Meintjies Street, Block F – Entfutfukweni) in Sunnyside, Pretoria;
- Shop Number 10, Picbel Parkade Mall, 58 Strand Street, Cape Town;
- Shop Number L3-09, Level 3, Sunnypark Shopping Centre, Cnr. Steve Biko & Robert Sobukwe Streets, Sunnyside, Pretoria;
- Shop Number L5-03, Level 5, Sunnypark Shopping Centre, Cnr. Steve Biko & Robert Sobukwe Streets, Sunnyside, Pretoria ; and
- Shop Number 205, Level 200, Carlton Centre, 150 Commissioner Street, Johannesburg,

will re-open at 08h00 on Tuesday 3 January 2017.

The lodgment of documents and services of legal documents will be accepted on Thursday 22 December 2016 until 15h30.

The days from Friday 23 December 2016 to Monday 2 January 2017 will be regarded as *dies non* for purposes of the stated Acts.

CIPC has introduced alternative filing methods in respect of e-mailing scanned documents to dedicated CIPC e-mail addresses. Customers are, however, reminded that the lodgment / filing date of such documents will be Tuesday 3 January 2017 and that production activities will only be resumed after that date.

Please also take note that with regard to name reservations, all reserved names which would have lapsed between Friday 23 December 2016 to Monday 2 January 2017, will now have their reservation dates moved forward to Tuesday 3 January 2017 and will, therefore, only elapse on that date.

SCHEDULE

Trade Marks Act, 1993
Patents Act, 1978
Design Act, 1993
Copyright Act, 1978
Companies Act, 2008
Close Corporations Act, 1984
Co-operatives Act, 2005
Registration of Copyright in Cinematograph Film Act, 1977

Kind regards.

Rory Voller
Acting Commissioner: CIPC

Date: 22/5 **2016**