Dear Members

COJ Meeting – EFT rates system

JAA members can expect an invitation link to attend training on Tuesday 21 November 2023 at 11:00 am for the updated EFT system. Participants should be the person/s within the firm that deal with Electronic Rates Applications. The JAA will distribute the link when we receive it.

JAA-9 Nov 23 JHB MC liaison meeting feedback

Kindly find below the feedback from Magistrates Court liaison meeting held on the 9th of November 2023.

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Judicial Service Commission Vacancies

Please find attached a list of vacant Judicial positions, as released by the Judicial Service Commission (JSC). Nominations must reach the Secretariat of the JSC by no later than 30 November 2023. Interviews will take place from 8 to 12 April 2024 in Gauteng.

Enquiries should be addressed to the Secretariat of the Judicial Service Commission: MMondlane@judiciary.org.za; TPhaahlamohlaka@judiciary.org.za and CC JSC@judiciary.org.za.

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LSSA Call for Comment – Divorce Amendment Bill (B22-23)

The Select Committee on Security and Justice invites you to submit written submissions on the Divorce Amendment Bill [B 22-2023] – see attached. The Divorce Amendment Bill [B 22-2023] seeks to;

- amend the Divorce Act, 1979, so as to insert a definition for a Muslim marriage;
- provide for the protection and to safeguard the interests of dependent and minor children of a Muslim marriage;
- provide for the redistribution of assets on the dissolution of a Muslim marriage;
- provide for the forfeiture of patrimonial benefits of a Muslim marriage;
- and to provide for matters connected therewith.

Please provide the LSSA with your comments by 1 December 2023.

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Call for comment – Housing Consumer Protection Bill (B10B-2021)

The Select Committee on Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs (Water, Sanitation & Human Settlements) invites written comments on the Housing Consumer Protection Bill [B10B - 2021] - see attached. The purpose of the Bill is to:

- provide for the protection of housing consumers
- provide for the continuance of the National Home Builders Registration Council as the National Home Building Regulatory Council.
- provide for the registration of homebuilders.
- provide for the enrolment of homes to be covered by the home warranty fund;
- provide for the regulation of the conduct of homebuilders;
- provide for the continuance of the home warranty fund;
- provide for claims against the fund.
- provide for the funds of the Council and for the management of those funds.
- provide for procurement and contractual matters in relation to the building of a home;
- provide for the enforcement of this Act.
- repeal the Housing Consumers Protection Measures Act, 1998; and to provide for matters connected therewith.

Comments must be submitted to our offices by no later than 23 November 2023.

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