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GOVERNMENT NOTICE

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING

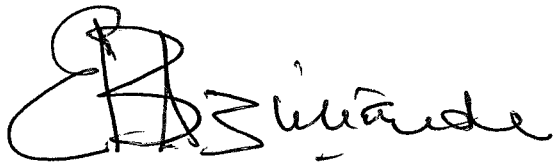
No. 1110 **23 November 2010**

NATIONAL EDUCATION POLICY ACT, 1996 (ACT NO. 27 OF 1996), THE FURTHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING COLLEGES ACT, 2006 (ACT NO. 16 OF 2006) AND NATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS FRAMEWORK ACT, 2008 (ACT 67 OF 2008)

AMENDMENT NOTICE

AMENDMENTS TO SCHEDULE 1 OF GOVERNMENT GAZETTE NO 33200, VOL 539, DATED 17 MAY 2010, AMENDMENT TO GOVERNMENT NOTICE 302 IN GOVERNMENT GAZETTE NO 28677, DATED 29 MARCH 2006, FOR THE EXTENSION OF PHASING OUT OF THE NATIONAL N CERTIFICATES: N1-N3 (ENGINEERING STUDIES):

I, Bonginkosi Emmanuel Nzimande, Minister of Higher Education and Training, hereby, in terms of *Sections 3(4)(l) and 7* of the *National Education Policy Act, 1996 (Act No. 27 of 1996),* read with section *43(1) of the Further Education and Training Colleges Act, 2006 (Act No 16 of 2006)* approve an amendment of *Paragraph "b"* of *Schedule 1* and the repeal of paragraph "c" of *Schedule 1* in Government Gazette No 33200, Vol 539, dated 17 May 2010: *Amendment to Government Notice 302 in Government Gazette No 28677, dated 29 March 2006, for the extension of phasing out of the National N Certificates: N1-N3 (Engineering Studies),* as set out in the **Schedule.**



BE NZIMANDE, MP
MINISTER OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING
DATE: 01/11/10

SCHEDULE

Amendment to the provisions governing the extension of offering of the National N Certificates: N1-N3 (Engineering Studies)

a) Paragraph (b) of Schedule 1 published in Government Gazette No. 33200 is hereby amended to read as follows:

The extension period shall end after the Minister has, after consultation with the Quality Council for Trades and Occupations (QCTO), determined policy in a published Gazette on:

i) an occupational qualifications sub-framework as an integral part of the National Qualifications Framework;

ii) the sub-framework for quality assurance for occupational qualifications; and

iii) any other matter concerning occupational standards or occupational qualifications.

b) Paragraph (c) of the Schedule referred to in (a) above is hereby repealed.

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