LTSM NOTICE FOR PUBLISHERS

Grade 10

The screening of Grade 10 materials has been completed. Publishers could expect **reports** from the **11 July 2011**.

Materials that are conditionally approved must be submitted to MetroFile for re-screening on or before **27 July. The cut-off time is 16:00.**

The appeals process will be open between **11-22 July 2011**. Kindly send appeals to the email address: grade12310 LTSM@dbe.gov.za. Appeals will close at **16:00 on 22 July 2011**.

As per the invitation please note that "*Appeals will be limited to instances where an error has occurred in the review process. For example, a topic is mistakenly claimed to be omitted from a text or a factual error is reported when there is current scientific evidence to support it.*"

REPORTING

As per the invitation to publishers to submit Learner and Teacher Support Material for evaluation, please note the following:

The screening took place in two phases:
Phase one comprised a filtering process to determine the shortlist of titles. In essence this amounted to checking if the material is aligned to the curriculum.
Submissions that were accepted at this phase went on to be screened in phase two.

Phase two comprised a rating exercise, to evaluate the usability of material in different contexts; the accuracy and currency of the content; and language.

In terms of reporting, submissions that pass onto phase two will have two reports i.e. phase one and phase two reports. Submissions that are not accepted at phase one will have only one report i.e. the phase one report.

Grades 1-3

Information on the Foundation Phase reports will follow shortly.