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AUDIT ON COMPLIANCE TO MHSA CHAPTER 8 REGULATIONS

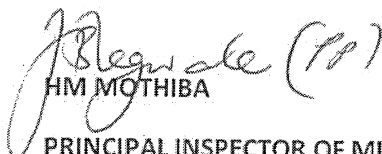
The MHSA Chapter 8 regulations were promulgated on the 27 February 2015. In order to facilitate the smooth implementation of these regulations the regional office together with the NW Rustenburg Tripartite initiated a forum to address challenges regarding compliance. The office of the Principal Inspector of Mines set a date of the 29 February 2016 as a deadline for compliance.

As a way forward, all employers are instructed to audit all TMM's, both underground and on surface with regard to compliance to Chapter 8 regulations. Upon completion of the audit, usage of all TMM's which are not complying must be discontinued until the employer has engaged with the Office of the Principal Inspector on an individual basis.

Please note that the regional office will be enforcing all regulations in Chapter 8 with exception of Sub-regulation 8.10.1.2(b) and 8.10.2.1(b).

Assuring you of our best intentions at all times.

Yours Sincerely


HM MOTHIBA

PRINCIPAL INSPECTOR OF MINES

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