

FOSCHINI GROUP

BROAD-BASED BLACK ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT

ACCREDITED VERIFICATION AGENCIES

The DTI and the South African National Accreditation System (SANAS) has, in the interest of harmonising accreditation and verification practices, put in place a process of phasing out certificates issued by non-accredited Verification Agencies.

As a result of the above, as from 1st February 2010 certificates issued by Verification Agencies that are accredited and those that are not yet accredited but have received a valid pre-assessment letter from SANAS will be acceptable in the market. These certificates will be valid for a period of twelve months.

The Minister of Trade and Industry has issued Government Gazette Notice 810 of 2009 to this effect.

Detailed below please find the following documents for your reference and consideration:

- Government Gazette Notice 32467 / 810 of 2009 – 31st July 2009
- List of accredited verification agencies as at 1st September 2010

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GOVERNMENT NOTICE**DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY**

No. 810

31 July 2009

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By virtue of the powers vested in me in terms of section 14 of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act, 2003 (Act No. 53 of 2003) I, Rob Davies, Minister of Trade and Industry, hereby determine that-

- a) from 1 February 2010, only BEE verification certificates issued by Accredited Verification Agencies or Verification Agencies that are in possession of a valid pre-assessment letter from South African National Accreditation System will be valid;
- b) despite the provision in paragraph (a) above, all verification certificates issued by non-accredited verification agencies before 1 February 2010, will remain valid for 12 months from the date of issue;
- c) the period of validity of the certificates contemplated in paragraph (a) above, will be 12 months from the date of issue;
- d) Notice 354 of 2009 issued on 9 April 2009 and Notice 677 of 2009 issued on 5 June 2009 are deemed to be repealed with effect from 1 August 2009; and
- e) this notice will be deemed to be effective from 1 August 2009.


 Rob Davies
 MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY
 DATE: 28/7/09

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AS AT 1st SEPTEMBER 2010

All accredited verification agencies are authorized to issue valid BBEE certificates

SANAS BODY NO: BVA	BBBEE VERIFICATION AGENCIES
086	Abacus Verification (Pty) Ltd
073	ABC for BEE (Pty) Ltd
068	Apala VZR Verification Agency
021	Aqrate (Pty) Ltd
102	Aqrate Gauteng
019	Aqrate KZN (Pty) Ltd
092	Ardent Business Partners (Pty) Ltd
110	Aspigon 91 t/a HR Planning Inc
053	B9 Control Solutions CC
050	BEE – Matrix CC
040	BEE BIZ Compliance (Pty) Ltd
057	BEE Empowered & Labour Consultancy CC
038	BEE Online (Pty) Ltd
049	BEE Rating Solutions (Pty) Ltd
014	BEE Verification Agency CC
031	BEESCORE (Pty) Ltd - Dbn
115	BEESCORE (Pty) Ltd - Jhb
026	Black Economic Empowerment VA t/a Beaver Agency
071	Brentwood Kolisa (Pty) Ltd
023	Client King CC
065	Codex Ratings (Pty) Ltd
056	DRGSiyaya (Pty) Ltd
037	Emex Trust
030	Empowerdex (Pty) Ltd
018	EmpowerLogic (Pty) Ltd
064	Empoweryst CC
041	Grant Thornton
066	Harvard Empowerment Solutions (Pty) Ltd
046	Honeycomb BEE Ratings (Pty) Ltd
052	Integra Scores (Pty) Ltd
059	Izikhulu Consulting t/a Izikhulu BEE Ratings
017	Iquad Verification Services (Pty) Ltd
080	Mosela Rating Agency (Pty) Ltd
020	National Empowerment Rating Agency (Pty) Ltd
081	Phadiso (BEE) Verification (Pty) Ltd
047	PKF BEE Solutions
100	Premier Verification (Pty) Ltd (The Accreditation Agency)
013	Prostart Traders 24 (Pty) Ltd t/a CENFED BEE Verification Agency
069	Provincial Verification Agency CC t/a BLogic Verification Agency
094	Simunye Resources CC
099	SizweNtsaluba VSP Services
032	Small Enterprises Rating Agency (Pty) Ltd
027	SME Verification CC
078	Vericom (Pty) Ltd

Note

We would also refer you to the following websites for further information about BBBEE verification agencies:

Association of BEE verification agencies: www.abva.co.za

Department of Trade & Industry: www.dti.gov.za

South African National Accreditation System (SANAS): www.sanas.co.za