



KWAZULU-NATAL PROVINCE

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, TOURISM
AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS

REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

ERRATUM

INVITATION FOR NOMINATIONS TO FILL VACANCIES ON THE KWAZULU-NATAL NATURE CONSERVATION BOARD (EZEMVELO KZN WILDLIFE)

By the virtue of the powers vested in me as the Member of the KwaZulu-Natal Provincial Executive Council responsible for Environmental Affairs and in terms of section 4(4) of the KwaZulu-Natal Nature Conservation Management Act 1997 (Act No. 9 of 1997), I hereby invite interested parties within the Province to nominate candidates for appointment to the KwaZulu-Natal Nature Conservation Board.

To qualify for nomination, the candidate must not be disqualified from being a director of a company, must meet the requirements for appointment as contemplated in section 94 of the Companies Act, 2008 (Act No. 71 of 2008) and must meet the requirements for independence contemplated in the King V Report on Corporate Governance.

The members of the Board must have an interest in nature conservation and must be drawn from the following categories to achieve, as far as is practical, a balance of interests and expertise within the Board and in terms of section 4(8) of the Act namely:

Section 4(8)(a):

- (i) nominated by the House of Traditional Leaders; and
- (ii) from non-governmental organisations, institutions or groups established for the advancement of nature conservation or environmental protection within the province;

Section 4 (8)(b): One person from:

- (iii) from community-based organisations in rural areas in the province;
- (iv) with extensive knowledge of the business sector;
- (v) with knowledge and experience of environmental law;
- (vi) nominated by the Provincial Tourism Authority;
- (vii) with extensive knowledge and experience of labour matters;
- (viii) from organised agriculture; and
- (ix) with extensive knowledge of the protection and management of heritage resources; and

Section 4(8)(c): not more than 3 other persons, selected by the Minister, to enhance the competence of the Board.

A nominator, providing substantive motivation, must nominate the proposed candidate in writing, and the proposed candidate must accept such nomination in writing, in addition to which the nominee must submit:

- (a) A detailed Curriculum Vitae (CV);
- (b) Certified copies of qualifications;
- (c) Certified identity document;
- (d) An affidavit that she or he is not disqualified from being a director; and
- (e) Supporting information and contact details of at least two (2) references, failing which the nominee will be disqualified and will not be considered for appointment.

Note that Nominees **cannot** be appointed as, or remain, a member of the Board if such person in terms of section 9 (a) are -

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- (i) is or becomes a member of the national or provincial Parliaments, or an official or employee contemplated in the Public Service Act, or, save for the Chief Executive Officer contemplated in terms of subsection (10), a member of the Conservation Service;
- (ii) is an unrehabilitated insolvent, or becomes insolvent and the insolvency results in the sequestration of his or her estate;
- (iii) is declared to be of unsound mind by a court of the Republic; or
- (iv) since the date on which the Constitution came into effect, has been or is convicted of an offense and sentenced to more than 12 months' imprisonment without the option of a fine, either in the Republic, or outside the Republic if the conduct constituting the offense would have been an offense in the Republic, but no one may be regarded as, having been sentenced until an appeal against the conviction or sentence has been determined, or until the time for an appeal has expired. A disqualification under this paragraph ends five years after the sentence has been completed.

Section 9(b): A person must, prior to appointment as a member of the Board, submit to the Minister a written statement declaring whether or not he or she is disqualified in terms of paragraph (a) above.

All nominations must be marked "**Nomination to the Ezemvelo Board**" and be addressed in writing to the Head of Department, 270 Jabu Ndlovu Street, Pietermaritzburg, 3201 or to Private Bag X9152, Pietermaritzburg, 3200, alternatively sent via email to Board.Applications2@kznedtea.gov.za under the same heading. Successful candidates will be subjected to vetting processes.

The closing date for nominations is the **11 March 2026 at 16h30**.