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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH DEPARTEMENT VAN GESONDHEID

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HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES ACT, 1973 (ACT 45 OF 1973)

DECLARATION OF LEADED PAINT AS GROUP 1 HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE

The Acting Minister of Health intends, in terms of section 2(1) of the Hazardous Substances Act, 1973 (Act No. 15 of 1973), to declare the substances mentioned in the Schedule hereto to be Group 1 hazardous substances.

Interested persons are invited to submit written comments or representations on **the** proposed declaration to the Director-General: Health (for the attention of the Cluster Manager: Non-Communicable Diseases). Department of Health, Private Bag **X828**, PRETORIA 0001), within three months of publication of this Notice.

SCHEDULE

Definitions

For **the** purposes of this Notice "the Act" means the Hazardous Substances Act, **1973** (Act No. **15** of 1973) and any word or expression to which a meaning **has** been assigned in that Act, shall have that meaning and, unless the context indicates otherwise:

"leaded paint" **means** paint used for decorating with a soluble lead content of 90mg per kg and above.