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(ACT No 27 OF 1956)

DECLARATION OF WORK IN THE NATIONAL INTEREST

Under Section 9(1) (9 of the Mines and Works Act, 1956 (Act No 27 \pm 1956), I Lindiwe Hendricks, Minister of Minerals and Energy, hereby declare that in my opinion the performance \pm all work necessary and incidental to the normal production \pm diamonds and development of the Advanced Undercut Capital Project on Sundays, at the mine known as Cullinan Diamond Mine in the District of Cullinan, Province of Gauteng, is necessary in the national interest for a period of one year from 04 December 2005.

LINDIWE HENDRICKS MINISTER OF MINERALS AND ENERGY