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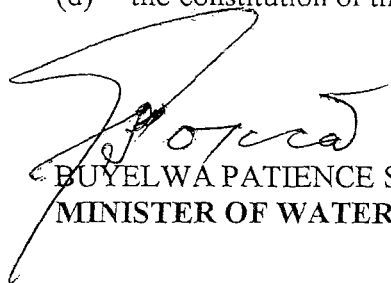
**ESTABLISHMENT OF THE VANRHYNSDORP WATER USER ASSOCIATION,
DIVISION OF VANRHYNSDORP, PROVINCE OF THE WESTERN CAPE, WATER
MANAGEMENT AREA NUMBER 17**

I, Buyelwa Patience Sonjica, Minister of Water Affairs and Forestry, hereby in terms of section 92(1) of the National Water Act, 1998 (Act No 36 of 1998), declare that-

- (a) the Vanrhynsdorp Water User Association is established;
- (b) the Association's name is the Vanrhynsdorp Water User Association;
- (c) the area of operation of the Vanrhynsdorp Water User Association includes all properties in respect of which any person is entitled to use water (surface and underground water) by virtue of entitlements in terms of section 22(1) of the Act from –
 - (i) the water resource under control of the Association, which water resource commences where the Troe-Troe River, Langkloof River and Droë River have their origin in the Matsikamma-, Koebee-, Tier and Vuurberg Mountains up to the confluence with the Troe-Troe and Droë Rivers; and
 - (ii) any other water resource(s) and/or waterwork(s) situated outside the area described in paragraph (c)(i) above, which water resource(s), waterwork(s) and accompanying area the Department of Water Affairs and Forestry or the responsible authority may require the Association to control,

which is situated in Water Management Area number 17 in the Province of the Western Cape;
and

- (d) the constitution of the Vanrhynsdorp Water User Association has been approved.



BUYELWA PATIENCE SONJICA
MINISTER OF WATER AFFAIRS AND FORESTRY