

NOTICE 1349 OF 2003

COMPETITION TRIBUNAL

NOTIFICATION OF DECISION TO APPROVE MERGER

The Competition Tribunal gives notice in terms of rule 35 (5) (b) (ii) of the "Rules for the conduct of proceedings in the Competition Tribunal" as published in Government Gazette No. 22025 of 01 February 2001, that on 09 April 2003 it approved without conditions the merger between ABSA Group Limited and MEEG Bank Limited.

(Case No. 14/LM/Mar03)

**The Chairperson
Competition Tribunal**