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## DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS

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NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT: BIODIVERSITY ACT, 2004  
(ACT NO. 10 OF 2004)CONSULTATION ON AN INTEGRATED BIOTRADE AND BIOPROSPECTING PERMIT  
APPLICATION ON TRADITIONAL KNOWLEDGE ASSOCIATED WITH THE USE OF  
*SCLEROCARYA BIRREA* (MARULA, MUFULA, MORULA, UKANYI)

I, Bomo Edith Edna Molewa, Minister of Environmental Affairs, hereby give notice of an integrated biotrade and bioprospecting permit application on traditional knowledge associated with *Sclerocarya birrea* (Marula, Mufula, Morula, Ukanyi), under section 82 of the National Environmental Management: Biodiversity Act, 2004 (Act No. 10 of 2004) read with regulations 31(2), and 39(2) of the Bioprospecting, Access and Benefit Sharing Amendment Regulations, 2015.

Members of the public (individual or communities) holding traditional knowledge associated with the use of *Sclerocarya birrea* (Marula, Mufula, Morula, Ukanyi) are invited to submit to the Minister, within 30 days after the publication of the notice in the *Gazette*, written names and evidence to the following addresses:

By post to: The Director General: Department of Environmental Affairs  
Attention: Director: Bioprospecting and Biodiversity Economy  
Private Bag X 447  
Pretoria  
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By hand at: Environment House, 473 Steve Biko Street, Arcadia, 0083  
By e-mail: [BABS@environmemnt.gov.za](mailto:BABS@environmemnt.gov.za)

Any enquiries in connection with the Government Notice can be directed to Mrs Lactitia Tshitwamulomoni on 012 399 9611 or email: [lmabadahane@environment.gov.za](mailto:lmabadahane@environment.gov.za).

Any submission received after the closing date may not be considered.



**BOMO EDITH EDNA MOLEWA**  
MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS