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Department:
Tourism
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

DRAFT RESOLUTIONS / ACTION LIST

FACILITATING EASE OF ACCESS WORK STREAM MEETING

DATE: 26 JULY 2021

PLATFORM: ZOOM

ACTION	RESPONSIBILITY	TIME FRAME	PROGRESS
1. Develop guidelines for small businesses outlining what is applicable to them and how they can contribute to transformation in the tourism sector.	Department of Tourism Directorate: Sector Transformation	Immediately.	<p>Directorate: Sector Transformation shared 3 documents with Secretariat in response to the action, namely:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The Enterprise Development Framework which is developed by the ED Directorate, managed by Mr Soza Simango;2. The Easy Guide for the Amended Tourism B-BBEE Sector Code which is developed and managed by Mr Mathibela Mankge, and;3. The Tourism Transformation Council Plan of Action, particularly priority 5, which serves to respond to the action. <p>The above-mentioned documents were shared with members of the Work Streams.</p> <p>The Director: Sector Transformation highlighted that the Supply Chain Management (SCM) Division of the</p>

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			<p>Department of Tourism is currently developing a procurement framework for SMMEs.</p> <p>Additionally, he stated that Transformation cuts across many divisions and each division is required to embody/embrace the transformation Codes gazetted and factor the prescribed elements/targets in their tools/guidelines to make economic inclusivity a reality.</p>
<p>2. Invite lead Departments to present progress on the following:</p> <p>2.1. Issuance of tour operating licenses and developments on issues related to airlift capacity: Department of Transport (DoT);</p> <p>2.2. Roll out of the e-visas system and remote working visa: Department of Home Affairs (DHA);</p> <p>2.3. Health / Travel Passport (COVID-19 safe travel passport): Department of Health (DoH).</p>	<p>Department of Tourism Secretariat</p>	<p>Next Work Stream meeting.</p>	<p>The respective Departments were invited to share presentations at the NTSF meeting held on 08 September 2021. DHA provided an update on the e-visa system and DoH shared information on the COVID-19 Vaccination Strategy.</p> <p>The DoT was not available to provide an update on tour operating licenses and further attempts will be made to invite them in future meetings.</p>
<p>3. Deliver a presentation on the Single African Air Transport Market (SAATM), International Air Transport Association (IATA) Travel Pass Initiative and other related policies/programmes.</p>	<p>IATA</p>	<p>Next Work Stream meeting.</p>	<p>IATA invited and a presentation to be delivered on 24 November 2021.</p>

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4. Include timelines for reporting in the circulation of documents (Framework for Quarterly Tourism Sector Recovery Plan Implementation Reports) for the foreseeable future. This will assist stakeholders in gathering the required information timeously.	Department of Tourism Directorate: Strategy Development	Next Work Stream meeting.	The presentation was updated and timelines included when the document was circulated to members on 15 August 2021.
5. Circulate presentation on the Framework for Quarterly Tourism Sector Recovery Plan (TSRP) Implementation Reporting to Work Stream members for additional inputs to assist with comprehensive reporting on all initiatives across the sector.	Department of Tourism Secretariat	As soon as possible.	Presentation circulated to members on 15 August 2021 and no further inputs were received.