

DEPARTMENT OF MINERALS AND ENERGY**No. 1303****5 December 2008****MINES AND WORKS ACT, 1956 (ACT No. 27 OF 1956)****DECLARATION OF WORK IN NATIONAL INTEREST**

Under Section 9(1)(f) of the Mines and Works Act, 1956 (Act No. 27 of 1956), I Buyelwa Patience Sonjica, Minister of Minerals and Energy, hereby declare that in my opinion the performance of mining operations on Sundays at the mine known as Goedgevonden Colliery in the district of Witbank, Province of Mpumalanga, is necessary in the national interest for a period of 3 years from 01 September 2008.

**MS/BP SONJICA****MINISTER OF MINERALS AND ENERGY**

DATE: 2008-11-05