DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

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CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR SUITABLE CANDIDATES TO SERVE AS MEMBERS ON THE BOARD OF THE NATIONAL HEALTH LABORATORY SERVICE IN TERMS OF THE NATIONAL HEALTH LABORATORY SERVICE ACT, 2000 (ACT NO. 37 OF 2000)

The National Health Laboratory Service (NHLS) is established in terms of the National Health Laboratory Service Act, 2000 (Act No. 37 of 2000) (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") to provide quality, affordable and sustainable health laboratory and public health service.

The Honourable Minister of Health, Dr ZL Mkhize, hereby invites all interested persons to submit nominations of suitable candidates to be considered for appointment to serve as Board members of the NHLS in the categories listed below in terms of the Act, for a three (3) year term of office:

- One nominee to be appointed on account of his/her knowledge and experience in public health as Vice-Chairperson of the Board:
- One nominee to be appointed on account of his/her knowledge and experience in economics, financial matters or accounting;
- One nominee to be appointed on account of his/her knowledge and experience in legal matters; and
- One nominee to be appointed on account of his/her knowledge and experience in health research or epidemiology.

Requirements of a valid nomination: Written nominations must contain the full name and address of the individual making the nomination, the nominee's signed acceptance of the nomination and his/her detailed Curriculum Vitae, providing at least the following information: • Full name, ID number and gender • Contact address and telephone/mobile number, e-mail address • Qualifications and Experience • Certified copies of academic qualifications and identity document must be attached • a motivation letter stating the reasons for nomination.

Disqualification: A person may not be appointed as a member of the Board if that person – (a) is not a South African citizen and ordinarily resident in the Republic; (b) is an unrehabilitated insolvent; (c) has at any time been convicted of an offence involving dishonesty, whether in the Republic or elsewhere, and sentenced to imprisonment without the option of a fine; or (d) has been removed from an office of trust.

Closing date for nominations: Nominations must be addressed and submitted to the Director-General, Department of Health, Private Bag X828, Pretoria, 0001 or Cnr Thabo Sehume and Struben, Pretoria and marked for the attention of the Director: Public Entities Governance, no later than 16h00 on 13 December 2019. Nominations may also be submitted via email at Godfrey.Tsebe@health.gov.za Enquiries may be directed to: Ms M. Mushwana at 012 395 8753/8361 or Mr. G Tsebe at 012 395 9753.

Every nomination in respect of which any of the requirements as stipulated above has not been complied with, or which is not received by the aforesaid date and time at the address or e-mail given, will be invalid.