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To: Participants

**AMENDMENT 12**

**MOBILE DEVICE SHORTAGES**

**TRANVERSAL CONTRACT RT15-2021 FOR THE SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF  
MOBILE COMMUNICATION SERVICES TO THE STATE FOR THE PERIOD 01 APRIL  
2021 TO 31 MARCH 2026**

Participants are notified of the global supply constraints and shortages on various electronic components and goods including mobile phones and notebooks. This is a worldwide shortage of certain components including intensified demand for chipsets. This has affected and still affecting some of the world's largest electronic manufacturers and is expected to continue even this year in 2022.

All main brands are impacted including select products on Samsung, Huawei, and Apple.

Service Providers will continue to attempt to fulfil all the back orders and waiting lists as they are committed to serve Participants with the limited weekly arrivals of goods into South Africa as and when they become available.

Alternative brands that are available in stock may be obtained from Account Managers of the Service Providers.

Kind Regards,

**KWANELE MTEMBU**

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