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INSTITUTIONS / SCHEDULE 3A AND 3C PUBLIC ENTITIES

Supply Chain Management Office

NATIONAL TREASURY DATABASE: LIST OF RESTRICTED SUPPLIERS

This circular is applicable to all national and provincial departments, constitutional institutions and public entities as defined in schedule 3A and 3C of the Public Finance Management Act (PFMA). All accounting officers of national departments and heads of provincial treasuries are required to disseminate the contents of this circular to all chief financial officers of departments and public entities that fall under their jurisdiction.

- 1. Treasury Regulation 16A9.1(c) requires accounting officers/ authorities to:
 - "check the National Treasury's database prior to awarding any contract to ensure that no recommended bidder, nor any of its directors, are listed as companies or persons prohibited from doing business with the public sector."
- The National Treasury is currently managing a database known as the "List of Restricted Suppliers".
- In order to ensure that the checking of the List of Restricted Suppliers are dealt with efficiently, the National Treasury has established a dedicated email address to receive such requests. Accounting Officers/ authorities may forward their request to: restrictions@treasury.gov.za
- Accounting officers/ authorities are encouraged to use the dedicated email address for this purpose. Should it not be possible to use this method of

communication, accounting officers/authorities may request the required information per facsimile at: (012) 326 5445.

5. Your cooperation in this regard will be appreciated.

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CHIEF DIRECTOR: NORMS & STANDARDS

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