## DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR

## NOTICE 507 OF 2017

## NOTICE IN TERMS OF SECTION 62 (7) OF THE LABOUR RELATIONS ACT 66 OF 1995 AS AMENDED (THE LRA)

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT:-

- Sign and Seal Trading 154 (Pty) Limited t/a Davidsons Discount Boards (the applicant) has applied to the CCMA in terms of section 62(1) of the Labour Relations Act 66 of 1995 as amended (the LRA) for a demarcation order to the effect that its activities and scope do not fall within the registered scope of the Bargaining Council for the Furniture Manufacturing Industry for the Western Cape.
- 2. The applicant's business is involved in the procurement, consolidation and distribution of engineered board panels. The applicant's business also provides a cutting and edging service for customers.
- 3. The respondent, the Bargaining Council for the Furniture Manufacturing Industry for the Western Cape, is opposing the demarcation application on the basis that it will argue that all of the activities of the applicant fall under its scope and registration within the Western Cape. It will request a demarcation order that all parts of the applicant's business should be subject to its certificate of registration and collective agreements.
- 2. The CCMA believes that the question raised by this demarcation application is potentially of substantial importance. Of relevance is the fact that the respondent's scope and jurisdiction has been amended which may serve to affect a number of other business entities which are not currently registered under the respondent's scope. The amendment of the respondent's scope may have broader implications for the industry as a whole and a number of other parties may wish to make representations in this respect. It is therefore apparent that there may be other businesses or entities that could potentially be affected by the outcome of this application. Such entities should have the right to make representations to the CCMA.
- 3. Written representations may be made within 21 calendar days of the date of publication of this notice, and should be clearly marked with reference number **WECT6354-17** and directed to:-

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