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**To: All accredited Trade Test Centres
All accredited Skills Development Providers
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Prospective Trade Test Centres
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RE: National Artisan Moderation Body – Arrangements related to COVID-19 declared as a National Disaster

President Ramaphosa has declared South Africa a national state of disaster to contain the coronavirus disease (COVID 19) by announcing a raft of measures aimed at containing the outbreak. The National Artisan Moderation Body (NAMB) herewith follows the guidelines from the President. To minimise the spread of the disease National Government has strongly discouraged travelling, any unnecessary interpersonal contact exposure by means of meetings or otherwise that are not urgent.

The following arrangements will be in place until National Government advises otherwise:

1. Customer Service: Kindly refrain from visiting the NAMB offices, for health and safety reasons. Please email or phone NAMB with any enquiries.
2. Meetings: No scheduled meetings will take place, i.e. NADQAC, NADWACC, and NAMF
3. Accreditation audits: Current scheduled audits will be postponed and no new audits will be scheduled.
4. Application of Certification by SETAs: The *status quo* prevails. NAMB will be in contact with individual Seta's if needed.

Your cooperation is appreciated

Kind Regards

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NAMB

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Date