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IN THE HIGH COURT OF SOUTH AFRICA Gauteng Division, Pretoria

CASE NO: 2024-037092

In the matter between:

MEDIA MONITORING AFRICA TRUST, SOUTH AFRICA NATIONAL EDITORS' FORUM, CAMPAIGN FOR FREE EXPRESSION, SOS SUPPORT PUBLIC BROADCASTING COALITION, PRESS COUNCIL OF SOUTH AFRICA Plaintiff / Applicant / Appellant

and

FILM AND PUBLICATION
BOARD, MINISTER OF
COMMUNICATIONS AND DIGITAL
TECHNOLOGIES, ELECTORAL
COMMISSION OF SOUTH AFRICA

Defendant / Respondent

#### **Notice to Withdraw**

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MEDIA MONITORING AFRICA TRUST First Applicant

SOUTH AFRICA NATIONAL EDITORS' FORUM Second Applicant

CAMPAIGN FOR FREE EXPRESSION Third Applicant

SOS SUPPORT PUBLIC BROADCASTING COALITION

PRESS COUNCIL OF SOUTH AFRICA

Fifth Applicant

Fifth Applicant

Applicant

Fifth Applic

and

FILM AND PUBLICATION BOARD First Respondent

MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS Second Respondent

AND DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES

ELECTORAL COMMISSION OF SOUTH AFRICA Third Respondent

### NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL

**KINDLY TAKE NOTICE** that the applicants hereby withdraw this urgent application under case number 2024-037092.

**KINDLY TAKE NOTICE FURTHER** that the first respondent shall contribute 50% of the taxed bill of costs, excluding the costs of two counsel.

SIGNED at Rosebank on this the 12th day of April 2024.

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