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It is hereby notified that the Premier has assented to the following Act which is hereby published for general information:-

No. 5 of 2011 : Free State Development Corporation Amendment Act, 2011

KANTOOR VAN DIE PREMIER

No. 5

14 April 2011

Hierby word bekend gemaak dat die Premier die onderstaande Wet bekratig het, wat hierby ter algemene inligting gepubliseer word:-

No. 5 van 2011 : Wysigingswet op die Vrystaatse Ontwikkelingskorporasie, 2011

GENERAL EXPLANATORY NOTE:

[] Words in bold type in square brackets indicate omissions from existing enactments.

— Words underlined with a solid line indicate insertions in existing enactments.

ACT

To amend the Free State Development Corporation Act, 1995, to make provision for a limited number of board meetings; to further regulate the payment of remuneration to board members; to provide for limitation of liability; and to provide for matters connected therewith.

BE IT ENACTED by the Provincial Legislature of the Free State Province as follows:-

(Afrikaans text assented to and signed by the Premier.)

Amendment of section 5 of Act No. 6 of 1995 as amended by Act No. 9 of 1999 and Act No. 4 of 2006

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1. Section 5 of the Free State Development Corporation Act, 1995 (Act No. 6 of 1995) (hereinafter referred to as the “Principal Act”) is amended by the substitution of subsection (2) of the following subsection:

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“(2) The board of directors shall consist of not more than [12] 7 persons appointed by the responsible Member.”.

Amendment of section 6 of Act No. 6 of 1995 as amended by Act No. 9 of 1999, Act No. 4 of 2006 and Act No. 5 of 2010

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2. Section 6 of the Principal Act is amended by the substitution of subsection (3) of the following subsection:

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“(3) A director shall hold office upon such conditions (including the payment of remuneration and allowances) as the responsible Member may determine, [after] in consultation with the [Member of the] Executive Council [responsible for Finance] and in line with the National Treasury Guidelines.”.

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ALGEMENE VERDUIDELIKENDE NOTA:

- [] Woorde in vetdruk tussen vierkantige hake dui skrappings uit bestaande verordenings aan.
- Woorde met 'n volstreep daaronder, dui invoegings in bestaande verordenings aan.
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WET

Om die Wet op die Vrystaatse Ontwikkelingskorporasie, 1995, te wysig om voorsiening te maak vir 'n beperking op die hoeveelheid raadsvergaderings; om die betaling van vergoeding aan raadslede verder te reguleer; om voorsiening te maak vir beperking van aanspreeklikheid; en om voorsiening te maak vir aangeleenthede wat daarmee gepaard gaan.

DAAR WORD BEPAAL deur die Provinciale Wetgewer van die Provincie Vrystaat, soos volg:-

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(Afrikaanse teks deur die Premier bekragtig en geteken.)

Wysiging van artikel 5 van Wet No. 6 van 1995 soos gewysig deur Wet No. 9 van 1999 en Wet No. 4 van 2006

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1. Artikel 5 van die Wet op die Vrystaatse Ontwikkelingskorporasie, 1995 (Wet No. 6 van 1995) (hierna verwys as die "Hoofwet") word gewysig deur subartikel (2) met die volgende subartikel te vervang:

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"(2) Die raad van direkteure bestaan uit hoogstens [12] 7 persone wat deur die verantwoordelike Lid aangestel word."

Wysiging van artikel 6 van Wet No. 6 van 1995 soos gewysig deur Wet No. 9 van 1999, Wet No. 4 van 2006 en Wet No. 5 van 2010

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2. Artikel 6 van die Hoofwet word gewysig deur subartikel (3) met die volgende subartikel te vervang:

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"(3) 'n Direkteur beklee sy of haar amp op die voorwaardes (met inbegrip van die betaling van besoldiging en toelaes) wat die verantwoordelike Lid, in oorleg met [die Lid van] die Uitvoerende Raad [verantwoordelik vir Finansies] en ooreenkomstig die Riglyne van die Nasionale Tesourie, bepaal."

Amendment of section 11 of Act No. 6 of 1995 as amended by Act No. 4 of 2006

3. Section 11 of the Principal Act is amended by –

(1) the substitution for subsection (1) of the following subsection: 5

“(1) A meeting of the board of directors of the Corporation shall be held at a time and place to be determined by the chairperson of the board: Provided that the board of directors may not meet more than 6 times a year.”; and 10

(2) the insertion of subsection (1A) after section (1):

“(1A) The chairperson may, if justified by the circumstances, at any time on reasonable notice convene an extraordinary meeting of the board of directors to be held at a time and place determined by him or her: Provided that the chairperson must submit a report to the responsible Member stating the circumstances and reasons for calling a specified meeting.”. 15

Insertion of section 23B in Act No. 6 of 1995

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4. The following section is inserted in the Principal Act after section 23A:

“Limitation of liability” 25

“23A. Neither the State nor any organ of state or person exercising any power or performing any duty in terms of this Act is liable for any loss or damage resulting from an act or omission in good faith in the exercise of such power or the performance of such duty, unless gross negligence is proved.”. 30

Transitional provision

5. At the commencement of this Act, any person who immediately before such commencement was a director of the board remain, notwithstanding the reduction of the number of directors of the board, a director of the board until his or her term of office expire. 35

Short title

6. This Act is called the Free State Development Corporation Amendment Act, 2011. 40

Wysiging van artikel 11 van Wet No. 6 van 1995 soos gewysig deur Wet No. 4 van 2006

3. Artikel 11 van die Hoofwet word gewysig deur –

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(1) die vervanging van subartikel (1) met die volgende subartikel:

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“(1) ‘n Vergadering van die raad van direkteure van die Korporasie sal gehou word op ‘n tyd en plek deur die voorsitter van die raad bepaal: Met dien verstande dat die raad van direkteure hoogstens 6 keer ‘n jaar mag vergader.; en”;

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(2) die invoeging van subartikel (1A) na artikel (1):

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“(1A) Die voorsitter kan, indien die omstandighede dit vereis, ter eniger tyd op redelike kennisgwing ‘n buitengewone vergadering van die raad van direkteure byeen roep wat gehou moet word op ‘n tyd en plek deur hom of haar bepaal: Met dien verstande dat die voorsitter ‘n verslag aan die verantwoordelike Lid moet voorlê waarin die omstandighede en redes vir die byeenroeping van sodanige vergadering uiteengesit word.”.

Invoeging van artikel 23B in Wet No. 6 van 1995

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4. Die volgende artikel word in die Hoofwet na artikel 23A ingevoeg:

Beperking van aanspreeklikheid

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“23A. Nòg die staat nòg enige staatsorgaan of persoon wat enige bevoegdheid uitoeft of enige plig uitvoer ingevolge hierdie Wet is aanspreeklik vir enige verlies of skade wat spruit uit ‘n optrede of versuum te goeder trou in die uitoefting van sodanige bevoegdheid of die uitvoering van sodanige plig, tensy growwe nalatigheid bewys word.”.

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Oorgangsbeplasing

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5. Tydens die inwerkingtreding van hierdie Wet sal enige persoon wie onmiddellik voor sodanige inwerkingtreding ‘n direkteur van die raad was, ‘n direkteur van die raad bly totdat sy of haar ampstermyn verstryk, ongeag die vermindering van die hoeveelheid direkteure van die raad.

Kort titel

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6. Hierdie Wet heet die Wysigingswet op die Vrystaatse Ontwikkelingskorporasie, 2011.

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