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Sir / Madam,

CIRCULAR NO. 2/2010

RECISSION OF CIRCULAR NO. 4/2006; DATED 26 JUNE 2006

APPLICATION/ INTERPRETATION OF COLLECTIVE AGREEMENTS

Kindly be advised that the Executive Committee, at its meeting held on 29 May 2009, resolved that:

“8.1 The Circular, No. 4/2006, issued by the General Secretary, is hereby rescinded.

8.2 The issue relating to jurisdiction of the SALGBC over the interpretation of Collective Agreements, which does not contain a dispute procedure, is referred to the Technical Advisory Committee for consideration.”

The parties, having discussed this matter in the Technical Advisory Committee, finally agreed that rescinding the Circular was the only solution available to avoid the contradictory arbitration awards made in terms of the 2006 Circular.

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All Conciliators and Arbitrators are requested not to use the 2006 circular in considering interpretation and application disputes. The Labour Relations Act, read with the Constitution of the SALGBC should be used.

Yours faithfully



SS GOVENDER
GENERAL SECRETARY