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## Amendments to the JSE Listings Requirements: Cutting Red Tape Project

The JSE issued a Market Notice in 2021 proving details on a JSE Consultation Paper – "*Cutting Red Tape aimed at Effective and Appropriate Regulation*". The consultation paper was aimed at obtaining input on proposals for cutting red tape aimed at achieving a level of effective and appropriate regulation, for existing listings on the Main Board and the Alternative Exchange.

The market consultations were very well received and commentators comprised a diverse group of private individuals, institutional investors, public interest groups, listing sponsors, issuers and fellow regulatory bodies.

Taking into account the market comments received, the JSE formulated amendments to the JSE Listings Requirements, which were subject to the public consultation processes prescribed pursuant to the provisions of the JSE Listings Requirements and the Financial Markets Act No. 19 of 2012.

The JSE is pleased to announce that the Financial Sector Conduct Authority published the approval of the amendments to the JSE Listings Requirements in the Government Gazette through Board Notice 246 of 2022 No. 46288, with the effective date as 1 June 2022.

The new provisions to the JSE Listings Requirements are available on the JSE's website:

Announcements regarding Listings Requirements: <u>https://www.jse.co.za/regulation/companies-issuer-regulation</u>

The JSE is working with its publisher to prepare a bulletin to the JSE Listings Requirements, as it relates to these amendments.

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