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NOTIFICATION

The following notification in the context of actions taken within the framework of the Decision on Measures Concerning the Possible Negative Effects of the Reform Programme on Least-Developed and Net Food-Importing Developing Countries for calendar year **1998 (Table NF:1)** was received from the delegation of **South Africa** on 21 July 1999.

Table NF:1

**Notification under Article 16:2 of the Agreement:
Monitoring of the Follow- Up to the Decision On
Measures Concerning the Possible Negative Effects of
the Reform Programme on Least- Developed and Net
Food- Importing Developing Countries: SOUTH AFRICA**

REPORTING PERIOD: Calendar year 1998 (Rand)

1. Quantity of food aid provided to least-developed and net food-importing developing countries:

None

2. Indication of the proportion in fully grant form or appropriate concessional terms:

Not applicable

3. Technical and financial assistance:

3.1. Mozambique

3.1.1. Manhica and Chibuto irrigation projects R 275,000

Funds were made available for crop development, purchase of plant material, fertilizers, pesticides and agricultural equipment as well as farmer training.

3.1.2. Boane Agricultural School and Farm R 200,000

Funds were made available for the infrastructural development like cattle fencing, maintenance of irrigation equipment, purchase of seed and fertilizer and the establishment of banana nursery.

3.1.3. Rehabilitation of Pira Village R 200,000

Funds were made available for drilling of a borehole, building of a reservoir, renovation of an existing piggery and poultry facilities, purchase of basic irrigation equipment, seeds and pesticides.

3.2. Lesotho R 247,000

The money was donated for skills training courses in business administration and various disciplines on farming (vegetable

farming, poultry, cattle and pig farming and pasture evaluation) conducted in three districts of Lesotho.

3.3. Swaziland

Youth Training Programmes R 23,500

Financial support was given to a Swazi youth Programme to promote rural youth participation in agricultural activities.

3.4 Zambia

Borehole at Lukanga Lamos Centre R 22,700

Financial assistance was provided to the Centre to assist the "Zambian Women in Agriculture" in Kapiri district in central Zambia.

3.5 Madagascar

Fight against locust infestation R95,000

Financial assistance was made available to enable a South African acridologist to visit Madagascar and also make available a reconnaissance aircraft to assist in the fight against locust infestation that was threatening their agriculture.

4. **Other relevant information:**

None
