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DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

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**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO INTRODUCE THE FUND RAISING AMENDMENT
BILL, 2020 INTO PARLIAMENT IN TERMS OF RULE 276(1)(b) OF THE
RULES OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

1. Notice is hereby given in terms of rule 276(1)(b) of the Rules of the National Assembly that the Minister of Social Development intends to introduce the Fund-raising Amendment Bill, 2019 ("the Bill") in the National Assembly and in the National Council of Provinces during 2020.
2. The Fund-raising Amendment Bill, 2020 ("the Bill") aims to rationalise the Fund-raising Act, 1978 (Act No. 107 of 1978) ("the principal Act"), by consolidating the Disaster Relief Fund, the Refugee Relief Fund, the Social Relief Fund and the State President's Fund into the Disaster Relief and National Social Development Fund, so as to focus on proactive mitigations of disasters and promote the social development of communities. The consolidation of the Funds will streamline administrative processes, and enable more efficient services to poor communities and reduce costs.
3. A copy of the Bill and the Memorandum of Objects can be obtained from the Department of Social Development's website at <http://www.dsd.gov.za> or from the Parliamentary Monitoring Group website at <http://www.pmg.org.za>.
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