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ADMISSION TO SOUTH AFRICA: DELEGATES TO ATTEND THE 27TH ORDINARY SESSION OF THE AFRICAN TELECOMMUNICATION UNION (ATU) ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL: DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATIONS AND DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES: 19 – 21 MAY 2026: CAPE TOWN

In reply to your communication dated 18 March 2026, I wish to inform you that South African Missions abroad have been informed to issue visas to delegates attending the above event, provided a letter of invitation is submitted and that they are not prohibited or undesirable in terms of the Immigration Act 2002 (Act 13 of 2002).

To gain admission to South Africa it is necessary to be in possession of visas obtainable from South African Missions abroad, if the persons concerned are citizens of countries subject to visa control. All delegates passports must be valid for at least 30 days beyond the intended date of departure from the RSA and should contain at least two unused visa pages when presenting the passport for purposes of endorsing a visa.

Immunisation for yellow fever is an entry requirement if the journey starts or entails passing through the yellow fever belt of Africa or South America. **The immunisation must be done ten days prior to arriving in South Africa.** Please refer to the website: www.dha.gov.za for further information.

Kindly note where applicants originate from countries where South Africa has no Mission, the applications should be couriered or posted by registered mail to the country's accredited Mission.

Yours sincerely

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