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ASSESSMENT INSTRUCTION 51 OF 2022

**TO: DEPUTY DIRECTORS-GENERAL
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DEPUTY CHIEF / SENIOR EDUCATION SPECIALISTS
PRINCIPALS OF GRADE 12 REGISTERED PUBLIC AND INDEPENDENT
SCHOOLS
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SCHOOL GOVERNING BODIES**

DATE: 21 NOVEMBER 2022

**COMPLETION OF THE CONSENT FORM FOR THE PUBLICATION OF
CANDIDATE'S RESULTS OR USE OF CANDIDATE INFORMATION
2022 NATIONAL SENIOR CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION**

1. The Department of Basic Education (DBE) issued a Consent Form to all candidates writing the 2022 National Senior Certificate examination, in terms of the *Protection of the Personal Information Act, 2013*, wherein permission was granted or not granted, by the parent and the learner, for the publication of the candidates results in the print media or any other platform and for use of the candidate's information by other institutions or individuals.



2. However, in the Consent Form, provision was not made for the parent or the candidate, (in the case of those that 18 years and older) to indicate whether consent is provided or denied in terms of one or more of the five consent areas. Given that this is a legal document accurate and precise information must be furnished.
3. Therefore, a new Consent Form (**Annexure A**) has been developed and needs to be completed by all Grade 12 candidates writing the 2022 National Senior Certificate examination.
4. This form must be completed by both Full-Time and Part-Time candidates. In the case where a candidate is under the age of consent (18 years), the form must be signed by the parent only. Candidates that are 18 years and older can sign the consent form and do not need parental consent.
5. **There are five consent areas on the form and each of the consent areas must be ticked (if consent is granted) or left blank (if consent is not granted). IT MUST BE NOTED THAT IF THE AREA IS LEFT BLANK IT MEANS THAT THE CONSENT HAS NOT BEEN GIVEN FOR THAT CONSENT AREA.**
6. **The closing date for the submission of the consent form to the district examination office is Thursday, 01 December 2022.**
7. All enquiries should be directed to the District Head of Examination and Assessment Office.

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DEPUTY DIRECTOR GENERAL: CURRICULUM MANAGEMENT AND DELIVERY

DATE: 21/11/2022