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ASSESSMENT INSTRUCTION 11 OF 2017

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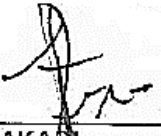
2017 GRADE 12 NATIONAL SENIOR CERTIFICATE PRACTICAL/PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT TASKS (PATS)
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1. The attached Practical/Performance Assessment Tasks (PATs) for the following subjects have been received from the Department of Basic Education (DBE) in January 2017.

- Agricultural Management Practices
- Agricultural Technology
- Civil Technology
- Computer Applications Technology
- Consumer Studies
- Dance Studies
- Design
- Dramatic Arts
- Electrical Technology
- Engineering Graphics and Design
- Hospitality Studies
- Information Technology
- Mechanical Technology
- Music
- Tourism
- Visual Arts

2. Practical/Performance Assessment Tasks (PATs) form part of the assessment requirements for the National Senior Certificate. It is therefore required that PATs must be carried out during the first three terms of the school year.
3. The head of examinations in districts should ensure that these PATs are distributed to all Grade 12 teachers and learners.

The co-operation of all education stakeholders in the process is both anticipated and appreciated.



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