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# **REQUEST FOR AUDITED ANNUAL RETURNS FOR THE 2018 AFS VERIFICATION PROCESS**

## 1. PURPOSE

1.1 To request Western Cape municipalities to submit the following documents, in electronic format, to Provincial Treasury (PT): Local Government Accounting (LGA) by Friday, **14 December 2018**:

#### 2017/18 Financial year

- BSA (Statement of Financial Position) audited annual return;
- OSAA (Statement of Financial Performance) audited annual return;
- CFAA (Cash Flow Statement) audited annual return;
- CAAA (Capital Acquisitions) audited annual return;
- AMA (Asset Management) audited annual return;
- ADA (Age Analysis of Debtors) audited annual return; and
- ACA (Age Analysis of Creditors) audited annual return.

#### 2016/17 Financial year (restated)

- BSA (Statement of Financial Position) audited annual return;
- OSAA (Statement of Financial Performance) audited annual return;
- CFAA (Cash Flow Statement) audited annual return;
- CAAA (Capital Acquisitions) audited annual return;
- AMA (Asset Management) audited annual return;
- ADA (Age Analysis of Debtors) audited annual return; and
- ACA (Age Analysis of Creditors) audited annual return.
- 1.2 The AFS verification process requires LGA to verify the three audited years as indicated in the A1-Schedule reports, which is generated from the LG Database, based on the above submissions.
- 1.3 The LG Database will be open from 1 December 2018 for the submission of the audited returns listed above.
- 1.4 Should any audited returns for the 2015/16 financial year be outstanding, LGA will communicate directly with those relevant municipalities.

#### 2. MOTIVATION

- 2.1 The National Treasury requires the above information for various publication requirements.
- 2.2 To this end, it is critical that the municipality ensures that the information submitted is in agreement to the 2017/18 audited Annual Financial Statements (AFS).
- 2.3 To ensure the accuracy of information, the LGA unit is requesting that the relevant audited returns be submitted to your relevant LGA analyst for review, prior to submitting it to the LG Database. Thereafter the relevant A1-Schedule reports will be generated and compared to the 2017/18 audited AFS. Should any of the information not reconcile, the LGA analyst will communicate with the municipality to make the necessary adjustments to the submitted audited returns.

2.4 The verified audited returns are required as inputs for the budget preparation process, therefore the AFS verification process has to be concluded by **31 January 2019**.

## 3. REQUEST

Municipalities are requested to submit the above mentioned audited annual returns for the 2016/17 (restated) and 2017/18 financial years by Friday, **14 December 2018**.

Kindly direct your communication to your relevant LGA analyst, and also:

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MR LANCE BRINDERS DIRECTOR: LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTING DATE: 15 October 2018