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INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE PERIOD 1 APRIL 2013 TO 31 MARCH 2014: ADDITIONAL GUIDANCE

Purpose

- 1. The purpose of this Circular is to inform Accounting Officers (AOs) and Chief Financial Officers (CFOs) of specific requirements for compiling and submitting of Interim Financial Statements (IFS) as at:
 - 30 June 2013

Background

- In terms of NT Practice Note 1 of 2013/14 dated 14 February 2013, paragraph 11, (See Annexure A), departments are required to compile and submit IFS within 30 days after the periods ending 30 June 2013, 30 September 2013, 31 December 2013 and 31 March 2014.
- 3. The following IFS information for Departments can be downloaded from the National Treasury Office of the Accountant-General website by following the link: https://www.treasury.gov.za/oag/publications/interim financial statements/for fin. Year ending 31-03-2014:
 - IFS 2013-14 Template
 - Disclosure Notes 45 to 50 of the IFS 2013-14
 - Annexures to the IFS 2013-14
 - Guide on the completion of the IFS Template 2013-14
 - Guide on specific IFS Template changes 2013-14
 - IFS Macro update 01
 - IFS Macro update 02

Additional Guidance

4. IFS 2013-14 Template: Macro 01

Departments are requested to run Macro 01, which can be accessed from the National Treasury Office of the Accountant-General.

Macro 01 updates:

- Formulas in the Statement of Financial Performance, Cash Flow Statement and Notes regarding Direct Exchequer receipts and payments.
- It also updates Note 4.4 "Aid Assistance" total formula to include "Surrendered to RDP/Donor".

5. **IFS 2013-14 Template: Macro 02**

Departments are requested to run Macro 02 after Macro 01 has been run successfully.

Macro 02 updates:

- Includes "Inventory Other consumables" to the TB mapping for WC Departments Inventory sub note.
- Updates the Total formula for Consumables sub note.
- Goods and services note: changes the "Inventory" prior year cell to a "blue cell" for manual input.
- Hides "Consumables" sub note for the WC departments only.
- Re-includes the "Gifts" item in the "Other operating expenditure" sub note for WC Departments only.
- Adds an extra 5 rows in each of the "Irregular Expenditure" sub notes 31.2, 31.3, 31.4, 31.5 and 31.6

In order to give effect to Macro 01 and 02, Departments are requested to select any other department on the "Cover" sheet and then reselect their Department name from the drop down list.

BAS Version 3 Balances: 2012/13

6. Departments migrated from BAS Version 3 to BAS Version 4 as from 1 April 2013. Suspense/Ledger account balances as at 31 March 2013 on BAS V3, still needs to

be transferred to BAS V4. After final book closure for the 2012/13 financial year, these balances will have to be transferred to BAS V4.

7. Departments are requested to add the BAS V3 figures to the BAS V4 Trial Balance in Excel format. The combined TB must then be imported to the IFS template. Guidance is provided in paragraph 4.2 of the "Completion of the Interim Financial Statement Template Guide for the year ended 31 March 2014".

Ageing of Debtors Accounts

8. The ageing of Debtors accounts for completing the receivables age analysis will only be available after final conversion of balances to BAS V4. The age analysis on Staff Debtors will not be required for the IFS for the period ending 30 June 2013.

Disclosure Notes relating to Human Resources

9. Information supplied by CSC and PERSAL (Education and Health) should be used to compile disclosure notes relating to Employee benefits. No special reports will be compiled and supplied by the PERSAL Consultants.

Disclosure of GG Vehicle Expenditure and Commitments

- 10. GG vehicle kilometre tariff expenditure will be disclosed as "T&S GG vehicle without driver" as per SCOA V3.
- 11. The daily tariff expenditure paid in the 2013/14 financial year must be disclosed as capital expenditure in the Statement of Financial Performance. On a monthly basis departments are required to shift the daily tariff expenditure related to permanently allocated vehicles from goods and services to capital budget/capital expenditure.
- 12. Future finance lease commitments are not required to be disclosed for the first quarter ending 30 June 2013. For the remaining quarterly IFS submissions of 2013/14, Departments will be consulted and training provided.

Inventory mapping on the IFS Template

- 13. As indicated in paragraph 8 of Treasury Circular 28 of 2013, the IFS template for 2013/14, as issued by NT: OAG, is aligned to SCOA Version 4. As agreed, departments will be making use of SCOA Version 3 items in respect of "inventory" and "T&S: GG Vehicles without driver".
- 14. Macro 01 updated Note 6.5 "Inventory" to accommodate the expenditure of the Western Cape Departments in terms of SCOA V3. Macro 02 hides the "Consumables" sub note for the Western Cape Departments only, as it relates to SCOA V4.
- 15. Your co-operation in this regard will be appreciated.

PROVINCIAL ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL

DATE: 26 JULY 2013