

Overview of the B-BBEE Commission in Transforming the South African Economy and Promoting B-BBEE

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# What is **B-BBEE**?

- Viable economic empowerment of all black people, in particular women, workers, youth, people with disabilities and people living in rural areas, through diverse but integrated socio-economic strategies, that include: -
  - Increase number of black people who own, manage and control enterprises and productive assets
  - Facilitate ownership and management by communities, workers, cooperatives and other collective enterprises
  - Human resource and skills development
  - Equitable representation in all occupational categories and levels in the workforce
  - Preferential procurement from black owned and managed enterprises
  - Investment in enterprises that are black owned and managed



# **How South Africa measures B-BBEE?**

- Section 9 of the B-BBEE Act has provided the Minister of Trade, Industry and Competition (the Minister) with the powers to issue codes of good practice for black economic empowerment o be implemented by all measured entities. Minister has gazetted eleven (11) codes of good practice, which are:
  - Generic Codes of Good Practice,
  - Information and Communication Technology Sector Codes,
  - Tourism Sector Codes
  - Construction Sector Code;
  - Integrated Transport (2009 Version),
  - Property Sector Codes,
  - Forestry Sector Codes
  - Financial Services Sector Codes,
  - AgriBEE Sector Codes,
  - Marketing, Advertising and Communication Sector Codes, and
  - Defence Sector Codes.



## What elements are measured?

- B-BBEE is measured annually based on the following key elements derived from the objectives of the B-BBEE Act in section 2, some sector codes have additional elements approved by the Minister:
  - Ownership
  - Management Control
  - Skills Development (6% of payroll)
  - Enterprise and Supplier Development (3% of NPAT)
  - Socio-Economic Development (1% of NPAT)
- Organs of state and public entities, including NPO/PBOs use the specialised score card that excludes ownership (Statement 004)
- Measured entities are all organs of state and public entity and private sector entities that undertakes economic activity with the organs of state or public entities, directly or indirectly.

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# What is required for government?

- Section 10 (1) of the B-BBEE Act states that **every organ of state and public entity** must apply the relevant code of good practice issued by the Minister of Trade, Industry and Competition in accordance with section 9 of the B-BBEE Act in:
  - Determining qualification criteria for the issuing of licences, concessions or other authorisations in respect of economic activity in terms of any law;
  - Developing and implementing a preferential procurement policy;
  - Determining qualification criteria for the sale of state owned enterprises;
  - Developing criteria for entering into partnerships with the private sector; and
  - Determining criteria for the awarding of incentives, grants and investment schemes in support of B-BBEE.



## Why and when were we established ?





# What is our mandate?

- Oversee, supervise and promote adherence with the B-BBEE Act in the public interest
- *Strengthen* and foster collaboration between public and private sector to safeguard objectives
- Receive *complaints* and investigate complaints proactively and/or reactively
- Promote advocacy and access to opportunities, educational programmes and B-BBEE initiatives
- Maintain *registry* of major B-BBEE transactions (R25 million)
- Receive and analyse *compliance reports* (JSE, SETAs, state organs)
- Promote *good governance and accountability*
- Increase *knowledge and awareness* on B-BBEE
- Exercise any power conferred by the Minister in writing, which does not conflict with the B-BBEE Act



# What guides our delivery?





# What is our Strategy?

#### **Compliance Driven Strategy**

- Advisory opinions & Clarifications
- Compliance Reports
- Major B-BBEE transactions
- Explanatory Notices
- Practice Guides/Notices
- Advisory Letters
- Education & Awareness sessions
- Advisory Stakeholder meetings
- Site visits for tip-offs

#### **Corrective Enforcement Strategy**

- Complaint notification
- Non-Investigations
- Investigation
- Site visits
- Alternative dispute resolution
- Findings
- Remedial recommendations
- Referral to other regulators
- Referral for criminal prosecution



### Mid-year Population Estimates 2019 (StatsSA)

#### Mid-year population estimates for South Africa population group and sex 2019

|                     | Male       |                               | Female     |                                 | Total      |                               |
|---------------------|------------|-------------------------------|------------|---------------------------------|------------|-------------------------------|
| Population<br>group | Number     | %<br>distribution<br>of males | Number     | %<br>distribution<br>of females | Number     | %<br>distribution<br>of total |
| Africans            | 23 124 782 | 80.7                          | 24 318 477 | 80.8                            | 47 443 259 | 80.7                          |
| Coloureds           | 2 513 221  | 8.8                           | 2 663 530  | 8.8                             | 5 176 750  | 8.8                           |
| Indians             | 768 594    | 2.7                           | 734 413    | 2.4                             | 1 503 007  | 2.6                           |
| White people        | 2 266 151  | 7.9                           | 2 385 855  | 7.9                             | 4 652 006  | 7.9                           |
| Total               | 28 672 747 | 100                           | 30 102 275 | 100                             | 58 775 022 | 100                           |



# National EAP (StatsSA)

## TABLE 1: National EAP by Population and Gender Group\*

| MALE  |               |       |    | Total           |       |       |
|-------|---------------|-------|----|-----------------|-------|-------|
| AM    | African Male  | 42,7% | AF | African Female  | 36.2% | 78.9% |
| СМ    | Coloured Male | 5.3%  | CF | Coloured Female | 4.4%  | 9.7%  |
| IM    | Indian Male   | 1.7%  | IF | Indian Female   | 1.0%  | 2.7%  |
| WM    | White Male    | 4.9%  | WF | White Female    | 3.8%  | 8.7%  |
| Total |               | 54.6% |    |                 | 45.4% | 100%  |



# How do we monitor & promote B-BBEE to advance transformation?

#### **Status of transformation**

- Only 15% of organs of state and public entities reported
- Only 43% of JSE listed entities reported
- Ownership reflects 32% (2016), 27% (2017) 25% (2018), 29% (2019)
- Black women ownership 9% (2017), 10% (2018) 12% 2019
- 3.3% of JSE listed entities 100% black owned
- Management control 39% black

#### Major ownership transactions

- 499 transactions submitted, 150 successfully registered
- 144 rejected for non-compliance
   & 83 referred for investigation
- 272 (2018) R188, 7 billion and
   95 in 2019 were R111, 938 billion
- Ownership 60% (2018: 53%) but voting rights 32% (2018: 50%), new entrants 13% (2018: 20%)
- Funding is 32.6% vendorfinanced, share swaps 17.9%, bank loans 15.9% and government 4.2%



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#### **Complaints Handling**

- 822 cases handled and 386 finalised, 435 in progress
- Mining, transport and construction account for highest number of fronting cases
- 19 cases referred to CIPC, 7 to SAPS/NPA
- 7 initiated court process and 6 litigation cases for review
- 2 cases successfully defended (RISC Technology Integration & Thomas SA)
- 22 ADR agreements concluded, R102m paid to black shareholders and R12m towards skills development

#### **Compliance monitoring**

- 179 advisory opinions and 5358 clarifications – advising on the B-BBEE Act
- 13 Practice Guides and 14 Brochures
- 281 awareness sessions and
- 4 Annual Conferences and 2 Women's Conferences
- 149 B-BBEE certificates declared invalid
- 42 Site visits were conducted pursuant to tipoffs (29) and compliance reports (13).
- National status and major B-BBEE transactions reports produced annually

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#### **Strategic Partnerships**

Memoranda of Understanding concluded with

- Competition Commission
- South African Revenue Services
- Commission for Employment Equity
- South African National Accreditation Systems
- Companies Tribunal
- National Gambling Board
- National Liquor Authority
- Companies and Intellectual Property
   Commission
- KZN Department of Economic Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs

#### Litigation matters

B-BBEE defending the following application to review decision:

- CRRC E-LOCO in respect of Transnet locomotives
- Sasol & Astra Group in relation to the Sasol Tshwarisano BEE Scheme
- Cargo Carriers Limited in relation to the owner-driver scheme
- Planet Waves where 60% black shareholders alleged to be fronted
- Megaphase Trading where an employee alleged fronting



### **Strategic Objectives**

#### **Programme 1:** To safeguard the outcomes of inclusive economy

| Strategic                          | Output                               | Ac      | hieveme | nt per Fi | nancial y | ear                  | Total |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------|---------|-----------|-----------|----------------------|-------|
| objective                          |                                      | 2016/17 | 2017/18 | 2018/19   | 2019/20   | 2020/21<br>(Q1 & Q2) |       |
| Guide the                          | Advisory Opinions                    | 48      | 46      | 37        | 34        | 14                   | 179   |
| implementation<br>of B-BBEE Act    | Clarifications                       | 391     | 1212    | 1335      | 1603      | 817                  | 5358  |
|                                    | Practice Notes /<br>Guideline        | 3       | 4       | 2         | 3         | 1                    | 13    |
|                                    | Brochures                            | 0       | 2       | 5         | 4         | 3                    | 14    |
|                                    | Education & Awareness                |         | 174     | •         | 86        | 21                   | 281   |
| Assess B-BBEE                      | Received                             | 272     |         | 95        | 109       | 28                   | 504   |
| Transactions and<br>provide advice | Registered                           | 17      | 5       | 66        | 80        | 19                   | 340   |
|                                    | Involve Trust                        | 95      | 5       | 20        | 21        | 7                    | 143   |
|                                    | Rejected                             | 89      |         | 21        | 23        | 5                    | 138   |
| Assess                             | Received                             | 20      | 2       | 270       | 205       | 46                   | 723   |
| Compliance<br>Report & provide     | Assessed                             | 19      | 1       | 156       | 196       | 40                   | 583   |
| feedback                           | JSE Listed                           | 18      | 1       | 147       | 158       | 43                   | 529   |
|                                    | Public Entities & Organs<br>of State | 21      | L       | 21        | 47        | 3                    | 92    |
|                                    | SETAs                                | 0       |         | 2         | 3         | 0                    | 5     |

### **Strategic Objectives**

#### **Programme 2: To implement corrective enforcement to achieve compliance**

| Strategic  | Output  |         | Achievem | ent per Fir | nt per Financial year |                      |    |  |
|--|---|---------|----------|-------------|-----------------------|----------------------|----|--|
| objective  |   | 2016/17 | 2017/18  | 2018/19     | 2019/20               | 2020/21<br>(Q1 & Q2) |    |  |
| Conduct both<br>proactive and<br>reactive<br>Investigation       | Investigation<br>findings                           | 371     |          |             | 15                    | 386                  |    |  |
| Facilitate and<br>guide resolution<br>of dispute<br>through ADR  | ADR<br>Agreements<br>[r15(11)]                      | 22      |          |             |                       | 0                    | 22 |  |
| Referral to other<br>regulatory<br>entities & for<br>prosecution | Notice of<br>referral<br>[s13J (6)] &<br>[s13J (5)] | 24      |          |             | 2                     | 26                   |    |  |



### **Strategic Objectives**

#### Programme 3: Researching, analysing and reporting on state of transformation

| Strategic   | Output                                | Achievement per Financial year |         |         |         |                      | Total |
|---|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------|-------|
| objective   |                                       | 2016/17                        | 2017/18 | 2018/19 | 2019/20 | 2020/21<br>(Q1 & Q2) |       |
| Report on<br>National Status<br>and<br>Transformation | National Status<br>Annual Report      | 1                              | 1       | 1       | 1       | 0                    | 4     |
|   | Major B-BBEE<br>Transaction<br>Report | 0                              | 0       | 1       | 1       | 0                    | 2     |

#### Programme 4: Collaborating with relevant stakeholders to advance transformation

| Strategic<br>objective   | Output                      |         | Total   |         |         |                      |    |
|--|-----------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------|----|
|  |                             | 2016/17 | 2017/18 | 2018/19 | 2019/20 | 2020/21<br>(Q1 & Q2) |    |
| Build Mutual<br>relationships<br>with selected<br>stakeholders | Memoranda of<br>Cooperation | 1       | 3       | 3       | 2       | 1                    | 10 |
|  | Referral<br>Protocol        | 0       | 1       | 0       | 0       | 0                    | 1  |

### Number of Complaints, Clarifications and Advisory Opinions

#### **Complaints, Clarifications & Advisory Opinions**







### Types of Complaints lodged 2016/17 FY – Q2:2020/21 FY

**Type of Complaints** 



#### Source: B-BBEE Commission - Unaudited



### Complaints Received per Month from 2016/17 FY – Q2: 2020/21 FY



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### Total Complaints lodged per Sector 2016/17 FY – Q2: 2020/21 FY







### Total Complaints Lodged vs Investigated Cases 2016/17 – Q2: 2020/21 FY





# 95 Major Transactions (Ownership)



NOTE: 95 major B-BBEE transactions affected 264 entities constituting the population data above.



### **Major B-BBEE Transactions per Sector**

| Sectors      | No. of Transactions<br>Registered | No. of Transactions<br>Registered | Growth |
|--------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------|
|              | 2017/18                           | 2018/19                           |        |
| Agri-BEE     | 7                                 | 4                                 | -3     |
| Construction | 4                                 | 6                                 | 2      |
| Financial    | 63                                | 21                                | -42    |
| Generic      | 132                               | 41                                | -91    |
| Forestry     | 0                                 | 0                                 | 0      |
| ICT          | 18                                | 9                                 | -9     |
| MAC          | 6                                 | 4                                 | -2     |
| Property     | 8                                 | 5                                 | -3     |
| Tourism      | 14                                | 0                                 | -14    |
| Transport    | 20                                | 5                                 | -15    |
| Total        | 272                               | 95                                | - 177  |

### **Transaction Value per Sector (Billion R)**

| Sector Code             | 2018/19 Transactions |      | Amalgamated Base |        | Movement |  |
|-------------------------|----------------------|------|------------------|--------|----------|--|
| Agriculture             | 0,523                | 0%   | 2,252            | 1.2%   | -R1,73   |  |
| Construction            | 2,814                | 3%   | 0,352            | 0.2%   | R2,46    |  |
| Financial               | 44,155               | 39%  | 16,074           | 8.5%   | R28,08   |  |
| Generic                 | 40,966               | 37%  | 78,091           | 41.4%  | -R37,13  |  |
| ICT                     | 17,4                 | 16%  | 19,896           | 10.5%  | -R2,50   |  |
| MAC                     | 3,48                 | 3%   | 0,632            | 0.3%   | R2,85    |  |
| Property                | 0,724                | 1%   | 9,037            | 4.8%   | -R8,31   |  |
| Tourism                 | 0                    | 0%   | 58,047           | 30.8%  | -R58,05  |  |
| Integrated<br>Transport | 1,876                | 2%   | 4,363            | 2.3%   | -R2,49   |  |
| Total                   | 111,938              | 100% | 188,745          | 100.0% | -R76.81  |  |



### **Type of Funding**

| Type of                            | 2017/                       | 18 FY      | 2018/19 FY                  |            |  |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------|-----------------------------|------------|--|
| Funding                            | Total Value<br>(R' Billion) | Percentage | Total Value<br>(R' Billion) | Percentage |  |
| Vendor<br>Financing                | 89,498                      | 47.4%      | 37,281                      | 33%        |  |
| Other                              | 31,544                      | 16.7%      | 53,412                      | 48%        |  |
| Share Swap                         | 1,778                       | 0.9%       | 13,940                      | 12%        |  |
| Government<br>Funding              | 0,211                       | 0.9%       | 0,397                       | 0%         |  |
| Cash                               | 20,771                      | 11.0%      | 2,909                       | 3%         |  |
| Bank Loan                          | 37,018                      | 19.6%      | 3,999                       | 4%         |  |
| Bank Loan<br>& Vendor<br>Financing | 2,245                       | 1.2%       | 0                           | 0%         |  |
| Cash &<br>Bank Loan                | 1,161                       | 0.6%       | 0                           | 0%         |  |
| Cash &<br>Vendor<br>Financing      | 2,748                       | 1.5%       | 0                           | 0%         |  |



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## **Major B-BBEE Transactions Findings**



### Ownership Comparison 2017/18 vs 2018/19



## **Summary of National Status Report**

|   |   | 2017          | 2018         | 2019  |
|---|---|---------------|--------------|-------|
| National Status and Trends on B-BBEE Report Summary                                 |   |               |              |       |
|   | JSE   | 51%           | 43%          | 42%   |
| Submitted Reports   |   | (401)         | (371)        | (356) |
|   | Organs of State & SOEs                      | 1%            | 10%          | 15%   |
|   |   | (290)         | (290)        | (290) |
|   | B-BBEE Certificate Portal                   | 2861          | 1674         | 5818  |
| Overall Ownership   |   | 27%           | 25%          | 29%   |
| (Overall include B-BBEE Certificate data information)                               |   |               |              |       |
| Overall Black Women Ownership   |   | 9%            | 10%          | 12%   |
| (Overall include B-BBEE Certificate data information)                               |   | <b>2</b> 221  | 0.5%         | 0.101 |
| JSE Listed Entities Average Black Ownership   |   | 29%           | 25%          | 31%   |
| 100% black owned entities on the JSE  |   | 1%            | 1%           | 3%    |
| Management Control<br>(Overall include B-BBEE Certificate data information)         | JSE   | 38%           | 38%          | 44%   |
|   | Organs of State & SOEs                      | N/A           | 79%          | 68%   |
|   | Overall Management Control                  | 43%           | 45%          | 39%   |
| Skills Development<br>(Overall include B-BBEE Certificate data information)         | JSE   | 35%           | 63%          | 59%   |
|   | Organs of State & SOEs                      | N/A           | 64%          | 41%   |
|   | Overall Skills Development                  | 37%           | 49%          | 49%   |
| Enterprise and Supplier Development   | JSE   | 47%           | 70%          | 59%   |
| (Overall include B-BBEE Certificate data information)                               | Organia of State & SOFe                     | N1/A          | 470/         | E00/  |
|   | Organs of State & SOEs                      | N/A           | 47%          | 59%   |
|   | Overall Enterprise and Supplier Development | 44%           | 60%          | 51%   |
| Socio-Economic Development<br>(Overall include B-BBEE Certificate data information) | JSE   | 79%           | 92%          | 89%   |
|   | Organs of State & SOEs                      | N/A           | 65%          | 53%   |
|   | Overall Socio-Economic Development          | 88%           | 71%          | 68%   |
| B-BBEE Rating<br>Level 4 - Level 1  | JSE   | 41%           | 51%          | 49%   |
|   | Organs of State & SOEs                      | N/A           | 45%          | 33%   |
| B-BBEE Rating   | JSE   | 48%           | 45%          | 51%   |
| Level 5 - Non-Compliant   |   | (12% No data) | (5% No data) |       |
|   | Organs of State & SOEs                      | N/A           | 55%          | 67%   |

## Thank You

## "An Inclusive economy for all, together"

