

MEDIA RESPONSE: SANRAL EXTENDS ELECTRONIC-TOLL COLLECTION CONTRACT

Pretoria, 2 December 2020 – The South African National Roads Agency SOC Limited (SANRAL) has extended for another year the contract with Electronic Toll Collection (ETC) to manage and collect e-tolls on the Gauteng Freeway Improvement Project (GFIP).

The decision to extend the contract with ETC is as a result of ongoing litigation related to the reissuing of the tender to collect e-tolls. The matter was heard in the High Court of South Africa, North Gauteng Division, Pretoria, on 11 - 12 November. Judgement has been reserved.

While this court process is ongoing, SANRAL was required to extend the ETC contract from 2 December 2020. This will bring the contract to the maximum eight-year period, as was allowed for in the original contract, or shorter if the new contractor is appointed before the end of the maximum period allowed.

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