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## MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT & FOOD SECURITY

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### SPOT ANNOUNCEMENT

As part of efforts by the Government of Botswana to facilitate farmers to access the local market during the difficult times brought about by the COVID-19 pandemic, the Ministry of Agricultural Development and food Security-MoA is inviting all individuals and companies who have agricultural produce that is ready for the market, to register with MoA offices in their area, effective 14 April 2020. This registration is open to all those who are engaged in agricultural production at all scales including activities such as backyard farming. Each individual or company registering should provide the following:

- Name and contact details of producer.
- Where the produce is located.
- Type of produce available and quantities.

The commodities which are included in the list of produce to be supplied include: vegetables, poultry (live and slaughtered birds), eggs, beans and bean leaves (*morogo wa dinawa*), peanuts (*manoko*), watermelon, melons (*marotse*), makgomane and green mellies.

Below is a how the produce is to be packaged:

TYPE OF PRODUCE	PACKAGING	TYPE OF PRODUCE	PACKAGING
Cabbage	Bag	Butternut	Bag
Spinach	Bundle	Eggs	dozen
Rape	Bundle	Pasteurized Milk	1 litre
Beetroot	1kg	Chicken	each
Onion	1kg	Phane/ Mogoro wa dinawa	250g (cup)
Carrot	1kg	Green Mealies	each
Tomatoes	1kg	Maize Meal	5kg and 12.5kg
Green Pepper	1kg	Sorghum Meal	10kg
Potatoes	5kg and 10kg	Samp	2.5kg and 5kg
Oranges	5kg and 10kg		

This call is also made for all those owning **abattoirs, butcheries and slaughter slabs** in various locations to register these facilities at the MoA office in their areas.

In an effort to try and reduce movement, we request that registration be done through calling the number for your District as reflected in the Table below.

District	Number To call to Register	Number To call to Register	Number To call to Register	Call Centre for any Clarifications
<b>South East</b>	5390910	5391381	5391852	17755
<b>Southern</b>	5440346 (Kanye); 5404338 (Good Hope)	5449094 (Moshopa)	5400086 (Mmathethe); 5880948 (Jwaneng)	17755
<b>Kgalagadi</b>	73014259/6543052(Werda) 73013991 (Lokgwabe); 74380511 (Lehututu)	73014247 (Makopong); 6517390/73013993 (Kang)	73014262 (Omaweneno); 6540212/6540300/73031425 (Tsabong); 73013994/6510044 (Hukuntsi)	17755
<b>Ghanzi</b>	6596049	72490823		17755
<b>North West</b>	6863020	6863179		17755
<b>North East</b>	2419250/77566461	2419310/71444445		17755
<b>Chobe</b>	6250029	74754062	71886073/72608149	17755
<b>Central</b>	4630473/4920240	2610562/2610890	2978299/	17755

## KITSISO

Mo maitekong a go itebaganya le seemo sa seru se se re wetseng, Goromente wa lefatshe la Botswana o dirile maiteko a gore dithuto tsa balemi barui ba mono di rekisiwe, Lephata la Temo Thuo le Tlhabololo Dijo le laletsa balemi barui ba dikgwebo tse ditona le tse dipotlana ba thobo ya bone e setseng e budule go ikwadisa mo diofising tse di mo kgaolong tsa bone go simolola Moranang ale 14.

Ikwadiso e e akaretsa mongwe le mongwe yo oleng mo temo thuong le ba direlang mo digotlong (backyard).


Mongwe le mongwe yoo ikwadisang o tshwanetse go supa tse di latelang:

- Maina le megala
- Gore o bonwa kae
- Mohuta wa dithoto tsa gago le selekanyo sa tsone.

Dijo tse di tla kwadisiwang di akaretsa merogo, dikoko (tse ditshelang le tse di tlhabilweng), mae, dinawa, morogo wa dinawa, manoko/matonkomane, magapu, makatane/marotse, makgomane/maraka le mmidi wa ditlhotlha.

Kitsiso e e akaretsa beng ba matlhabelo, butcheries le ba matlhabelo a mabotlana.

Kealeboga.



Boikhutso Rabasha  
**For Permanent Secretary**