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### DEPARTMENT OF TRADE, INDUSTRY AND COMPETITION NOTICE 34 OF 2021

#### INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION COMMISSION OF SOUTH AFRICA

# CERTIFICATE ISSUED IN TERMS OF SCHEDULE 1, PARAGRAPH 8 OF THE VALUE ADDED TAX ACT, 1991 (ACT NO. 89 OF 1991), REBATE ITEM 412.11/00.00/01.00

This notice serves to inform interested parties that the International Trade Administration Commission of South Africa is issuing a certificate to the South African Revenue Service in terms of Schedule 1, paragraph 8 of the Value Added Tax Act, 1991 (Act No. 89 of 1991), Rebate Item 412.11/00.00.01.00, for the importation of vaccines classifiable under tariff heading 3002.20, as may be amended from time to time, for use in the vaccination of persons against the *Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome Coronavirus 2* or *SARS-CoV-2* for the treatment of the *coronavirus disease* or *COVID-19*.



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Pursuant to this certificate (Certificate), the International Trade Administration Commission of South Africa (ITAC) certifies that, for the purpose of Schedule 1, paragraph 8 of the Value Added Tax Act, 1991 (Act No. 89 of 1991), Item No. 412.11/00.00/01.00, the importation of vaccines, as described in the next paragraph, relates to goods imported for the relief of distress of all persons in South Africa as a consequence of the COVID-19 pandemic, which resulted in a declaration of a national state of disaster on 15 March 2020 by the Minister of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs in terms of Notice No. 313 published in Government Gazette No. 43096 pursuant to section 27(1) of the Disaster Management Act, 2002 (Act No. 57 of 2002).

This Certificate applies only to the importation into the Republic of South Africa of vaccines classifiable under tariff heading 3002.20, as may be amended from time to time, used to vaccinate persons against the *Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome Coronavirus 2* or *SARS-CoV-2* for the treatment of the *coronavirus disease* or *COVID-19*.

This Certificate shall remain in effect for as long as the aforementioned national state of disaster remains in effect or is withdrawn by ITAC, whichever comes first.

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