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The Department of International Relations and Cooperation of the Republic of South Africa presents its compliments to Diplomatic Missions and International Organisations accredited to the Republic of South Africa and has the honour to remind Missions that all diplomatic vehicles registered with the old format number plates should be re-registered with the new format diplomatic plates as per Protocol Circular Number P31 of 2012.

Missions are advised that all diplomatic vehicles (both official and private vehicles) registered with diplomatic number plates belonging to the old numbering series are requested to deregister these vehicles and re-register them with the current series of diplomatic number plates. This is to ensure that all diplomatic vehicles are reflected on the e-Natis System. The Mission will be responsible for payment of the new diplomatic number plate. The deadline has been extended to 29 March 2013. Missions are also advised to contact officials from the Diplomatic Vehicle Section at the Directorate: Diplomatic Immunities and Privileges for assistance in the abovementioned matter. Missions must take note that effective 1 April 2013 all vehicles using the old number plates will be declared invalid.

The Department of International Relations and Cooperation of the Republic of South Africa avails itself of the opportunity to renew to Diplomatic Missions and International Organisations accredited to the Republic of South Africa the assurances of its highest consideration.



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