

Annexure B:

**INVITATION FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR CERTIFICATE HOLDERS INTERESTED IN
LEADING THE FORMATION OF A CERTIFICATE HOLDERS FORUM**

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1. BACKGROUND

The Agrément South Africa Act was accented to by the Honourable President of the Republic of South Africa as Act No 11 of 2015 from 1 April 2017. Agrément South Africa was established as a Schedule 3A entity on 1 April 2017. The entity operates under a delegation of authority from the Minister of Public Works.

The main objectives are:

- To assure fitness-for-purpose of non-standard construction-related products and systems to specifiers and users.
- To support and promote integrated socio-economic development related to the construction industry in the Republic.
- To support and promote the introduction and use of certified non-standardised construction-related products or systems in the local or international market.
- To support policymakers in minimising the risk associated with the use of non-standard construction-related products or systems; and
- To be an impartial and internationally acknowledged South African centre for assessing and confirming the fitness-for-purpose of non-standard construction-related products or systems.

2. INVITATION TO LEAD THE FORMATION OF A CERTIFICATE HOLDERS FORUM

ASA is coordinating the initiative to establish a Certificate Holder's Forum. As part of this process, ASA invites certificate holders interested in taking a leadership role to express their interest in contributing to the forum and its related activities.

The lead Certificate Holder will play a pivotal role in:

- Coordinating with ASA and certificate holders during the implementation phase.
- Assist in setting up the forum's governance and terms of reference.
- Representing the interests of certificate holders in engagements with ASA and stakeholders.

3. OBJECTIVES

The forum aims to provide a collaborative platform for certificate holders to engage, share knowledge, and collectively promote the adoption of innovative, Agrément-certified building technologies in South Africa. The following are the objectives of the forum:

- Create a platform for certificate holders to engage with each other, ASA, and stakeholders in the built environment sector.
- Share lessons learned, success stories, and case studies from using Agrément-certified products and systems.
- Provide peer-to-peer learning opportunities for continuous improvement.
- Encourage wider adoption of innovative building technologies in South Africa.
- Identify barriers to market access and develop collective strategies to overcome them.
- Manage the forum and processes for holding meetings amongst certificate holders.
- Give formal feedback on the forums meeting outcomes to ASA in writing.

4. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

The criteria for the certificate holder to lead the formation of the forum are as follows:

1. Active certificate holders in good standing.
2. Commitment to innovation and the promotion of Agrément-certified systems.
3. Willingness to dedicate time and resources towards successfully establishing the forum and managing the activities.
4. Strong leadership and communication skills to foster collaboration among diverse certificate holders.

5. PROCEDURE FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Interested certificate holders are invited to submit a brief Expression of Interest:

5.1 Company/ Organisation Name and ASA Certificate Name and Number

5.2 Name, Position, Email and Cellphone contacts.

5.3 Provide a brief report on how you would address the four criteria in point no. 4 above.

5.4 Information must be submitted electronically to nmadikazi@agrement.co.za 15 October 2025.

6. OUTCOME

Agrément South Africa will evaluate the submissions according to the criteria and announce the leading certificate holder on the ASA website.

7. ENQUIRIES AND CONTACT WITH ASA

7.1 Any enquiry regarding this criterion shall be submitted in writing to nmadikazi@agrement.co.za.

ASA encourages all certificate holders to participate actively in this initiative.