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MEDIA INVITATION

To: All members of the media Date: 07 September 2023

INVITATION TO THE 2023 GOVERNMENT TECHNOLOGY (GOVTECH) CONFERENCE

The Department of Communications and Digital Technologies in collaboration with the State Information Technology Agency SOC Ltd (SITA) will convene the 2023 GovTech Conference hosted at eThekwini Metro Municipality in KwaZulu-Natal Province.

Members of the media are invited to attend the three-day Conference that will be officially opened by the Minister of Communications and Digital Technologies, Hon Mondli Gungubele.

It will be convened under the theme, "Platform Economy for Digital Transformation and Inclusive Growth." where key areas to be unpacked include new technology drivers in the digital economy, digital transformation and inclusive growth. A link will be shared with members of the media who will confirm virtual attendance. The Conference is scheduled as follows:

Date:Tuesday, 12 September to Thursday, 14 September 2023Time:09:00 (daily)Venue:Durban International Convention Centre, KwaZulu-Natal Province

Members of the media to RSVP by Friday, 08 September 2023 to:

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