

# APPLICATION TO LEASE STATE LAND



In terms of the department's Beneficiary Selection and Land Allocation Policy and State Land Lease and Disposal Policy, eligible applicants are invited to submit applications to lease agricultural property/ies described as follows:

Property description	Portion 4 of the farm Rosendal 204 LR and Portion 1 of the farm Schaapkraal 211 LQ in Lephalale Local Municipality under Waterberg District Municipality
Total extent	700,6313 ha
Current farm use breakdown	Livestock production
Category of lessee	3
LPID	324666 and 103912

The property/ies is/are suitable for various types of land use. Prospective farmers interested in leasing properties from the state are encouraged to apply.

## ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- Applicants must be Africans, Indians and Coloureds who are South African citizens. African in this context includes persons from the first nations of South Africa.
- Applicants must be 18 years or older and have a valid South African barcoded identity document.
- **Priority within the target groups shall be given to youth.**
- Applicants must indicate their current farming area, e.g., communal or commonage, if any.
- The successful applicant **must be willing to stay on the farm full time** for the duration of the lease contract.
- Applicants must indicate the farming resources they have or submit proof of access to resources for the farming operation as own contribution; i.e., capital, equipment, biological assets, etc.
- 3–5 years' farming experience will be an added advantage.

## MANDATORY DOCUMENTS AND PROCEDURES

- Completion of the application form and attachment of all mandatory supporting documents as indicated thereon.
- In the case of a natural person: A certified copy of the applicant's barcoded South African ID.
- In the case of a juristic person: An unabridged legal entity registration certificate and a resolution appointing the representative.
- A signed declaration form indicating that the applicant is not a public servant or a public office bearer.
- Applicants are expected to attend farm orientations and evaluation interview/s at the time and place determined by the department.
- All successful applicants will be required to undergo a skills assessment to identify skills gaps, after which, the department will assist with the necessary training.
- The application should indicate the number of livestock that the applicant owns, and their livestock-branding certificate, where applicable.
- **Shortlisted applicants are expected to attend a compulsory briefing session and site inspection at a venue, date and time to be communicated at a later stage.**
- If shortlisted, you will be required to avail yourself, your related farming machinery, equipment and your livestock (biological assets), where applicable, for verification purposes and attend evaluation interviews at the time and place determined by the department during which you will be expected to present a business plan/proposal based on the information gathered during the compulsory visit.
- If not contacted 90 days after closing date, kindly consider your application unsuccessful.

## GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES AND POLITICIANS HOLDING PUBLIC OFFICE DO NOT QUALIFY.

For further information, please visit [www.dalrrd.gov.za](http://www.dalrrd.gov.za) or/visit and/or call the office of the Department of Agriculture, Land Reform and Rural Development (Limpopo: 70 Hans van Rensburg Street, Polokwane or NTK Building, 4 Limpopo Street, Modimolle, Manaileng Building, Jane Furse and Old Mutual Building, Thohoyandou)

Applicants can also contact Khethukuthula Mahlangu on 071 855 8345, Tloporo Mojapelo on 082 334 6055 and Takalani Matamela on 071 607 7851 for further information.

Manual application forms may be downloaded from the department's website or accessed from the nearest office of the Department of Agriculture, Land Reform and Rural Development.



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Applications must be hand delivered to the department's offices no later than **24 February 2023 at 12:00**. All applications must be hand delivered, and applications received after the closing date will not be considered. Applicants who have previously applied are encouraged to re-apply.

