

Call for applications to participate in the

Rural Development Service Delivery Budget for 2022/23

The Department of Rural Development and Agrarian Reform invites all interested small Home Industry enterprises inclusive of Clothing and Textile, Value Adding and Processing, Arts and Craft and Bakeries to apply for support with equipment, material and general enterprise development endeavors. Home Industry Services aims at promoting socio- economic development through improved incomes, job creation, food security, nutrition and social and cultural well-being.

Qualifying Applicants

- Only South Africans can apply.
- Applicants must be from previously disadvantaged background group residing in the Eastern Cape Province.
- Preference will be given to registered cooperatives and that of youth, women, people with disabilities and military veterans.
- Only active enterprises will qualify. Subject to verification.



Requisite Documents

- Application form, obtainable at DRDAR offices and DRDAR website: www.drdar.gov.za
- Short profile of the enterprise
- Copies of Identity Documents of all enterprise members

What Can You Apply For:

- Sewing machines, equipment and material.
- Arts and Craft equipment and material.
- Bakery equipment
- Value adding and processing equipment.

Excluded From Application

- Outreach programmes that are supported with stipend by the Department of Social Development.
- Inactive projects/enterprises.
- Non-disclosure of previous government support towards the enterprise.

Terms and Conditions of Application

- Commitment to ensure effective and productive usage of all equipment and materials supplied.
- Give the Department access to financial, productions and sales records of the business.
- Commitment to allow the Department access to the enterprise for reporting and monitoring purposes.
- Commitment to participate in the capacity building and training programmes facilitated by the Departments and its commodity partners.

NB! Application forms are available in all DRDAR Offices and DRDAR Website (<u>www.drdar.gov.za</u>).



The deadline for application forms is 29 October 2021

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