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1. Purpose

The lodgement of rates clearance certificate by the City of Johannesburg with regard to Sectional title registrations.

Herewith find a letter from the City of Johannesburg which is self-explanatory.

2. Simultaneous transfers:-

Examiners please note that Johannesburg Municipality insist on the lodgement of a rates clearance certificate for the LAND on the OPENING of a sectional title scheme as well as a PHASE development where simultaneous transfers are registered irrespective of whether a Body Corporate has been established or not.

For all other areas no rates clearance certificate for the land is required for a phase development if a body Corporate has been established –see RC 11 of 2013.

3. Validity

Further note that this letter is only applicable to rates clearance certificates ' issued by the City of Johannesburg and the letter is only valued until 31 December 2014

DEEDS Date: