

Good afternoon colleagues,

Please note that the Draft Regulation of Trusts Bill was published for public comment on 7 August 2026 under Notice 4088 in Government Gazette No. 55166.

Attached hereto are copies of both the notice and the draft Bill for your consideration.

Kindly ensure that these documents are brought to the attention of all relevant stakeholders within your area of responsibility to facilitate the submission of comments and to encourage the broadest possible participation in the consultation process.

Comments must be submitted **no later than 11 September 2026 to Ms Virginia Letswalo** (VLetswalo@justice.gov.za) (see details in the attached copy of the GG)

Kind regards

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