# CERTIFICATE OF ACCREDITATION

In terms of section 22(2) (b) of the Accreditation for Conformity Assessment, Calibration and Good Laboratory Practice Act, 2006 (Act 19 of 2006), read with sections 23(1), (2) and (3) of the said Act, I hereby certify that:-

## **BEMLAB (PTY) LTD**

Co. Reg. No.: 1996/006836/07

Facility Accreditation Number: T0654

is a South African National Accreditation System accredited facility provided that all conditions and requirements are complied with

This certificate is valid as per the scope as stated in the accompanying schedule of accreditation, Annexure "A", bearing the above accreditation number for

### CHEMICAL AND MICROBIOLOGY ANALYSIS

The facility is accredited in accordance with the recognised International Standard

### ISO/IEC 17025:2017

The accreditation demonstrates technical competency for a defined scope and the operation of a quality management system

While this certificate remains valid, the Accredited Facility named above is authorised to use the relevant accreditation symbol to issue facility reports and/or certificates

Acting Chief Executive Officer

Effective Date: 29 June 2020 Certificate Expires: 30 June 2025

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#### ANNEXURE A

### SCHEDULE OF ACCREDITATION

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3132, 3114, 3117, 3113, 3118 3115, 3116 & 3119)

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| Material or Products Tested | Type of Tests / Properties<br>Measured,<br>Range of Measurement | Standard Specifications,<br>Techniques / Equipment Used             |
|-----------------------------|---|---|
| CHEMICAL                    |   |   |
| Soil                        | Determination of Boron (B)                                      | ICP-OES, Hot water extraction method (3114)                         |
|                             | Determination of Ca, K, Mg, Na                                  | ICP-OES, Ammonium Acetate extraction (3113)                         |
|                             | Determination of P  | ICP-OES, Bray I (3116), Bray II<br>(3117), Olsen (3118), extraction |
|                             | Determination of S  | ICP-OES, Calcium-Phosphate extraction method (3119)                 |
|                             | Determination of pH electrometrically                           | KCI method (3108)   |
|                             | Determination of Organic carbon                                 | Walkey – Black method (3107)  |
|                             | Determination of Titratable acidity                             | Titrimetric method (3109)   |
|                             | Determination of Cu, Zn, Mn                                     | EDTA extraction method (3115)                                       |
| Leaf and Fruit              | Determination of B, Ca, Cu, Fe, K, Mg,<br>Mn, Na, P and Zn      | ICP-OES, Dry Ashing extraction (3102 and 3094)                      |
|                             | Determination of N  | Leco Combustion (3127)  |

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Leaf Determination of S ICP-OES, Wet Digestion extraction (3104) Water (Drinking, Bottled, Determination of B, Ca, Cu, Fe, K, Mg, ICP-OES (3132) Borehole /Irrigation Mn, Na, P, S and Zn & Waste) **Determination of Electrical** EC Meter (3135) conductivity Gallery Discrete Analyser (4511) Determination of NH<sub>4</sub>, and NO<sub>3</sub>' NO<sub>2</sub> Determination of pH electrometrically pH Meter (3136) Determination of CO<sub>3</sub> HCO<sub>3</sub> Titrimetric method (3137) (alkalinity) **Determination of Chloride** Titrimetric method (3138) Determination of Chemical Oxygen Spectrophotometer (3289) Demand (COD) Determination of Heavy Metals: Al, ICP-OES (3225) As, Ba, Be, Cd, Co, Cr, Mo, Ni, PB, Sb, Se and V Water (Drinking, Bottled, **Determination of Electrical Automated Titrimetric Method** Borehole/Irrigation & Waste) conductivity, pH, CO<sub>3</sub>HCO<sub>3</sub> Total (3777)alkalinity **Determination of Chloride Automated Titrimetric Method** (3778)Gallery Discrete Analyser (6528) Determination of O-PO<sub>4</sub> **Determination of Turbidity** Turbidity meter (6458) **MICROBIOLOGY** Water (Drinking, Bottled, Borehole Escherichia coli and Total Coliform SOP 1454 (Colilert) & Waste) Count Faecal Coliform Count SOP 1454 (Colilert) **Total Plate Count** SOP 1454 (SANS 5221) Enumeration of Total Count, SOP 6386 (Membrane Filtration) Escherichia coli and Faecal Count Membrane Filtration

Original Date of Accreditation: 30 June 2015

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Acting Accreditation Manager