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**DEPARTMENT OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT**

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**NATIONAL FORESTS ACT, 1998 (ACT NO. 84 OF 1998)****THE PUBLICATION OF THE ANNUAL LIST OF ALL TREE SPECIES WHICH ARE PROTECTED UNDER SECTION 12 OF THE NATIONAL FORESTS ACT, 1998 (ACT NO. 84 OF 1998)**

I, Barbara Dallas Creecy, Minister of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment, hereby under section 15(3) of the National Forests Act, 1998 (Act No. 84 of 1998), give notice of my publication of the list of all protected tree species as indicated in the Schedule hereto.

The trees are declared protected in terms of section 12 of the National Forests Act, 1998 (Act No. 84 of 1998), and the effect of the declaration in terms of section 15(1) of the Act, is as follows:

- "(1) No person may -
- (a) cut, disturb, damage or destroy any protected tree; or
  - (b) possess, collect, remove, transport, export, purchase, sell, donate or in any other manner acquire or dispose of any protected tree, or any forest product derived from a protected tree,
- except -
- (i) under a licence granted by the Minister; or
  - (ii) in terms of an exemption from the provisions of this subsection published by the Minister in the Gazette on the advice of the Council."

In terms of section 62(2)(c) of the National Forests Act, 1998 (Act No. 84 of 1998), any person who contravenes section 15(1) of the Act, commits a first category offence. In terms of section 58(1) of that Act, a person who is guilty of a first category offence may be sentenced to a fine or imprisonment for a period of up to three years, or to a fine and such imprisonment.



**BARBARA DALLAS CREECY**  
**MINISTER OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT**

## SCHEDULE A

Botanical name	English common names	Other common names Afrikaans (A), Sepedi (P), Sesotho (S), Setswana (T), Tshivenda (V), isiXhosa (X), isiZulu (Z), Xitsonga (XT)	National tree number
<i>Adansonia digitata</i>	Baobab	Kremetart (A)/Seboi (NS)/Mowana (T)/Ximuwu (XT)	467
<i>Azelia quanzensis</i>	Pod mahogany	Peulmahonie (A)/Mutokota (V)/Inkehli (Z)	207
<i>Balanites</i> subsp. <i>maughamii</i>	Torchwood	Groending (A)/Ugobandlovu (Z)	251
<i>Barringtonia racemosa</i>	Powder-puff tree	Poeierkwasboom (A)/Iboqo (Z)	524
<i>Berchemia zeyheri</i>	Red Ivory Pink Ivory	Rooi-ivoor (A)/Rooihout (A)/ Monee (S)/umNeyi (SW)/umNini (Z, X)/Xiniyani (TS)/Moye (T) Munia-niane (V)	450
<i>Boscia albitrunca</i>	Shepherd's tree	Witgat (A)/Mohlôpi (NS)/Mothôpi (T)/ Muvhombwe (V)/Umqomogqomo (X)/Umvithi (Z)	122
<i>Brachystegia spiciformis</i>	Msasa	Msasa (A)	198.1
<i>Breonadia salicina</i>	Matumi	Mingerhout (A)/Mohlomé (NS)/Mutu-lume (V)/Umfomfo (Z)	684
<i>Bruguiera gymnorhiza</i>	Black mangrove	Swartwortelboom (A)/isiKhangati (X)/isiHlobane (Z)	527
<i>Cassipourea swaziensis</i>	Swazi onionwood	Swazi-ueihout (A)	531.1
<i>Catha edulis</i>	Bushman's tea	Boesmanstee (A)/Mohlatse (NS)/Iqgwaka (X)/Umhlwazi (Z)	404
<i>Ceriops tagal</i>	Indian mangrove	Indiese wortelboom (A)/isinkaha (Z)	525
<i>Cleistanthus schlechteri</i> var. <i>schlechteri</i>	False tamboti	Bastertambotie (A)/Umzithi (Z)	320
<i>Colubrina nicholsonii</i>	Pondo weeping thorn	Pondo-treuring (A)	453.8
<i>Combretum imberbe</i>	Leadwood	Hardekool (A)/Mohwelere-tšhipi (NS)/Motswiri (T)/Impondondlovu (Z)	539
<i>Curtisia dentata</i>	Assegai	Assegai (A)/Umgxina (X)/Umagunda (Z)	570
<i>Diospyros mespiliformis</i>	Jackal Berry (E)	Jakkalsbessie (A) Musuma (V) Muntoma (TS) Mgula (TS)	606
<i>Elaeodendron transvaalensis</i>	Bushveld saffron	Bosveld-saffraan (A)/Monomane (T)/Ingwavuma (Z)	416
<i>Erythrophysa transvaalensis</i>	Bushveld red balloon	Bosveld-rooiklapperbos (A)/Mofalatsane (T)	436.2
<i>Euclea pseudebenus</i>	Ebony guarri	Ebbeboom-ghwarrie (A)	598

<i>Ficus trichopoda</i>	Swamp fig	Moerasvy (A)/Umvubu (Z)	54
<i>Leucadendron argenteum</i>	Silver tree	Silwerboom (A)	77
<i>Lumnitzera racemosa</i> var. <i>racemosa</i>	Tonga mangrove	Tonga-wortelboom (A)/isiKhaha-esibomvu (Z)	552
<i>Lydenburgia abbotii</i>	Pondo bushman's tea	Pondo-boesmanstee (A)	407
<i>Lydenburgia cassinoides</i>	Sekhukhuni bushman's tea	Sekhukhuni-boesmanstee (A)	406
<i>Mimuspops caffra</i>	Coastal red milkwood	Kusrooimelkhout (A)/Umthunzi (X)/Umkhakhayi (Z)	583
<i>Newtonia hildebrandtii</i> var. <i>hildebrandtii</i>	Lebombo wattle	Lebombo-wattel (A)/Umfomothi (Z)	191
<i>Ocotea bullata</i>	Stinkwood	Stinkhout (A)/Umhlungulu (X)/Umnukane (Z)	118
<i>Ozoroa namaquensis</i>	Gariiep resin tree	Gariiep-harpuisboom (A)	373.2
<i>Philenoptera violacea</i>	Apple-leaf	Appelblaar (A)/Mphata (NS)/Mohata (T)/isiHomohomo (Z)	238
<i>Pittosporum viridiflorum</i>	Cheesewood	Kasuur (A)/Kgalagangwe (NS)/Umkhwenkwe (X)/Umfusamvu (Z)	139
<i>Podocarpus elongatus</i>	Breede River yellowwood	Breëriviergeelhout (A)	15
<i>Podocarpus falcatus</i> ( <i>Afrocarpus falcatus</i> )	Outeniqua yellowwood	Outniekwageelhout (A)/Mogôbagôba (NS)/Umkhoba (X)/Umsonti (Z)	16
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<i>Prunus africana</i>	Red stinkwood	Rooistinkhout (A)/Umkhakhase (X)/Umdumezulu (Z)	147
<i>Pterocarpus angolensis</i>	Wild teak	Kiaat (A)/Morôto (NS)/Mokwa (T)/Mutondo (V)/Umvangazi (Z)	236
<i>Rhizophora mucronata</i>	Red mangrove	Rooiwortelboom (A)/isiKhangathi (X)/Umhlume (Z)	526
<i>Schinziophyton rautanenii</i>	Manketti (E)	Mankettiboom (A) Monghônghông (T) Mokongwa (T) Mongongo (E)	337
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A=AFRIKAANS, E=ENGLISH, SW= SWATI, T=TSWANA, TS=TSONGA, V=VENDA, X=XHOSA, Z=ZULU, S=SEPEDE

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