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### KZN CIRCULAR NO 47 OF 2026

#### **WITHDRAWAL OF PARTS OF KZN CIRCULAR 60 AND 64 OF 2025 ON THE PROCUREMENT OF TEXTBOOKS AND STATIONERY FOR 2025 ACADEMIC YEAR: GRADES 1 – 12: FOR CENTRAL PROCUREMENT AND FOR SCHOOLS WITH FUNCTION C THAT OPT FOR SCHOOL-BASED PURCHASING**

1. This circular communicates the withdrawal of the financial directive as they appear on KZN Circular No. 60 of 2025; paragraph 2.2 and KZN Circular No. 64 of 2025; paragraph 2.1.
2. The said paragraphs were providing the breakdown of the 60% LTSM allocation as follows:
  - Textbooks – 30%
  - Stationery - 50%
  - Other LTSM Resources - 20%
3. After thorough analysis, the above breakdown is hereby withdrawn, and the breakdown for 60% LTSM allocation for 2025/6 remains as per ***KZN Circular 49 of 2025*** already issued and distributed to schools as follows:
  - Textbooks – 30%
  - Stationery - 40%
  - Other LTSM Resources - 30%
4. Any inconvenience caused by this breakdown is highly regretted.

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