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PETROLEUM ACT [*CHAPTER 13:22*]

Adoption of Revised Unleaded Petrol RON 93 Specifications ZWS 753:2020

NOTICE is hereby given that the Minister of Energy and Power Development, after consultation with the Zimbabwe Energy Regulatory Authority, has adopted the revised ZWS 753:2020 (Unleaded Petrol) standard, as the standard for unleaded petrol RON 93 and that, with effect from 1st June, 2023, all fuel importers shall be expected to import only unleaded petrol that meets or exceeds specifications laid out in the revised standard.

The revised standard ZWS 753:2020 allows for the importation of cleaner and superior unleaded petrol that is compatible with modern and improved vehicle technologies and eliminates vapour lock problems previously encountered at service stations.

The consequence of this revised ZWS 753:2020 standard is that unleaded petrol meeting the old standard specifications will be gradually phased out over a period of two months and by 1st June, 2023, no fuel licensee shall be allowed to import, distribute or sell unleaded petrol not meeting the revised ZWS 753:2020 standard.

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HON. Z. SODA,
Minister of Energy and Power Development.