

# Regulatory Roundup Dashboard

Gazette Watch Highlights (8 – 13 Oct 2026) and Newsflash Highlights (12 – 16 Oct 2026) · Lee's Compliance in association with The Legal Team

Deadline figures calculated as at 19 October 2026

Gazette notices covered

14

As stated in the highlights

Newsflash stories

8

Featured in the highlights

Open deadlines

24

Comment, objection & filing dates

Closing within 7 days

5

Act on these first

## Gazette notices by category

| Category                        | Notices |
|---------------------------------|---------|
| International Trade & Customs   | 4       |
| Built Environment & Professions | 2       |
| Transport & Aviation            | 2       |
| Competition                     | 1       |
| Electronic Communications       | 1       |
| Environment & Conservation      | 1       |
| Labour                          | 1       |
| Public Governance               | 1       |
| Standards                       | 1       |

Total notices14

## Gazette by action type

| Action type     | Notices |
|-----------------|---------|
| In force        | 6       |
| Representations | 4       |
| Comment         | 2       |
| Submissions     | 1       |
| Information     | 1       |

## Marketing priority (both sources)

| Priority | Items |
|----------|-------|
| High     | 9     |
| Medium   | 7     |
| Low      | 6     |

## Next 10 deadlines

| What                                                                                              | Date        | Days left | Status |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|-----------|--------|
| SARS filing deadline: non-provisional individual taxpayers                                        | 23 Oct 2026 | 4         | Urgent |
| Nominations: Northern Cape CET College council                                                    | 23 Oct 2026 | 4         | Urgent |
| Representations/objections: last week's domestic air service and road carrier applications        | 23 Oct 2026 | 4         | Urgent |
| Comments: eight QCTO occupational qualifications                                                  | 26 Oct 2026 | 7         | Urgent |
| Comments: draft land transport amendments                                                         | 26 Oct 2026 | 7         | Urgent |
| Representations: Smile Telecoms licence transfer (Sporic Solutions)                               | 27 Oct 2026 | 8         | Soon   |
| Comments: Electricity Market Transformation Position Paper and Revised Electricity Pricing Policy | 28 Oct 2026 | 9         | Soon   |
| Representations: Smile Communications licence transfer to Suntech (confirm date with ICASA)       | 30 Oct 2026 | 11        | Soon   |
| Representations: new and amended domestic air service licences                                    | 30 Oct 2026 | 11        | Soon   |
| Comments: both USAASA discussion documents (16h00)                                                | 30 Oct 2026 | 11        | Soon   |

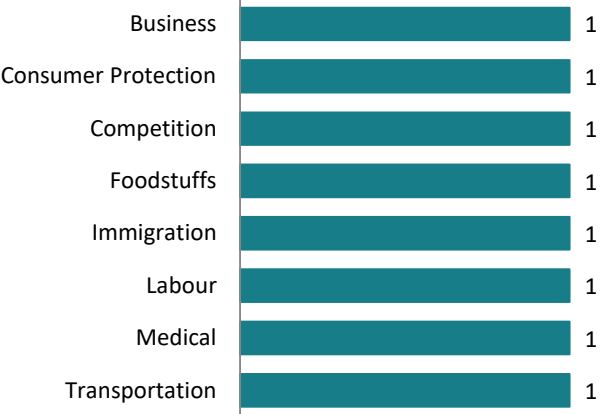
Newsflash stories by sector

| Sector              | Stories |
|---------------------|---------|
| Business            | 1       |
| Consumer Protection | 1       |
| Competition         | 1       |
| Foodstuffs          | 1       |
| Immigration         | 1       |
| Labour              | 1       |
| Medical             | 1       |
| Transportation      | 1       |

Gazette notices by category



Newsflash stories by sector



Top marketing hooks this week

|                                 |                                                                                                                                               |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Merger conditions: new Rule 39  | In force 13 Oct. Comply within 10 business days of a CC 19 notice, and prove it with evidence. Featured in both Gazette Watch and Newsflash.  |
| Civil Aviation Amendment Act    | In force 12 Oct after four years: independent accident investigation, SACAA environmental oversight, security programmes must be implemented. |
| Steel & fastener trade remedies | Steel anti-dumping duties of up to 57.23% restated back to 19 March. Alleged 125% dumping margin on Chinese hexagon nuts; submit by 6 Nov.    |
| 879 vehicles recalled           | Hino 700, Audi Q3 and Hyundai Santa Fe hybrid recalls over bolt and seatbelt defects. Fleet operators should check their lists now.           |
| Driving licences not ID         | Draft traffic regulation changes would remove licences and TRNs as ID. KYC and onboarding processes will be affected.                         |
| Building Regulations Bill       | Comment re-opened until 12 Nov: a fresh window for developers, built-environment professionals and municipalities.                            |