Certification that the Final Adjustment Budget for 2023/24 is correctly captured and locked on the municipality's financial management system

(as requested by National Treasury in terms of section 74 of the MFMA, with reference to paragraph 6.3 of MFMA Budget Circular 59 dated 07/June/2019)

I MTHEMBU MABONO in my capacity as accounting officer of the municipality, hereby certify that:

- The adopted Draft Annual Budget has been captured on the municipality's financial system;
- There is 100 per cent reconciliation between the budget on the system and the budget adopted by council;
- The adopted Draft Annual budget on the municipality's financial system is locked and will
 not be changed as it serves as the baseline against which to monitor and measure
 performance; and
- The relevant Draft Annual budget return forms have been submitted to the local government database.

I, further certify that the municipality has in place controls to ensure that any changes to the adopted Annual adjustment budget will be captured separately and only in accordance with:

- a virement authorised by the municipal manager, or duly delegate official, in terms of a council approved virements policy; and
- an Final Annual Adjusted budget approved by council.

Print Name

Mr. M. MABONO

Municipal Manager of Intsikayethu Local Municipality (EC135)

(name and demarcation code of municipality)

Signature

Date

This certificate must be submitted to National Treasury by close of business 15 March 2024 at the following email address: lgdocuments@treasury.gov.za.

Also send copies to the Auditor General and the relevant provincial treasury