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COVID-19 VACCINE PROGRAMME MANAGERS  
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**RETRACTION OF CIRCULAR: VACCINATION OF SPECIAL GROUPS AND INDIVIDUALS  
AGAINST COVID-19**

1. Following the circular on the vaccination of special groups and individuals against Covid-19 there have been numerous comments, queries and submissions that indicate that the Circular is unclear in its intentions.
2. The Circular is withdrawn in its entirety.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Nicholas Crisp'.

**DR NICHOLAS CRISP (DEPUTY DIRECTOR GENERAL: NHI)**

**For DR SSS BUTHELEZI  
DIRECTOR-GENERAL: HEALTH  
DATE: 06 July 2021**