

DEMARCATIION INSTRUCTIONS, 21 MARCH 2003

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The Commission issues the following first set of technical instructions regarding demarcation:

### **Straight line boundaries**

1. Where there is a straight line boundary between turning points, any intermediate boundary pillars shall be placed on the boundary line, so that it falls across the tops of the boundary pillars.

### **Towns of Zalambessa and Tserona**

2. The demarcation team will submit the Ethiopian proposal for the boundary around the town of Zalambessa to Eritrea for comment.

3. The demarcation team shall invite Eritrea to prepare a draft boundary for the town of Tserona. The demarcation team shall then submit that draft boundary to Ethiopia for comment.

### **Identification of pillar sites in Eastern Sector**

4. The requirements for identifying pillar sites in this sector are:

- (a) Helicopter access to pillar and associated marker site;
- (b) Practicability of the site for emplacing the pillar and associated markers;
- (c) Maintenance of an area balance between the line joining the final chosen sites compared to the original delimitation line of 13 April 2002 in the order of 3 per cent;
- (d) Determination of the midpoint between the pre-conflict Eritrean and Ethiopian customs posts on the road near Bure;
- (e) A reinstatement of the original pillar emplaced by the French on Mousa'ali in the course of the original demarcation of the Djibouti-Ethiopia border.

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## **DEMARCATIION INSTRUCTIONS, 22 AUGUST 2003**

The Commission issues the following second set of technical instructions regarding demarcation:

### **Towns of Tserona and Zalambessa**

1. The demarcation team shall take the fullest account of the proposed boundaries in the Parties' comments on Tserona and Zalambessa and the instructions in Paragraph 14 E of the Demarcation Directions, and shall prepare a report on these towns.

### **Identification of pillar sites**

#### **Salt Lake**

2. The demarcation team shall identify the edge of the Salt Lake in the neighbourhood of Point 31 and fix the position of that point accordingly.

#### **Ragali Delta**

3. The demarcation team shall fix the position of Point 30 between the banks of the Ragali.

#### **Ragali Gorge**

4. The demarcation team shall fix the position of the pillar site as close as possible to Point 29 so as to ensure that both Parties have continuous access to the waters of the Ragali.

#### **Points 26, 23 and 22**

5. With respect to Points 26, 23, and 22, the boundary shall be located at the intersection of the main channel of each tributary with a line joining the