



small business  
development  
Department:  
Small Business Development  
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

# BUSINESS GROWTH/ RESILIENCE FACILITIES



## BENEFITTING SMMES

Businesses geared to take advantage of supply opportunities resulting from the Coronavirus pandemic or shortage of goods in the local market.



## QUALIFYING CRITERIA

- The business must have been registered with CIPC by at least 28 February 2020;
- Company must be 100% owned by South African Citizens;
- Employees must be 70% South Africans;
- Priority will be given to businesses owned by Women, Youth and People with Disabilities;
- Be registered and compliant with SARS and UIF;
- For non-compliant Micro businesses, Seda will assist them to comply and request for assistance must be sent to: [growthfund@seda.org.za](mailto:growthfund@seda.org.za);
- Registration on the National SMME Database: <https://smmesa.gov.za/>
- Complete the simplified online application form available from [www.dsbd.gov.za](http://www.dsbd.gov.za); [www.sefa.org.za](http://www.sefa.org.za): <https://seda.org.za>
- CIPC Registration Documents;
- FICA documents (e.g. Municipal accounts, letter from traditional authority);
- ID Copies of Directors/members;
- 3 months Bank Statements;
- Latest Annual Financial Statements or Management Accounts not older than three months from date of application;
- Business Profile;
- 6 months Cash Flow Projections – where applicable;
- Relevant Industry Certification – where applicable;
- Estimations for funding requested.



## APPLICATION PROCESS

- Register on <https://smmesa.gov.za/>
- Complete online Application Form (to be released on Thursday, 02 April 2020);
- Upload Required Supporting Documents



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