

#### MERCEDES-BENZ SOUTH AFRICA LIMITED

(Pretoria, Republic of South Africa)
as Issuer
unconditionally and irrevocably guaranteed by

#### **DAIMLER AG**

(Stuttgart, Federal Republic of Germany) as Guarantor

# Issue of ZAR1,000,000,000 Senior Unsecured Floating Rate Notes due 27 March 2022 Under its ZAR35,000,000,000 Domestic Medium Term Note Programme

This Applicable Pricing Supplement must be read in conjunction with the amended and restated Programme Memorandum dated 19 December 2018, prepared by Mercedes-Benz South Africa Limited in connection with the Mercedes-Benz South Africa Limited ZAR35,000,000,000 Domestic Medium Term Note Programme, as amended and/or supplemented from time to time (the **Programme Memorandum**).

Any capitalised terms not defined in this Applicable Pricing Supplement shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the section of the Programme Memorandum headed "*Terms and Conditions of the Notes*".

This document constitutes the Applicable Pricing Supplement relating to the issue of Notes described herein. The Notes described herein are issued on and subject to the Terms and Conditions as amended and/or supplemented by the Terms and Conditions contained in this Applicable Pricing Supplement. To the extent that there is any conflict or inconsistency between the contents of this Applicable Pricing Supplement and the Programme Memorandum, the provisions of this Applicable Pricing Supplement shall prevail.

## **PARTIES**

1.	Issuer	Mercedes-Benz South Africa Limited
2.	Guarantor	Daimler AG
3.	Dealer	FirstRand Bank Limited, acting through its Rand Merchant Bank division
4.	JSE Debt Sponsor	The Standard Bank of South Africa Limited, acting through its Corporate and Investment Banking division
5.	Paying Agent	FirstRand Bank Limited, acting through its Rand Merchant Bank division
	Specified Office	1 Merchant Place, Cnr Fredman Drive and Rivonia Road, Sandton 2196
6.	Calculation Agent	FirstRand Bank Limited, acting through its Rand Merchant Bank division
	Specified Office	1 Merchant Place, Cnr Fredman Drive and Rivonia Road, Sandton 2196
7.	Transfer Agent	Computershare Investor Services Proprietary Limited

Specified Office Rosebank Towers, 15 Biermann Avenue, Rosebank 2196 8. Settlement Agent FirstRand Bank Limited, acting through its Rand Merchant Bank division 1 Merchant Place, Cnr Fredman Drive and Specified Office Rivonia Road, Sandton 2196 9. **Issuer Agent** Computershare Investor Services Proprietary Limited Specified Office Rosebank Towers, 15 Biermann Avenue, Rosebank, 2196 PROVISIONS RELATING TO THE NOTES 10. Status of Notes Senior Unsecured 11. Form of Notes Listed Notes, issued in uncertificated form and held by the CSD 12. Series Number 48 13. **Tranche Number** 1 **Aggregate Nominal Amount:** 14. Series ZAR1,000,000,000 (a) ZAR1,000,000,000 (b) Tranche Interest 15. Interest-bearing 16. Interest Payment Basis Floating Rate N/A 17. Automatic/Optional Conversion from one Interest/Redemption/Payment Basis to another 18. Issue Date 27 March 2019 19. Nominal Amount per Note ZAR1,000,000 20. Specified Denomination ZAR1,000,000 21. **Specified Currency** ZAR 22. 100% Issue Price 23. Interest Commencement Date 27 March 2019 24. Maturity Date 27 March 2022 25. Applicable Business Day Following Business Day Convention 26. Final Redemption Amount 100% 27. Last Day to Register By 17h00 on 16 June, 16 September, 16 December and 16 March, or if such day is not a Business Day, the Business Day before each Books Closed Period, in each year until the **Maturity Date** 28. Books Closed Period(s) The Register will be closed from 17 June to 26 June, 17 September to 26 September, 17 December to 26 December and 17 March to 26 March (all dates inclusive) in each year until the **Maturity Date FIXED RATE NOTES** N/A

#### **FLOATING RATE NOTES**

29. (a) Floating Interest Payment Date(s)

27 June, 27 September, 27 December and 27 March of each year until the Maturity Date, or, if such day is not a Business Day, the Business Day on which interest will be paid, as determined in accordance with the applicable business day convention (as specified in this Applicable Pricing Supplement) with the first Floating Interest Payment Date being 27 June 2019, or, if such day is not a Business Day, the Business Day on which interest will be paid, as determined in accordance with the Applicable Business Day Convention

(b) Interest Period(s)

From and including the applicable Floating Interest Payment Date and ending on but excluding the following Floating Interest Payment Date, the first Interest Period commencing on the Interest Commencement Date and ending the day before the next Floating Interest Payment Date (each Floating Interest Payment Date as adjusted in accordance with the Applicable Business Day Convention, as specified in this Applicable Pricing Supplement)

(c) Definition of Business Day (if different from that set out in Condition 1) (Interpretation)

N/A

(d) Minimum Rate of Interest

N/A

(e) Maximum Rate of Interest

N/A

(f) Other terms relating to the method of calculating interest (e.g.: Day Count Fraction, rounding up provision)

N/A

 Rate of interest and manner in which the Rate of Interest is to be determined Screen Rate Determination (Reference Rate plus Margin)

31. Margin

105 basis points to be added to Reference Rate

- 32. If Screen Determination:
  - (a) Reference Rate (including relevant period by reference to which the Rate of Interest is to be calculated)

3 Month JIBAR

(b) Interest Rate Determination Date(s)

27 June, 27 September, 27 December and 27 March of each year until the Maturity Date, with the first Interest Rate Determination Date being 20 March 2019.

(c) Relevant Screen Page and Reference Code

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33.	If Rate of Interest to be calculated otherwise than by ISDA Determination or Screen Determination, insert basis for determining Rate of Interest/Margin/ Fallback provisions	N/A	
34.	Calculation Agent responsible for calculating amount of principal and interest	N/A	
ZERO COUPON NOTES		N/A	
OTHE	R NOTES	N/A	
PROVISIONS REGARDING REDEMPTION/MATURITY			
35.	Redemption at the Option of the Issuer	No	
36.	Redemption at the Option of the Noteholders	No	
37.	Early Redemption Amount(s) payable on redemption for taxation reasons pursuant to Condition 11.2 (Redemption for Tax Reasons), on redemption at the option of the Issuer pursuant to Condition 11.3 (Redemption at the Option of the Issuer), on redemption at the option of the Noteholders pursuant to Condition 11.4 (Redemption at the Option of the Noteholders), or on Event of Default pursuant to Condition 17 (Events of Default) (if required or if different from that set out in the relevant Conditions)	Yes	
GENE	ERAL		
38.	Financial Exchange	Interest Rate Market of the JSE	
39.	Additional selling restrictions	N/A	
40.	ISIN No.	ZAG000157900	
41.	Stock Code	MBP048	
42.	Stabilising manager	N/A	

N/A

time; and

time

Private Placement

Aaa.za with P-1 (Moody's) as at 12 May 2016,

which ratings shall be reviewed from time to

AAA(zaf) with F1+ (Fitch) as at 2 June 2016, which ratings shall be reviewed from time to

43.

44.

45.

Provisions relating to stabilisation

Programme (if any), date of such

rating and date for review of such

Credit Rating assigned to the

Method of distribution

rating

46. Credit Rating assigned to the Guarantor (if any), date of such rating and date for review of such rating

A2 with P-1 (stable outlook) (Moody's) as at 3 February 2017, which ratings shall be reviewed from time to time;

A with A-1 (stable outlook) (S&P) as at 2 November 2016, which ratings may be reviewed from time to time; and

A- with F2 (stable outlook) (Fitch) as at 3 June 2015, which ratings may be reviewed from time to time

47. Applicable Rating Agency

Moody's Investor Services Limited (Programme

and Guarantor);

Fitch Ratings Ltd (Programme and Guarantor);

and

Standard & Poor's (Guarantor)

48. Governing law (if the laws of South Africa are not applicable)

N/A

49. Other provisions

N/A

# DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS IN TERMS OF PARAGRAPH 3(5) OF THE COMMERCIAL PAPER REGULATIONS IN RELATION TO THIS ISSUE OF NOTES

50. Paragraph 3(5)(a)

The "ultimate borrower" (as defined in the Commercial Paper Regulations) is the Issuer.

51. Paragraph 3(5)(b)

The Issuer is a going concern and can in all circumstances be reasonably expected to meet its commitments under the Notes.

52. Paragraph 3(5)(c)

The auditor of the Issuer is KPMG Incorporated.

53. <u>Paragraph 3(5)(d)</u>

As at the date of this issue:

- (i) the Issuer has issued ZAR28,150,000,000 (excluding this issuance and the MBP049 series notes) Commercial Paper (as defined in the Commercial Paper Regulations) (which amount includes Notes issued under the Previous Programme Memoranda); and
- (ii) the Issuer estimates that it may issue ZAR8,000,000,000 further Commercial Paper during the current financial year, ending 31 December 2019.

### 54. Paragraph 3(5)(e)

All information that may reasonably be necessary to enable the investor to ascertain the nature of the financial and commercial risk of its investment in the Notes is contained in the Programme Memorandum and the Applicable Pricing Supplement.

55. Paragraph 3(5)(f)

There has been no material adverse change in the Issuer's financial position since the date of its last audited financial statements.

56. <u>Paragraph 3(5)(g)</u>

The Notes issued will be listed.

## 57. Paragraph 3(5)(h)

The funds to be raised through the issue of the Notes are to be used by the Issuer for its general corporate purposes.

## 58. Paragraph 3(5)(i)

The obligations of the Issuer in respect of the Notes are guaranteed in terms of the Guarantee provided by the Guarantor but are otherwise unsecured.

### 59. Paragraph 3(5)(i)

KPMG Incorporated, the statutory Auditor of the Issuer, have confirmed that their review did not reveal anything which indicates / nothing has come to their attention to indicate that this issue of Notes issued under the Programme will not comply in all respects with the relevant provisions of the Commercial Paper Regulations.

## Responsibility:

The Issuer certifies that to the best of its knowledge and belief there are no facts that have been omitted from the Programme Memorandum or this Applicable Pricing Supplement which would make any statement false or misleading, that all reasonable enquiries to ascertain such facts have been made and that the Programme Memorandum together with the Applicable Pricing Supplement contain all information required by law and the Debt Listings Requirements of the JSE. The Issuer accepts full responsibility for the accuracy of the information contained in the Programme Memorandum, this Applicable Pricing Supplement and all documents incorporated by reference and any amendments or supplements to the aforementioned documents (see the section of the Programme Memorandum headed "Documents Incorporated by Reference").

The JSE takes no responsibility for the contents of the placing document, the annual financial statements, annual report and this Applicable Pricing Supplement of the Issuer and any amendments or supplements to the aforementioned documents. The JSE makes no representation as to the accuracy or completeness of the placing document and the annual financial statements, the annual report or this Applicable Pricing Supplement of the Issuer and any amendments or supplements to the aforementioned documents and expressly disclaims any liability for any loss arising from or in reliance upon the whole or any part of the aforementioned documents. The JSE's approval of the registration of the placing document and listing of the debt securities is not to be taken in any way as an indication of the merits of the Issuer or of the debt securities and to the extent permitted by law, the JSE will not be liable for any claim whatsoever.

As at the date of this Applicable Pricing Supplement, the Issuer confirms that the authorised Programme Amount of ZAR35,000,000,000 has not been exceeded.

Application is hereby made to list this issue of Notes on 27 March 2019.

SIGNED at PIA & EAST LINOUN on this 22 day of March 2019

For and on behalf of

MERCEDES-BENZ SOUTH AFRICA LIMITED

Name: CCC Capacity: Director

Who warrants his/her authority hereto

Name: A ENVI INC.
Capacity: Director

Who warrants his/her authority hereto