

## Decision

[ZA2019-0370]

.ZA ALTERNATE DISPUTE RESOLUTION  
REGULATIONS (GG41237)

### ADJUDICATOR'S SUMMARY DECISION

CASE NUMBER:	<b>ZA2019-0370</b>
DECISION DATE:	<b>07 June 2019</b>
DOMAIN NAMES:	<b>firstnational-bank.co.za fnbbank.co.za fnbhomeloans.co.za</b>
THE DOMAIN NAME REGISTRANT:	<b>Dom Force</b>
REGISTRANT'S LEGAL COUNSEL:	<b>None</b>
THE COMPLAINANT:	<b>FirstRand Bank Limited</b>
COMPLAINANT'S LEGAL COUNSEL:	<b>Adams &amp; Adams - Nishan Singh</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup> LEVEL ADMINISTRATOR:	<b>ZACR</b>

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## 1. The Parties

### Complainant:

#### **FirstRand Bank Limited**

1<sup>st</sup> Floor, 4 Merchant Place  
Corner Fredman Drive and Rivonia Road  
Sandton, Gauteng, RSA

### Registrant:

#### **Dom Force**

Suite 508, Marina Towers  
Newtown Barracks Road  
Belize City, Belize

- 2. The Domain Names:**                   **FIRSTNATIONAL-BANK.CO.ZA**  
                                                         **FNBBANK.CO.ZA**  
                                                         **FNBHOMELOANS.CO.ZA**

- 3. Notification of Complaint**       (18 April 2019)

I am satisfied that the Registrant did not submit a response to the dispute in terms of Regulation 18(1) and that all reasonable steps to notify the Registrant of the dispute in accordance with Regulation 18(4)(a) read with Regulation 15(1) have been taken.

Yes                    No

## 4. Rights

The Complainant has, to my reasonable satisfaction, shown rights in a name or mark which is identical or similar to the domain names.

Yes                    No

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**5. Abusive Registration**

The Complainant has, to my reasonable satisfaction, shown that the domain names are abusive registrations in the hands of the Registrant.

Yes       No

**6. Other Factors**

I am satisfied that there are no other factors or circumstances present that would render the decision in this matter unfair.

Yes       No

**7. Comments (Optional)**

None

**8. Decision**

For all the foregoing reasons, in accordance with Regulation 9(1)(a), the Adjudicator orders that the domain names firstnational-bank.co.za, fnbbank.co.za and fnbhomeloans.co.za be transferred to the Complainant.

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