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DISCONTINUATION OF ELECTRICITY SUPPLY TO EMALAHLENI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

Eskom Holdings SOC Limited hereby notifies all parties who are likely to be materially and adversely affected by the contemplated discontinuation of electricity supply to Emalahleni Local Municipality on 20 November 2017 and continuing indefinitely, following Emalahleni Local Municipality's failure to settle on due dates an amount totalling R1 190 746 629, (one billion one hundred and ninety million seven hundred and forty six thousand and six hundred and twenty nine rand) for the supply of electricity, part of which has been outstanding and in escalation since January 2012 ("the electricity debt"). This amount is the arrear debts as on 29 January 2016.

The contemplated interruption of electricity supply will result in temporary scheduled disconnections at the following times:

Monday to Friday	Saturday and Sunday
06:00-10:00	07:00-10:00
17:00-21:00	17:00-20:00

Eskom is obliged to supply electricity on a financially sustainable basis. The failure of Emalahleni Local Municipality to pay its electricity account timeously has jeopardised the financial sustainability of supplying electricity to the below mentioned towns/municipal areas.

Eskom hereby invites all parties to submit written comments on or before the date specified below indicating why Eskom should or should not proceed with the planned disconnection.

The following towns/municipal areas will be affected by the planned disconnection, except those directly supplied by Eskom.

- The Ridge Casino, Highveld Mall, Blanchville/Jackaroo Park/Clearwater Estates, Die Heuwel Ext 4, Highveld Park, Model Park, River Crescent Centre, Seekoeiwater Plots, Ben Fleur, Duvha Park Extensions, Del Judor Extensions, Klipfontein, Witbank Ext 8, 41 & 5, Bankenveld, Tasbet Park Ext 12, Witbank Dam, Corridor Hill, N4 Business, Reyno Ridge, Dixon Plots, Witbank Ext 16, Tasbet Park Ext 1
- Thubelihle, Ferrobank Industrial and Kwa-Thomas Mahlanguville
- Witbank CD, Schoongezicht, Klarinet Industrial (Abbatoir), Tasbet Park Ext 2 and 3, Witbank Ext 66, 16 and 41, Duvha Park Extensions, Evergreen, Protea Hotel Jelicoe Street and Moth Cottages Retirement Village
- KwaGuqa Extensions, Hlanlankahle Extensions and Siqobile, Ogles Township, Phola Township
- Ganala/Kriel Town and Thubelihle Township

The submissions/comments or requests for further information should be submitted to:

Senior Manager: Customer Services
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Postal address: PO Box 579, Nelspruit 1200
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Closing date for submissions will be end of business on 19 October 2017. Please take note that comments received after the closing date will not be considered.

Such comments and submissions will be considered, and the final decision will be published in a notice 9 November 2017.

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