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PUBLIC REVIEW OF DRAFT EIA REPORT:

WASTE MANAGEMENT LICENCE FOR ASH DAM EXTENSION 3 AT KOMATI POWER STATION

Please find attached the <u>draft</u> Environmental Impact Assessment (DEIR) Report for the Ash Dam Extension 3 at the Komati Power Station. The project is subject to a Waste Management Licence application for which an Environmental Impact Assessment was undertaken. The DEIR will be made available to Interested and Affected Parties (IAPs) for review and comment from 22 February 2013 until 14 March 2013.

Please place this report at the reception desk of the Eskom Security Office so that members of the public can read it if they are interested. Please do not allow anyone to remove the report from the reception desk.

Please note that exemption has been granted from the Department of Environmental Affairs (DEA) to reduce the public review period to 21 days. If you or members of the public would like to comment on the report please ensure that the comments reach us on or before the 14 March 2013. All comments received will be included with the report at submission to the DEA. Please submit your comments to Matthew Hemming at **Synergistics Environmental Services (Pty) Ltd.** Post: P.O. Box 68221, Bryanston, 2021, RSA; fax: (011) 326-4118; or email: matthew@synergistics.co.za.

Kind Regards,

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