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Dear Stakeholder

## NOTICE OF STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT PROCESS: ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT PROCESS FOR THE PROPOSED USED FUEL TRANSIENT INTERIM STORAGE FACILITY AT KOEBERG NUCLEAR POWER STATION

Eskom proposes to construct a Transient Interim Storage Facility (TISF) for the temporary storage of dry casks at Koeberg Nuclear Power Station (KNPS) to accommodate used nuclear fuel from the reactors for the operational life of the power station, thereby ensuring the continued operation of KNPS. SRK Consulting (South Africa) (Pty) Ltd (SRK) has been appointed to undertake the Scoping and Environmental Impact Reporting (S&EIR - often referred to as the Environmental Impact Assessment [EIA]) process required in terms of the National Environmental Management Act 107 of 1998 (NEMA) and the EIA Regulations, 2014.

The enclosed Background Information Document (BID) provides further information about the proposed project, as well as the planned EIA and stakeholder engagement processes. Stakeholders are invited to register on the project database and submit initial written comments, queries, or concerns with regard to the proposed project. To register on the project database, stakeholders must provide their name, contact details (specifying their preferred method of notification, e.g. email) along with any comments they may have, and an indication of any direct business, financial, personal, or other interest which they have in the application, to the contact person indicated below by 9 November 2015. A Registration and Comment Form is enclosed for this purpose, although comments can be submitted in any format. Please note that only registered stakeholders will be notified of future meetings and opportunities to comment on relevant documentation. Please distribute this notification and BID to any other parties who may be interested in the project and the EIA process.

A Public Open Day, where the project will be discussed, will be held at the Koeberg Visitors Centre from 15:00 until 19:00 on Tuesday, 27 October 2015. Stakeholders are invited to attend the Open Day anytime between the above times, and are requested to confirm their intention to attend the Open Day with the contact person below. Proof of ID will be required for access to the KNPS site.

For further information please see the attached BID, or contact Jessica du Toit at SRK Consulting: Tel: 021 659 3060; Fax: 021 685 7105; or email: jedutoit@srk.co.za

Yours faithfully,

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