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Ga-Mathipa Tribal Office Driekop 1129

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Dear Secretary

## RE: NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF DRAFT SCOPING REPORT AND THE REQUEST FOR COMMUNITY MEETING FOR THE PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT OF 1X400kV WITKOP-MAPHUTHA POWERLINE WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF SEKHUKHUNE AND CAPRICON DISTRICT MUNICIPALITIES IN LIMPOPO PROVINCE

This letter serves to inform you that Eskom Holdings SOC Limited proposes to undertake the development of approximately 170km 1x400kV powerline and associated infrastructure within the jurisdiction of Sekhukhune and Capricon District municipalities in Limpopo province. The proposed powerline forms part of the bigger strengthening plans to meet future demand, strengthen and enhance network reliability within the province.

## PUBLIC REVIEW OF THE DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT

As an Interested and Affected you are hereby notified of the availability of the draft Scoping Report for review and comment within 30 days from the date of this letter. Copies of the reports are available at the following addresses:

| Venue                      | Address   | Contact                        |
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| Steelpoort Public Library  | Steelpoort                                      | The Librarian<br>083 881 2023  |
| Durgerofert Dublie Librery | Ga-mapudile next to Kgahlanong Secondary School |                                |
| Burgersfort Public Library | Cnr Kort and Eddie Sedibe Street<br>Burgersfort | The Librarian<br>013 231 1292  |
| Nsovo Website              | www.nsovo.co.za                                 | Rejoice Aphane<br>011 041 3689 |

## **REQUEST FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION MEETING**

Subsequently, we kindly request to have a public participation meeting with the Tribal Council and the Community of Ga-Mathipa on Thursday the 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2018 at 09:00 - 11:00. We suggest starting the meeting with the Tribal Council from 08:00 - 09:00 and later joined by the public from 09:00 - 11:00.

The objectives of the meeting are as follows:

- Inform and update I&APs of the proposed development;
- Discuss the legislative process followed;
- Present the findings of the Specialist Reports;
- Provide an opportunity for I&APs to seek further clarity on the project;
- To record issues, comments and concerns; and
- Allow for interaction between I&APs and the Project team.

For further information, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.



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Kind Regards

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