



NEW YEAR: Greater Tzaneen Mayor, Maripe Mangena with Cassius Machimana, Moses Mahasha, mothers of the newborns and Van Velden staff on New Years day.

## New bundles of joy

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It was all joy and laughter in Hospitals and Clinics around the district on Christmas day when the little bundles of joy were born.

Letaba Hospital recorded nine Christmas babies and four New Year babies.

Meanwhile Van Velden Hospital, had four babies and five babies on New Years day. Medi Clinic Tzaneen only had one

newborn and four New Year babies.

The following Christmas baby records were done at midday, which recorded the following Hospitals; Dr C.N Phatudi Three, Sekororo Six, Kgapane six, Maphutha five and Nkhensani seven.

"We would like to congratulate the mothers on their new borns, as Van Velden and the Department of Health we encourage the mothers to breast feed their babies,

On New Years day the department of Health's Hospitals in Mopani district at 23h47 recorded 41 new births.

All other New Years day babies reported as follows, Maphuta four, Nkhensani eight, Dr C.N Phathudi two, Kgapane eight, Sekororo six and Dzumeri Health, Mamaila Clinic, Lulekani Health Centre and Thomo Health centre all recorded one newborns.

NOTICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT (SCOPING AND EIA PROCESS) FOR THE PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF NEW 400kV TRANSMISSION POWER LINE BETWEEN FOSKOR AND SPENCER SUBSTATIONS AND EXPANSION OF SPENCER SUBSTATION IN MOPANI DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY, LIMPOPO PROVINCE.

Notice is hereby given in terms of National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998) and EIA Regulations (GN R982) as amended in December 2014.

Description of the Activity

The scope of the project entails:

- The construction of a new ±120km, 400kV power line from Foskor Main Transmission Substation (MTS) to Spencer MTS; and

- The upgrading of Spencer MTS by installing 1x500MVA, 400/132kV transformer at Spencer MTS

## This project triggers the following Listed Activities:

**GNR.983, Item 14:** The development of facilities or infrastructure, for the storage, or for the storage and handling of a dangerous good, where such storage occurs in containers with a combined capacity of 80 cubic meters or more but not exceeding 500 cubic metres

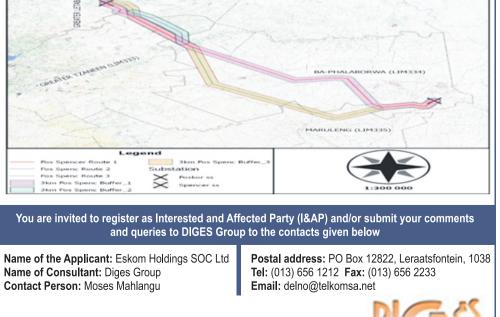
**GNR.983 Item 27:** The clearance of an area of 1 hectares or more, but less than 20hectares of indigenous vegetation.

**GNR.984 Item 9:** The development of facilities or infrastructure for the transmission and distribution of electricity with a capacity of 275 kilovolts or more, outside and urban area or industrial; **Location of the Activity:** 

The proposed power line straddles the area lying between Phalaborwa-Tzaneen, traversing four local municipalities (Maruleng, Ba-Phalaborwa, Greater Tzaneen and Greater Letaba) within the Mopani District Municipality. See Map below:

PROPOSED FOSKOR-SPENCER 400kV POWER LINE





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