Environmental Impact Assessment for the two proposed coal-fired power stations in the Waterberg area, Limpopo, for Eskom

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Dear Stakeholder

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ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT (EIA) (12/12/20/1255) FOR TWO PROPOSED NEW COAL-FIRED POWER STATIONS IN THE WATERBERG AREA, LIMPOPO:

Public review period of the Draft Scoping Report is extended

At the beginning of November 2008 we communicated that the Draft Scoping Report of the Environmental Impact Assessment for the proposed new coal-fired stations in the Waterberg area is available for review. Interested and Affected Parties were also invited to an open house and public meeting which was held on Wednesday, 26 November 2008. The minutes of the public meeting will be made available to you in due course.

A request was received from some stakeholders and thus we would like to announce that the public review period has been extended until **30 January 2009**. Please make sure that you have sent your comments to us by this date. The document is available at the public places mentioned below and is also available on the Eskom and Ninham Shand web sites. (www.ninhamshand.co.za - click on 'hot topics' in the top left corner)

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You can comment on the Draft Scoping Report or its summary in any of the following ways:

- By completing the comment sheet that is available with the Draft Scoping Report and its summary
- By writing a letter, or producing additional written submissions
- By email or telephone to the public participation office.

Comments on the Draft Scoping Report and its summary must be submitted by **30 January 2009.** Please note that this assessment is being conducted on behalf of Eskom.

We would like to wish you and your family a blessed festive season. Please drive safely.

Sincerely

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