

**INTEGRATED ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORIZATION
AND WATER USE LICENSE APPLICATION
(DEA Ref No 14/12/16/3/3/3/63) (NEAS Ref: DEA/EIA/00001508/2012)**

PROPOSED ASH DISPOSAL AT KENDAL POWER STATION

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**Proposed ash disposal and associated infrastructure
at Kendal Power Station to the South West of Ogies in Mpumalanga.**

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- New 30 year ash disposal facility and associated infrastructure - within 10km radius of existing power station.
- Services including electricity and water supply in the form of powerlines, pipelines, and associated infrastructure;
- Water use license application - possible impact on watercourse and wetlands; and
- Access and maintenance roads to the site.

The purpose of this study is to identify and evaluate issues of concern and potential environmental and social impacts, and propose feasible mitigation measures against such impacts.

PUBLIC COMMENT AND REVIEW OF DRAFT SCOPING REPORT

You are requested to register as an Interested and/or Affected Party (I&AP) and are invited to participate by providing your comments and raise any issues of concern on the Draft Scoping Report.

The Draft Scoping Report will be available for public review from **07 December 2012 to 04 February 2013**. The report can be reviewed at the following public places:

| CONTACT | LOCATION | TELEPHONE |
|---|--|--|
| Printed Copies | | |
| Phola Public Library | | 013 645 0094 |
| Ogies Public Library, 61 Main Street, Ogies | | 013 643 1150 |
| Delmas Public Library | | 013 665 2425 |
| Emalahleni Public Library, 19 O R Thambo street | | 013 653 3116 |
| Kungwini Public Library | | 013 932 6305 |
| Kendal Power Station - Security Reception | | 013 647 6002 |
| Electronic Copies | | |
| Lorraine Ndala | www.eskom.co.za/eia | 011 800 4622 |
| Patiswa Mnqokoyi | www.zitholele.co.za | 011 207 2074, or send email request to patiswam@zitholele.co.za |
| Patiswa Mnqokoyi | CD on request via email from Zitholele Consulting | |

PUBLIC MEETING

You are invited to attend a public meeting at the El Toro conference facility on **29 January 2013** at either **14:00** or **18:00** to review and discuss the Draft Scoping Report.

FOR A COPY OF THE BID OR DRAFT SCOPING REPORT AND/OR TO REGISTER FOR A MEETING OR AS AN I&AP, PLEASE CONTACT:

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**OMGEWINGSIMPAKBEPALING, WATER LISENSIE
EN AANSOEK VIR AFVALBESTUURSLIENSIE
DO Verw No. 14/12/16/3/3/3/63 (NEAS Verw No. DEA/EIA/00001508/2012**

VOORGESTELDE ASWEGDOENFASILITEITE BY DIE KENDAL-KRAGSTASIE

Kennis word hierby ingevolge die Wet op Nasionale Omgewingsbestuur (Wet No 107 van 1998) en Goewermentskennisgewings R.543 tot 546 van Junie 2010 gegee van Eskom se voorneme om die volgende gelyste aktiwiteit uit te voer waarvoor Omgewingsmagtiging vereis word:

Voorgestelde aswegdoenfasiliteite en gepaardgaande infrastruktuur by die Kendal-kragstasie geleë Suidwes van Ogies, Mpumalanga

Daar word tans beoog dat die projek die volgende komponente sal insluit:

- Vergroting van die huidige droë aswegdoeningsfasiliteite van 310 ha of minder (insluitende gepaardgaande infrastruktuur);
- Vergroting van die huidige noodgeval aswegdoening fasiliteit.
- Nuwe 30 jaar aswegdoenfasiliteit - binne 10 km radius vanaf Kendal.
- 'n Vervoerband vir die vervoer van afval na die aswegdoenterrein.
- Dienste, insluitende elektrisiteit- en watervoorsiening in die vorm van kraglyne, pyp-leidings en gepaardgaande infrastruktuur; en
- Toegangs- en instandhoudingspaaie na die aswegdoenfasiliteit.
- Water lisensie aansoek vir die moontlike impakte op strome en vleiland.

Die doel van hierdie studie is om kwellende kwessies en potensiële maatskaplike en omgewingsimpakte te identifiseer en te evalueer en doenlike versagtings-maatreëls teen sulke impakte voor te stel.

KOMMENTAAR BENODIG ASOOK OORSIG VAN DIE KONSEP-OMVANGSVERSLAG

U word versoek om as 'n Belanghebbende en/of Geaffekteerde Party (B&GP) te registreer en u word genooi om deel te neem deur kommentaar te lewer aangaande die Konsep-Omvangsverslag en moontlike kwellende kwessies te opper.

Die Konsep-Omvangsverslag van die Omgewingsimpakbepaling sal beskikbaar wees vir kommentaar vanaf **07 Desember 2012 to 04 Februarie 2013** by die volgende openbare plekke:

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| Kendal Kragstasie - Sekuriteits Ontvangs | | 013 647 6002 |
| Elektroniese Kopieë | | |
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| Patiswa Mnqokoyi | www.zitholele.co.za | 011 207 2074, of stuur 'n versoek per e-pos na patiswam@zitholele.co.za |
| Patiswa Mnqokoyi | Beskikbaar op CD - kontak die kantoor vir 'n kopie. | |

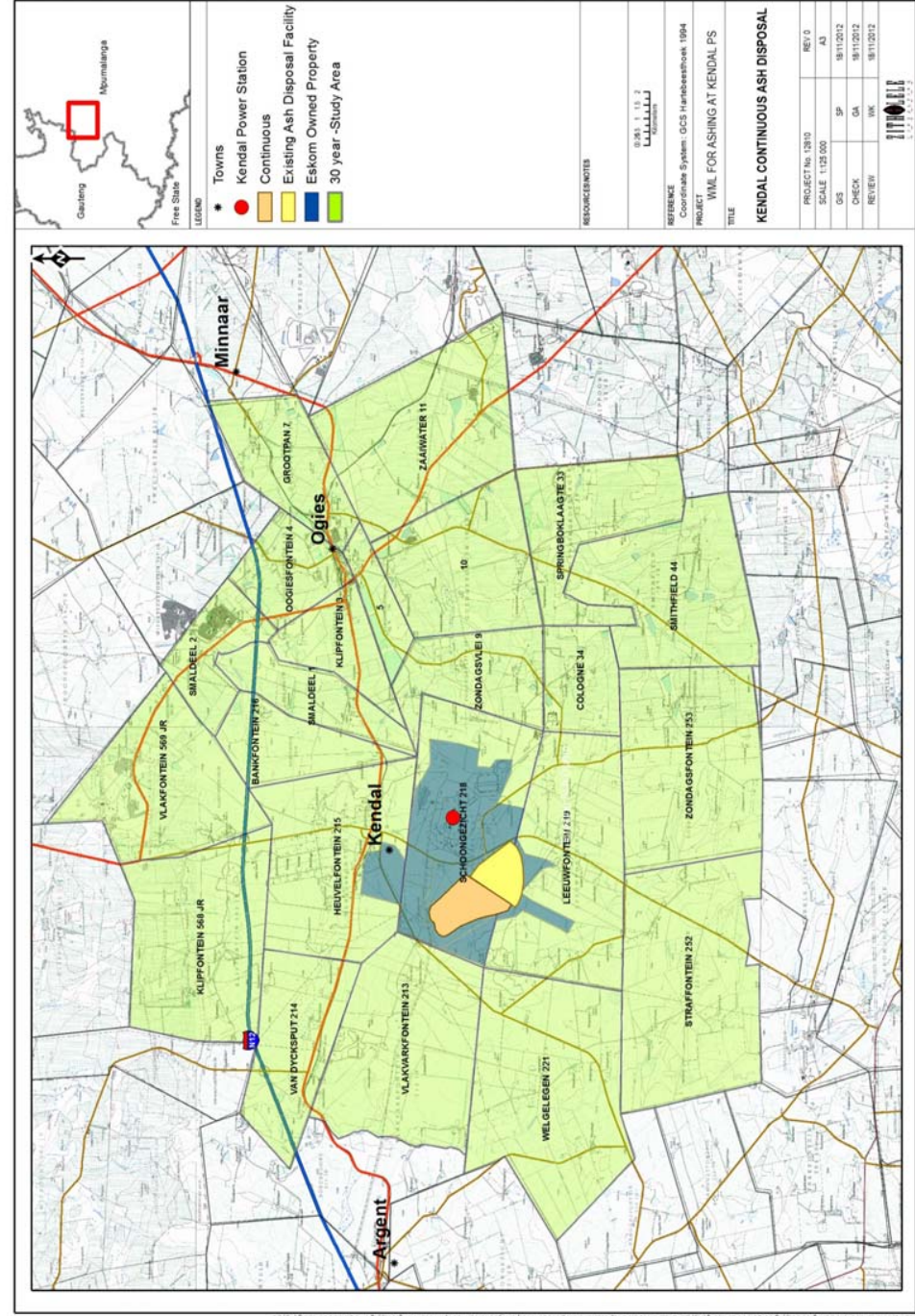
OPENBARE VERGADERING

U word uitgenooi om 'n openbare vergadering by El Toro konferensiesentrum op **29 Januarie 2013 om 14:00 of 18:00** by te woon. Die doel van die vergadering is om die Konsep-Omvangsverslag van die Omgewingsimpakbepaling te bespreek. Om 'n eksemplaar van die Konsep-Omvangsverslag van die Omgewingsimpakbepaling te ontvang of te registreer as 'n B&GP, skakel asb met:

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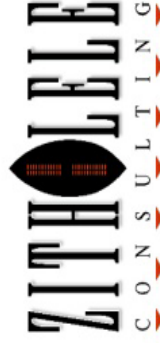
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PUBLIC COMMENT ENCOURAGED

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To register as an I&AP, and to receive a copy of the Background Information Document, please contact:
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This assessment is being conducted on behalf of Eskom



KENNISGEWING VAN 'N OMGEWINGSIMPAKBEPALING, WATER LISENSIE EN AANSOEK VIR 'N AFVALBESTUURSLISENSIE VIR DIE VOORGESTELDE ASWEGDOENFASILITEIT BY DIE KUSILE-KRAGSTASIE

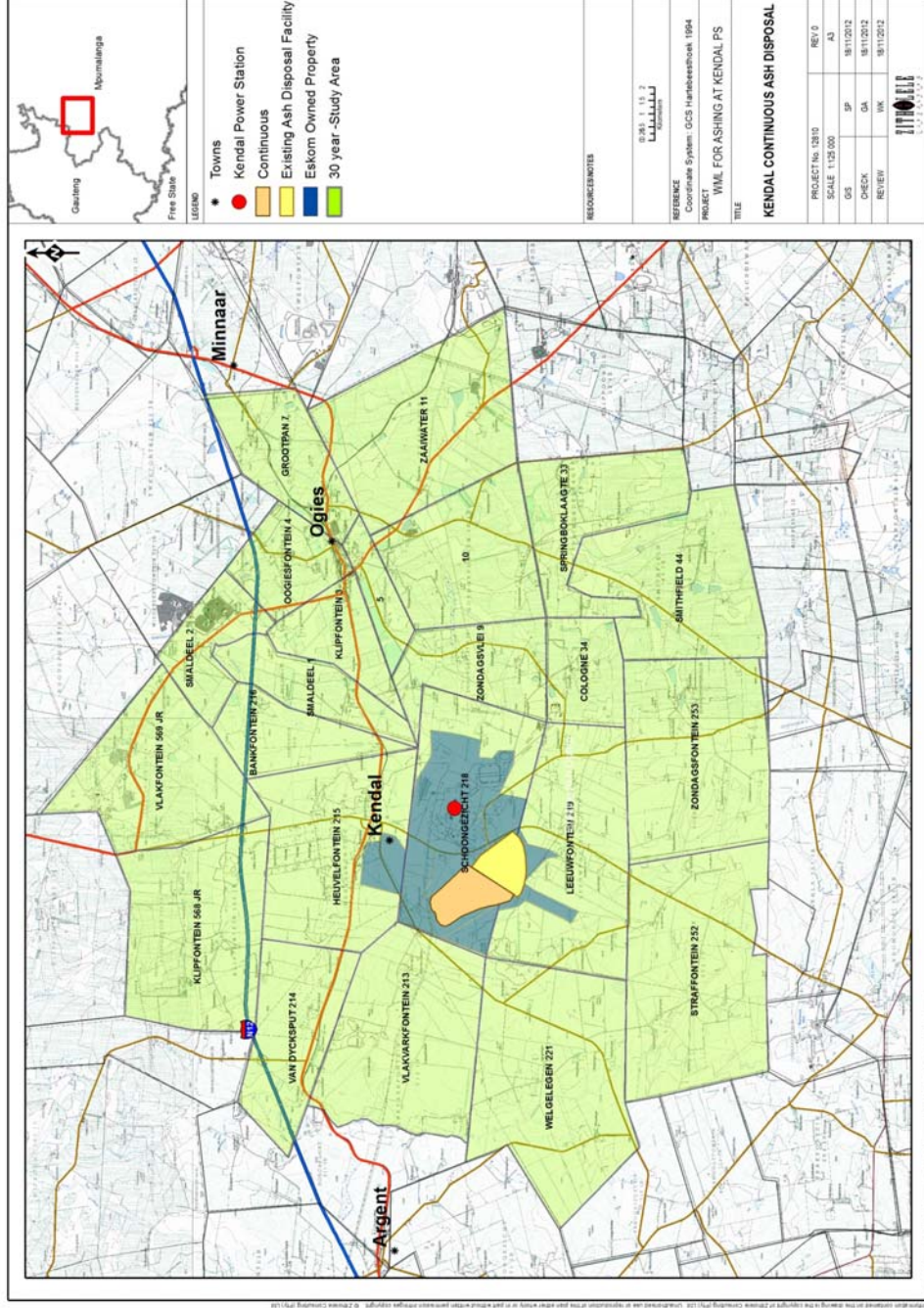
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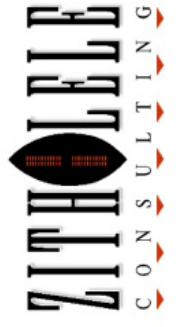
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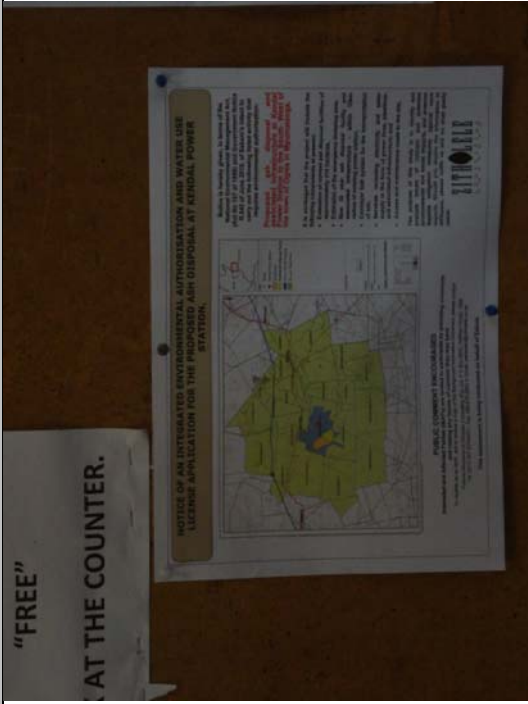
Om as 'n B&GP te registreer, en om 'n eksemplaar van die Agtergrondinligtingsdokument te ontvang, skakel asb met:
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Hierdie omgewingsbepaling word namens Eskom gedoen



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Table 1: Indicates the location of site notices placed

| Item | Description of the location of notice | Picture / Photo |
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| 1 | Emalahleni Library – Site notice board |  |

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| 2 | Off the N4 on R555 – between Oggies and Emalaheni |  |

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| 3 | Ogies Public Library | |

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| 4 | Corner of Oggies & Bethal turnoff |  |

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| Item | Description of the location of notice | Picture / Photo |
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| 5 | Kriel Public Library | <p>The photograph shows a notice board with a yellow background. The main notice is titled "NOTICE OF AN INTEGRATED ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION AND WATER USE LICENSE APPLICATION FOR THE PROPOSED ASH DISPOSAL AT KENDAL POWER STATION." It includes a map of the area, a list of public comment points, and contact information for the Department of Environmental Affairs. A sign in the foreground reads "NOTIFICATIONS NOW OPEN".</p> |

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| 6 | Corner Groen & Sprinkbok Laan Kriel |  |


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| 7 | Delmas Public Library |  |

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| 8 | Kendal Power Station |  |

DISTRIBUTION OF BID'S FOR THE KENDAL WASTE MANAGEMENT LICENSE APPLICATION

