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### **ESKOM BOYNTON PROJECT**

# ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT: PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROGRAMME OPEN DAY: 16 MAY 2012 COMMENT REQUESTED

#### **Project Description**

The current Environmental Impact Assessment application is part of a broader scope of works to improve Eskom's network performance. The existing Distribution networks are exceeding their maximum power transfer capability. Currently the network is experiencing under voltages and is incapable of handling additional loads due to the contingency restraints of the network. The construction of the Boynton substation and the associated power lines is one of the solutions to strengthen the network. The Eskom Boynton Project entails the following:

- The construction of a new proposed 132 kV power line from Lebowa Substation to Dithabaneng Substation;
- A new proposed 132 kV power line from Dithabaneng Substation to Dwaalkop Substation;
- The construction of new proposed Loop-in Loop-out 132 kV lines from Middelpunt-Dithabaneng 132 kV power line to the proposed Boynton Substation;

### **Project Locality**

Two alternative routes will be considered for the powerline. The project is on the farms Rooiboklaagte 112 KS, Voorspoed 458 KS (Remainder), Locatie van Mphatlele 457 KS, Voorspoed 458 KS (Portion 4), Voorspoed 458 KS (Portion 6), Voorspoed 458 KS (Portion 2), Voorspoed 458 KS (Portion 16), and Doornvlei 456 KS in the Lepelle-Nkumpi Local Municipality in the Limpopo Province. Alternative routes are considered for the lines. (Final property descriptions will be confirmed in the draft Basic Assessment Report that will be submitted to all interested parties).



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You are kindly requested to complete the attached form with your comment regarding the project and

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Your concerns/comments are of importance to us.

deliver by hand, send by fax, email or post to Texture (contact details on this letterhead)

NAME:

NAME OF COMPANY/ FARM(S) / PROPERTY DESCRIPTION(S)

CONTACT DETAILS:

Tel/Cell:

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Postal address:

E-mail address:

My comment/ recommendations/ requests regarding the project:

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