ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT PROCESS

PROPOSED EXTENSION OF ASH DAMS AT HENDRINA POWER STATION, MPUMALANGA PROVINCE

DEA Reference Number: 12/12/20/2175

Notice is hereby given in terms of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations published in Government Notice R543 to R546 of 2 August 2010 in terms of Section 24 (5) of the National Environmental Management Act (Act No. 107 of 1998) (NEMA) and Government Notice 718 of 3 July 2009 in terms of Section 19 of the National Environmental Management: Waste Act (Act 59 of 2008) (NEMWA); that Eskom Holdings proposes to expand the ashing facilities at Hendrina Power Station in the Mpumalanga Province.

The proposed project involves a number of Listed Activities in terms of the EIA Regulations of 2010 and NEMWA that require authorisation. The activity numbers of the Listed Activities associated with the project are reflected in the table below. Should you wish to obtain a complete copy of these listed activities, please contact the Public Participation Consultants below.

NEMA	No. R. 544	9	10	22
	No. R. 545	6	15	
NEMWA	GN 718 - Category B	1	9	11

Due to the fact that the project involves activities from both NEMA and NEMWA, an integrated application was submitted to the National Department of Environmental Affairs.

NOTICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT AND PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS

Lidwala Consulting Engineers (SA) (Pty) Ltd has been appointed as the independent Environmental Assessment Practitioner to carry out the required EIA and Waste Licensing process, as well as to conduct the associated public consultation process.

A Background Information Document (BID) has been prepared to provide information about the proposed project and the EIA process being undertaken. The BID is available on request from Lidwala Consulting Engineers (SA). Anyone who would like to register as an Interested and/or Affected Party, receive a copy of the BID or submit comments on the proposed project should do so using the contact details provided below:

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