

8 November 2012

Dear Interested and/or Affected Party

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT AND WASTE MANAGEMENT LICENSE APPLICATION FOR CONTINUED ASHING AT THE EXISTING ASH DISPOSAL FACILITIES, AT TUTUKA POWER STATION, **MPUMALANGA PROVINCE**

(DEA Reference Number: 14/12/16/3/3/3/52; NEAS Reference: DEA/EIA/0001416/2012)

- **AVAILABILITY DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL SCOPING REPORT FOR WRITTEN COMMENTS**
- **INVITATION TO PUBLIC MEETING: THURSDAY 22 NOVEMBER 2012**

In accordance to the National Environmental Management Act (NEMA), the Draft Scoping Report (DSR) is available for public comment and review from Thursday, 8 November 2012 to Monday, 7 December 2012 (end of business day). Should you wish to receive an electronic copy of the DSR (CD) please forward your request in writing to us. Hard copies of the DSR can be reviewed at any of the following public places:

| Place | Office Hours | Address | Contact No. |
|--|---------------|--|--------------|
| Standerton Public Library | 08h30 - 16h30 | C/o Beyers Naude and Mbonani Masiyela Street | 017 712 9678 |
| Tutuka Power Station Reception Area | 07h00 - 16h00 | Between Standerton and Bethal Road (Road R38) | 017 749 9111 |

As part of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) and the public participation processes for the above-mentioned proposed project, Lidwala Environmental would like to cordially invite you to attend the Public Meeting to be held as follows:

DATE: Thursday, 22 November 2012 **TIME**: 18h00 (Registration from 17h30)

VENUE: Standerton Town Hall, Corner of Beyers Naude and Mbonani Masiyela Street

This Public Meeting is part of the EIA process being undertaken by Lidwala Environmental for the above mentioned project. The main objective of the proposed project is for the continued ashing activities at Tutuka Power Station.

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As a stakeholder we would value your attendance at the Public Meeting. The purpose of the Public Meeting is to:

- provide background information regarding the proposed project;
- provide information regarding the EIA process and studies;
- provide feedback on the environmental findings as per the Draft Scoping Report (DSR);
- provide the opportunity to raise any particular issue and/or concern that you may have;
- provide an opportunity to liaise with the project team members; and
- record the comments, issues and/or concerns raised during discussions.

To ensure that we provide sufficient space and seating, you are kindly requested to complete the attached registration form and return it to the Public Participation Office (contact details provided on the registration form included in this letter) on or before **Friday**, **16 November 2012**.

We are looking forward to your attendance at the Public Meeting and your meaningful contributions in the EIA process.

Kind regards

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Public Participation Practitioner

Documents included: Public Meeting Registration Form

Draft Agenda DSR Comment Form

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