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EMALAHLENI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

NOTICE:

MUNICIPAL PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE (MPAC) SPECIAL MEETING FOR PROBING 2020/21 FINANCIAL YEAR ANNUAL REPORT

Notice is hereby given in terms of MFMA Circular No 32 of the Municipal Finance Management Act, 2003 (Act 56 of 2003) and Section 21(a) of the Municipal Systems Act (Act 32 of 2000) for Public hearing on the 2020/21 FY Annual Report. The Municipal Public Accounts Committee (MPAC) will be probing the 2020/21 FY Annual Report. The probing will take place as follows:

Date: 23 - 24 March 2022

Venue: Council Chamber, 2nd Floor, Civic Centre

Time: 09h00

For further enquiries, contact Mr M. Mngomezulu on 013 690 6334 and you can enquire by e-mail to mngomozulum@emalahleni.gov.za between 07h30 and 16h30 during office hours.

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NOTICE

PUBLICATION OF 2020/21 ANNUAL REPORT AND INVITATION FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS AND INPUTS

This notice is published in terms of Section 21(a) of the Municipal Systems Act (MSA), Act No 32 of 2000 read in conjunction with Section 127 (2) of the Municipal Finance Management Act (MFMA), Act 56 of 2003. Emalahleni Local Municipality hereby invites members of public, Government Institutions, Private Sector and Civil Society organizations are invited to submit written presentations in respect of the Annual Report for 2020/21 financial year. This report is accessible on the Municipal Website: www.emalahleni.gov.za.

The Annual Report was tabled at the Council meeting held virtually on 10 March 2022 at 14H00 and Council resolved that it be submitted to the Oversight Committee for further probing. Written representations may be forwarded to the attention of Ms Mbali Mavimbela on mavimbela@emalahleni.gov.za and those interested parties who cannot write can make representations in person or telephonically on the content of the report during office hours on the following contact number 013-690 6470 by 25 March 2022.

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NOTICE:

STANDARD TRANSFER SPECIFICATION (STS) IMPLEMENTATION

The community of Emalahleni Local Municipality is hereby informed of the following:

STANDARD TRANSFER SPECIFICATION (STS) REFERS TO:

The Standard Transfer Specification is the global standard for the transfer of electricity and other pre-payment tokens, which is a secured message system for carrying information between a point of sale and an electrical pre-paid meter, and is currently finding wide application in the electricity metering and payment system.

WHAT IS THE PROJECT ABOUT?

All electrical pre-payment meters based on STS technology will stop dispensing electricity on 24 November 2024, thus presenting a significant risk to service levels, sales and revenue collection of all municipalities to end user customers in the electricity business.

All pre-payment customers to note the following;

- The meter will stop accepting new credit tokens, and will then stop dispensing electricity after the existing credit is used up;
- Any token generated after this date which utilises the 24-digit Token Identifier (TID), calculated on the current system, will be rejected by the meters as being old tokens as the TID value encoded in the token will have reset back to 0.

THE WAY FORWARD:

The technical remedy is to reset each pre-payment meter by means of entering 2 special tokens before November 2024, in order for each meter to be compliant and customers not to be inconvenienced by not being able to purchase electricity.

The municipality will be embarking on a project with the assistance from communities to ensure the successful implementation of the project in a phased approach, which commenced on 1 March 2020. The details regarding the affected areas and process will be communicated on a regular basis.

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NOTICE OF BASIC ASSESSMENT PROCESS, WATER USE LICENCE APPLICATION AND AVAILABILITY OF DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR THE PROPOSED KENDAL POWER STATION CONTINUOUS ASH DISPOSAL FACILITY AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE (LOW-PRESSURE SYSTEM (LPS) PIPELINE; 11KV POWERLINE) IN MPUMALANGA.

Notice is hereby given in terms of the National Environmental Management Act (No. 107 of 1998) for the intent to undertake an activity listed under the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations (Section 24 of the Act; GNR. 327 (Activity 9) GNR. 324 (Activity 12), and Water Uses, in terms of Section 21 (c & i) of National Water Use Act, 1998 (Act no. 36 of 1998).

Project Description

Sazi Environmental Consulting cc was appointed by Eskom Holdings SOC Limited to obtain an Environmental Authorization and Water Use Licence in support of the proposed Kendal Power Station Continuous Ash Disposal Facility and associated infrastructure (Low-Pressure System (LPS) pipeline; 11KV powerline) in Mpumalanga. The project entails the installation of an LPS pipeline and 11KV powerline within the Ash Disposal Facility.

Prior to undertaking activities listed in EIA Regulations (2017), an Environmental Authorization has to be obtained from the relevant competent authority.

Applicant: Eskom Holdings SOC Limited

Environmental Assessment Practitioners: SAZI Environmental Consulting cc

Invitation to register as I&AP:

To be identified as an Interested & Affected Party or require information on the project, please revert to us in writing, in the below address; stating your name, contact details, interests, and concerns regarding the process within 30 days of placement of this notice.

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All documents will be available on the internet at

www.sazienviromental.co.za/publicdocuments and www.sazienviromental.co.za

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