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NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR THE PROPOSED UPGRADE TO SUBLIME ACCESS ROAD AND NEW INTERSECTION WITH R580, EXARRO MATLA MINE, EMALAHLENI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, MPUMALANGA PROVINCE

Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd, (Eskom), has applied for environmental authorisation for the abovementioned project.

Please find attached two (2) hard copies and two (2) electronic copies of the Draft Basic Assessment Report (BAR) for your perusal. Please note that the Draft BAR has been submitted to the following State Departments for their comments. As per Regulation 56 (b) of GN No. R543 should no comments be received within the 30 day public comment period, it will be assumed that the State Department has no comments.

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