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Dear Mr Makhathini,

**NOTIFICATION OF BASIC ASSESSMENT PROCESS FOR THE PROPOSED DECOMMISSIONING OF VERWOEDBURG 275KV SUBSTATION AND 2 X 275KV VERWOEDBURG APOLLO POWER LINES WITHIN THE CITY OF TSHWANE METROPOLITAN MUNICIPALITY, GAUTENG PROVINCE**

Notice is hereby given in terms of Regulation 54 (2) published in Government Notice R543 of 18 June 2010 in terms of Chapter 6 of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act 107 of 1998) in line with the Basic Assessment Application.

Eskom Holdings SOC Limited intends to decommission the Verwoedburg Substation, Verwoedburg Apollo 275Kv lines and associated infrastructure. The proposed project is listed under Government Notice R544 (Listing notice 1) Activity 27 (ii).

The project site is located on the Farm Doornkloof 391 JR within the jurisdiction of Tshwane Metropolitan Municipality in the Gauteng Province, South Africa.

Should you be interested in registering as an interested and affected party or would like to raise any issues, concerns or queries, kindly submit your information to the contact details indicated below within 40 days from the date of this letter.

**SUBMIT YOUR INFORMATION TO:**

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For more information regarding the project, please refer to the attached Background Information Document (BID).

Yours Sincerely



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