

# Basic Assessment and Water Use License Application for the proposed Vaalbank Switching Station and 2 x 88kV power lines.

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