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DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL AND PETROLEUM RESOURCES

NO. 7324 **30 March 2026**

NATIONAL ENERGY REGULATOR OF SOUTH AFRICA

NOTICE OF NERSA'S PUBLIC HEARING ON THE ELECTRICITY TARIFF APPLICATIONS FOR EKURHULENI METROPOLITAN MUNICIPALITY, MSUNDUZI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY AND MADIBENG MUNICIPALITY FOR PURPOSES OF REDETERMINING THE 2024/25 FINANCIAL YEAR TARIFFS OF THE RESPECTIVE MUNICIPALITIES

The National Energy Regulator of South Africa (NERSA) is a regulatory authority established as a juristic person in terms of section 3 of the National Energy Regulator Act, 2004 (Act No. 40 of 2004). NERSA's mandate is to regulate the electricity, piped-gas and petroleum pipelines industries in terms of the Electricity Regulation Act, 2006 (Act No. 4 of 2006), the Gas Act, 2001 (Act No. 48 of 2001) and the Petroleum Pipelines Act, 2003 (Act No. 60 of 2003).

On 14 January 2026, the High Court of South Africa, Gauteng Division, Pretoria reviewed and set aside the NERSA approved 2024/2025 Municipal tariffs for Ekurhuleni Metropolitan Municipality, Msunduzi Local Municipality and Madibeng Municipality, ordering the said Municipalities to resubmit compliant tariff applications and cost of supply studies within ten days of the order and directing NERSA to redetermine the tariffs by no later than 30 June 2026.

NERSA hereby invites members of the public to submit comments on the tariff applications and the cost of supply studies.

The above documents are available on NERSA's website at www.nersa.org.za or on request.

The date for the public hearings on this matter is provided in Table 1 below.

Table 1: Public hearing date and venue*

Province	Form	Date
National, including all provinces	Virtual public hearing - (Microsoft Teams)	28 April 2026

*The date of the public hearing might be reviewed depending on the number of presenters that register.

Written comments can be forwarded to municcomments@nersa.org.za or hand-delivered to 526 Madiba Street, Arcadia, Pretoria. The closing date for written comments is 30 March 2026.

Members of the public and stakeholders who wish to present their views at the public hearing must submit their request to publichearings@nersa.org.za by **15:30** on **17 April 2026**.

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