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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

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Invitation for public comments on Eskom's revenue application for 2018/19

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), Gas Act, 2001 (Act No. 48 of 2001) and Petroleum Pipelines Act, 2003 (Act No. 60 of 2003).

The Energy Regulator received Eskom's revenue application for 2018/19 on 25 August 2017.

The Energy Regulator will assess Eskom's application following due regulatory processes:

	Activity	Timeframe
1.	Publish Eskom's application on NERSA	13 September 2017
	website for stakeholder comments	
2.	Closing date for stakeholder comments	13 October 2017
3.	Public Hearings on Eskom's revenue	30 October 2017 to 16 November 2017
	application for 2018/19	(see details below)
4.	Energy Regulator decision on Eskom's	07 December 2017
	revenue application for 2018/19	

Public Hearing dates and venues*

PROVINCE	CITY	DATE		
Western Cape	Cape Town	30 October 2017		
Eastern Cape	Port Elizabeth	01 November 2017		
KwaZulu-Natal	Durban	03 November 2017		
Northern Cape	Kimberley	06 November 2017		
Limpopo	Polokwane	08 November 2017		
Mpumalanga	Mbombela	10 November 2017		
North West	City of Matlosana	13 November 2017		
Free State	Bloemfontein	15 November2017		
Gauteng	Midrand	16 November 2017		

^{*}The dates of the public hearings might be extended depending on the number of presenters that register. Venues will be communicated in due course.

Eskom's revenue application for 2018/19 is available on the NERSA website at www.nersa.org.za. Stakeholders are requested to comment on Eskom's application in writing.

Written comments can be forwarded to mypd@nersa.org.za, hand-delivered to 526 Madiba Street, Arcadia, Pretoria or posted to PO Box 40343, Arcadia, 0083, Pretoria, South Africa. The closing date for the comments is **13 October 2017** at **16:00**.

Members of the public and stakeholders who wish to attend the hearing or present their views must submit their request to publichearings@nersa.org.za by **15:30** on **23 October 2017**.

For more information or queries on the above, please contact Ms Lehuma Masike or Mr Dumisani Njezula at the National Energy Regulator of South Africa at:

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