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Dear Ms Cocquyt

## ELECTRICITY TARIFFS FOR THE PERIOD 01 JULY 2020 – 30 JUNE 2021

Your application dated 25 May 2020 refers.

The Energy Regulator at its meeting held on 14 May 2020 approved the guideline increase of 6.22% for municipalities applicable for 2020/21 financial year. Consequently, the Energy Regulator considered your application for a tariff increase for the period 01 July 2020 - 30 June 2021 and approved the tariffs as follows:

### 1. Domestic Tariffs

<b>Tariff blocks</b>	<b>c/kWh</b>
Block 1 (0-50 kWh)	105.22
Block 2 (51 – 350 kWh)	133.50
Block 3 (351 – 600 kWh)	191.74
Block 4 (>600 kWh)	230.40

Basic Charge: R /month	129.25
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## **2. Commercial Prepaid and Conventional Tariffs**

- Basic Charge: R454.38 /month
- Energy charge: 199.19 c/kWh

## **3. Industrial Tariffs**

### **3.1 Industrial Low Tension**

- Basic Charge: R1 405.75 /month
- Energy Charge: 118.11 c/kWh
- Demand Charge: R209.50 /kVA

### **3.2 Industrial High Tension**

- Basic Charge: R1 342.99 /month
- Energy Charge: 114.20 c/kWh
- Demand Charge: R216.46 /kVA

Please note that in terms of the National Energy Regulator Act, 2004(Act No.40 of 2004), National Energy Regulator is entrusted to perform all the functions that the National Electricity Regulator used to perform, and amongst others, to review and approve tariff increase proposals by all licensed distributors of electricity in South Africa. Implementation of tariffs without approval of the Energy Regulator is a contravention of the license conditions issued to you.

It is therefore important that provision is made in your planning / budgeting cycle to allow time for the submission of applications for future changes or increases to NERSA for consideration.

Should you have any enquiries please do not hesitate to contact Mr Samson Modise in the Electricity Pricing and Tariffs Department on (012) 401 4060 or email: [samson.modise@nersa.org.za](mailto:samson.modise@nersa.org.za)

Yours sincerely,



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