

NOTICE OF THE ENERGY REGULATOR IMPLEMENTATION OF THE METHODOLOGY TO APPROVE MAXIMUM PRICES OF PIPED-GAS

The National Energy Regulator of South Africa (NERSA) has approved a Methodology to Approve Maximum Prices of Piped-Gas in South Africa, on 28 October 2011. Subsequent to this decision, NERSA made a finding that there is inadequate competition in the piped-gas market.

The finding on inadequate competition in the piped-gas market enables NERSA to implement its Methodology to Approve Maximum Prices of Piped-Gas to be charged to distributors, reticulators and all classes of customers.

NERSA invites all licensees/applicants involved in piped-gas trading activities to submit applications for maximum prices of piped-gas. The deadline for submitting maximum price applications is **31 July 2012**.

Applications for maximum prices of piped-gas must be lodged in accordance with the Methodology to Approve Maximum Prices of Piped-Gas in South Africa. The Methodology to Approve Maximum Prices of Piped-Gas in South Africa is available on the NERSA website at www.nersa.org.za.

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