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## **CALL FOR REGISTRATION OF GAS ACTIVITIES IN TERMS OF SECTION 28 OF THE GAS ACT, 2001 (ACT NO.48 OF 2001)**

The National Energy Regulator (NERSA) is a statutory body established in terms of the National Energy Regulator Act, 2004 (Act No. 4 of 2004). Amongst its other functions, NERSA is responsible for regulation of the gas industry in South Africa in terms of the Gas Act, 2001 (Act No. 48 of 2001)(the Gas Act). Section 28 of the Gas Act requires owners of operations involving the following activities to register such operations with NERSA:

1. production of gas;
2. importation of gas;
3. transmission of gas for own exclusive use; and
4. small biogas projects in rural communities not connected to the national gas pipeline grid.

NERSA accordingly invites all owners of operations involving any of the above-mentioned activities to register such operations with NERSA as required by the Gas Act.

Applications for registration of the above-mentioned activities must be made in accordance with section 28 of the Gas Act read together with rule 14 of the Gas Act Rules, 2009 using the form prescribed in Annexure G of the Rules (available on NERSA's website [www.nersa.org.za](http://www.nersa.org.za)). Any request for confidential treatment of information contained in the applications must be made in accordance with rule 4 of the Rules.

The closing date for applications is **31 October 2012**.

The applications (i.e. completed forms with supporting documentation) for registration must be sent to NERSA by either of the following:

- registered mail to: PO Box 40343, Arcadia, Pretoria, 0007,
- hand delivered at: Kulawula House, 526 Vermeulen Street, Arcadia 0083, Pretoria.
- emailed to: [pipedgas@nersa.org.za](mailto:pipedgas@nersa.org.za).

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