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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

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### Invitation for public comments on the revision of the Multi Year Price Determination (MYPD) methodology and Notice on the NERSA decision on the Municipal Tariff Guideline for the 2016/17 Financial Year

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).

NERSA is in the process of reviewing the Multi-Year Price Determination (MYPD) methodology and requests stakeholders to comment on the issues raised in the consultation paper.

NERSA further notifies all stakeholder of the approved Municipal Tariff Guideline increase of 7.64% and the benchmarks for the 2016/17 financial year.

The process for the consultation and decision-making is outlined in the table below:

TIMELINES FOR APPROVAL OF THE MYPD METHODOLOGY	
ACTIVITY/TASK	DATE
Publication of draft methodology for stakeholder comments on the MYPD methodology	15 April 2016
Closing date for stakeholder comments on the MYPD methodology	16 May 2016
Public Hearing	2 June 2016
Energy Regulator decision on the MYPD methodology	28 June 2016
Publication of the MYPD methodology on the NERSA website	30 June 2016

The following documents are available on the NERSA website: [www.nersa.org.za](http://www.nersa.org.za)

1. The MYPD Methodology Consultation Paper
2. The Decision and Reasons for Decision (RfD): Municipal tariff guideline increase, benchmarks and proposed timelines for the 2016/17 financial year.

Written comments on the MYPD Methodology Consultation Paper can be forwarded to [mypd@nersa.org.za](mailto:mypd@nersa.org.za) or hand-delivered to National Energy Regulator of South Africa, 526 Madiba Street, Arcadia, Pretoria or posted to P.O Box 40343, Arcadia, 0083, Pretoria, South Africa. The closing date for the comments is **16 May 2016 at 16H00**.

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