NOTICE 1463 OF 2006

NATIONAL ENERGY REGULATOR (NERSA)

Petroleum Pipeline Levies Act, 2004 (Act No. 28 of 2004)

Levy on Petroleum Pipelines

The National Energy Regulator, acting under section 2(3)(a) of the Petroleum Pipelines Levies Act, 2004 (Act No. 28 of 2004), hereby publishes the proposed levy on petroleum pipelines to bring it to the attention of stakeholders in the petroleum pipelines industry. The proposed levy of 0.208 c/l will be in respect of the amount of petroleum, measured in litres, delivered by importers, refiners and producers to inlet flanges of petroleum pipelines and will be paid by the person holding the title to the petroleum immediately after it has entered the inlet flange. The levy shall be payable to the National Energy Regulator, as from 1 April 2007 to 31 March 2008, by persons concerned.

The levy will be used to cover the cost of the National Energy Regulator for regulating the petroleum pipelines industry.

The levy was determined based on an estimate of 16.52 billion litres per annum and the 2007/08 Business Plan submitted to the Minister of Minerals and Energy on 30 September 2006.

You are hereby invited to make a representation on the proposed levy within thirty days of the date of this publication.

Representations must be addressed to:

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