



## MEDIA STATEMENT

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### **Emergency Power Outage affecting several villages in Thembisile Hani Local Municipality**

**Saturday, 29 July 2023:** Eskom would like to inform its customers in KwaMhlanga, Kwaggafontein, Gembokspruit, Tweefontein, Vezubuhle, Verena, Sokhulumu and surrounding areas about an emergency power outage that will take place on Sunday, 30 July 2023.

The reason for the power outage is for Eskom to do work on the Vulcan-Kromdraai 132kV feeder that needs urgent repairs. Several substations are going to be affected resulting in interruption of supply to the mentioned areas.

Eskom would like to apologise for the inconvenience this outage may cause.

Eskom urges customers to treat all installations and wires as live during the interruption of power.

Customers are also encouraged to report incidents of vandalism and theft on Eskom infrastructure via the following channels: Share Call Number 08600 (Eskom) / 08600 37566 or the Eskom crime reporting line: 0800 11 27 22 (toll-free) or via Eskom's self-service platform, **Alfred Chatbot** <https://alfred.eskom.co.za/chatroom/>

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