



water affairs

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Water Affairs
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	<p>DEPARTMENT OF WATER AFFAIRS AND FORESTRY</p> <p>ALGOA RECONCILIATION STRATEGY: ADMINISTRATIVE AND TECHNICAL SUPPORT GROUP</p> <p>2nd meeting of the Administrative and Technical Support Group (ATSG) to be held on 15 March 2012 at 10:30 at the offices of Aurecon, Port Elizabeth</p>	
1.	WELCOME AND CONSTITUTION OF MEETING	Chair
2.	ATTENDANCE AND APOLOGIES	Chair
3.	PURPOSE OF THE MEETING	Chair
3.	ADOPTION OF AGENDA	Chair
4.	APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES	Chair
4.1	ATSG Meeting of 22 Nov 2011	All
5.	RELEVANT MATTERS ARISING FROM SSC 1 MINUTES	
6.	WATER USE AND DEMAND	
6.1	Change depiction of water use to Jul-Jun	EvdB
6.1	Water use licence application to abstract from Kouga-Loerie system	NMBM/DWA
6.3	Verification and validation study of a part of the Langkloof area	SB
7.	IMPROVING THE CONFIDENCE OF WATER AVAILABILITY	
7.1	Water availability assessment – Kouga-Loerie and Churchill-Impofu	IT
8.	OPERATIONAL EFFICIENCY	
8.1	Operating capacity of Darlington Dam	DC
8.2	Additional balancing storage in LWRGS	MM
9.	WC/WDM	
9.1	Guidelines for effective use of rainwater tanks	NMBM
9.2	Report on progress per municipality (when information is available)	NMBM
10.	ORANGE RIVER INTER-BASIN TRANSFER SCHEME	
10.1	Nooitgedagt Low Level Scheme Implementation	NMBM
10.2	License application by NMBM to make new allocation permanent	NMBM
10.3	Trading of Orange River Irrigation Authorisations – upper Fish River	
10.4	Orange River water use evaluation: Phasing of Orange River water use, synergies of Coega IDZ desalination option and Scheepersvlakte Balancing Dam storage	
10.5	Desalination of Sundays River irrigation return flows	NMBM/DWA
11.	RE-USE OF WATER	
11.1	Potential integrated re-use of water	NMBM
11.2	Re-use of water treated to industrial standards – Coega and Fish Water Flats WWTWs	NMBM
11.3	Indirect re-use of water treated to potable standards – new intervention	NMBM
11.4	Monitoring of wastewater effluent - establishing gauges to monitor flows/ quality of WWTW flows	NMMB

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12.	GROUNDWATER	
12.1	NMBM Groundwater Scheme study in progress	NMBM
12.2	DWA borehole information – to be made available to Kouga LM	DWA
12.3	Capping of unused artesian boreholes	DWA
12.4	Wellfield monitoring - monitoring of well-field abstractions and groundwater levels	NMBM
13.	SEAWATER DESALINATION	
13.1	NMBM Desalination Scheme	NMBM
13.2	Seawater desalination: Coega IDZ/ Straits Chemicals	Coega IDZ
13.3	Monitoring of seawater quality	NMBM/DvR
14.	LOCAL SURFACE WATER DEVELOPMENT	
14.1	Kouga dam safety work in light of potential raising	DWA
15.	ECOLOGICAL RESERVE	
15.1	Implementing the Reserve for existing dams	IT
16.	CLIMATE CHANGE	
16.1	Climate change impacts study	IT
17.	GENERAL	
17.1	Financing of NMBM implementation plans	NMBM
17.2	Establishment of Langkloof Irrigators WUA	SB
17.3	South African Revenue Protection Group	ML
17.4	Other	
18.	NEXT MEETING	
18.1	Determine next dates	