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REMINDER: MEDIA ADVISORY

The Department of Water and Sanitation to launch the Greater Eston Regional Water Supply Project

13 July 2016

The Department of Water and Sanitation together with Umgeni Water and UMgungundlovu District Municipality will launch the Greater Eston Regional Water Supply project on 14 July 2016 at Ngilanyoni Sports Grounds, Mkhambathini Local Municipality.

The Greater Eston Regional Water Supply project is located in the UMgungundlovu District Municipality and will serve people in the Mkhambathini and Richmond Local Municipalities in the KwaZulu-Natal Province.

Funded by the Department of Water and Sanitation through the Regional Bulk Infrastructure Grant (RBIG), the Greater Eston Bulk Water Supply project supplies potable water to 41 240 people. The scheme covers four (4) wards in the Mkhambathini LM and two (2) wards in the Richmond LM. The aim of the project is to make a huge impact towards alleviating the water supply backlog within the rural areas of UMgungundlovu District Municipality.

The media is invited as follows:

Date : 14 July 2016

Time : 10h00

Venue : Ngilanyoni Sports Ground, Mkhambathini Local Municipality

NB: Transport for the media will be provided.

Pick-up point: Durban Play House (Anton Lembede Street /Smith Street)

Time: 07h00

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