



File No. 15/6/5

SUBMISSION TO THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE

1. SUBJECT

Request Chief Executive to approve the deviation for emergency work done on the power restoration from High Voltage power lines for Mmabatho Plant

2. PURPOSE

The purpose of the submission is to request the Chief Executive to:

- Approve the deviation process for the emergency work of the service that was carried out at the Mmabatho Plant on the 27 June 2025.
- Approve the payment of a value of R107 000.00

3. BACKGROUND

Mmabatho Plant is one of the six plants of that Magalies Water is operating on behalf of Ngaka Modiri Molema District Municipality. Mmabatho Plant provides water supply to the Mahikeng Local Municipality and its surrounding areas with the capacity of 20ML/d.

4. DISCUSSION

On the 27th June 2025 Mmabatho Plant experience power outage due to the High Voltage power lines that was burnt, together with the electrical component associated with it. This resulted in Mmabatho plant shutdown. Due to the High Voltage type of work and resources that are required for this type of work and emergencies, the plant was not operational which could result in demand water management to be implemented. A service provider was appointed on an emergency and repairs and replacement of electrical components were done and completed on the 27th June 2025, plant was back in operation.

5. ORGANIZATIONAL IMPLICATIONS

The power outage of Mmabatho Plant affected the provision of potable water to Mafikeng and its surrounding areas. This will result in organizational reputational damage and affect service delivery.

6. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

The Far West Region intends to utilize the maintenance budget to address the emergency expenses. The initial evaluation of the anticipated financial needs to address the situation was approximately R120,000,00 (More or Less). This estimate encompasses site assessments, which may identify and recommend immediate remedial technical intervention.

The actual cost attached to this process is R 107 000.00 as reflected on the provided invoice.

7. LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

The organization at faced the risk of being subjected to litigations by the Ngaka Modiri Molema District Municipality due to the failure to provide water to the communities.

8. COMMUNICATION IMPLICATIONS

All the affected stakeholders were notified about the failure to distribute water from Mmabatho Plant due to power outage caused by High Voltage Power lines burnt and require re-termination and replacing the burnt electrical components.

9. OPTIONS

To restore power at Mmabatho Plant by repairing and replacing High Voltage Electrical components.

10. DELEGATION

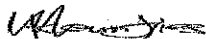
Submission is within the delegation of the Chief Executive.

11. RECOMMENDATION

It is therefore recommended that the Chief Executive:

- Approves the deviation process for the emergency work of the service that was carried out at the Mmabatho Plant on the 27 June 2025.
- Approves the payment of a value of R107 000.00

SUBMITTED BY:



MR. KEROTSE MEINTJIES
REGIONAL MANAGER: FAR WEST

3 July 2025
DATE



SUPPORTED / NOT SUPPORTED BY:

Vkwekomi
VHAHANGWELE AKINWEKOMI
GENERAL MANAGER: WATER SERVICE

03/07/2025
DATE

RECOMMENDATION: ~~SUPPORTED~~/DEFERRED/~~WITHDRAWN~~/APPROVED

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CHIEF EXECUTIVE

28/07/2025
DATE

