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Dear Applicant,

### REQUIREMENT FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING TO THE POSTPONEMENT APPLICATION FOR COMPLIANCE WITH THE 2015 MINIMUM EMISSION STANDARDS FOR THE LETHABO POWER STATION

This letter serves to inform you that after a preliminary review of your postponement application, the following was observed:

- Current stack emission limits are not supplied;
- There is no indication of planned compliance into the future;
- The ambient air quality monitoring graphs not presented in time series plots to clearly indicate the trend of ambient air quality as well as exceedances;
- The frequency plots do not accurately represent monitoring data, therefore, data gaps, trends or time evolution of pollutants cannot be observed; and
- There is limited data supplied to undertake the PM<sub>2.5</sub> health and environmental impact; and
- The complaints and pre-directives that the facility has received are not reflected in the application.

In order to continue to consider your application and to make an informed decision, you are required to provide information that addresses the issues raised above. Please note that your application will be placed on hold until such time the information is made available.

Yours Sincerely,

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