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STAKEHOLDER FEEDBACK ON THE NATIONAL NUCLEAR REGULATORY (NNR) PUBLIC HEARINGS HELD FOR THE ESKOM APPLICATION TO OPERATE THE KOEBERG NUCLEAR POWER STATION BEYOND THE TIME-FRAME ESTABLISHED IN NIL-01, VARIATION 19.

The NNR Board, in accordance with the regulatory provision as per section 21(4)(b) of the National Nuclear Regulator Act, Act 47 of 1999, held the first set of public hearings as part of the Koeberg Long Term Operation (LTO) application review. The public hearings were held in Cape Town at Tableview on 3 February 2024, Atlantis on 10 February 2024 and Athlone on 17 February 2024.

During the public hearings, the NNR panel received eleven oral representations from pre-registered interveners and seventeen members of the public provided oral comments at the hearings. The representations received were from civil society organisations, public interest groups, concerned citizens, members of the public and industry bodies/associations. The NNR also received representations in the form of hand delivered and online written comments from members of the public.

The NNR will consider the oral and written representations as input into its review process for the LTO application. The NNR would like to thank members of the public and stakeholders for their interest and participation during this stage of the consultation process.

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