

 Early Warning System

NDB-MAGALIESBULKWATER
Magalies Bulk Water Supply Scheme Project



Quick Facts

Countries	South Africa
Specific Location	North West & Limpopo: Moretele,Bela-Bela,Modimolle-Mookgophong,Mogalakwena,Rustenburg,Mose Kotane
Financial Institutions	New Development Bank (NDB)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	U
Borrower	Government of South Africa
Sectors	Infrastructure, Water and Sanitation
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 205.00 million
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 205.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 611.83 million



Project Description

According to the NDB, seven local municipalities in North West and Limpopo provinces (Moretele, Bela-Bela, Modimolle-Mookgophong, Mogalakwena, Rustenburg, Mose Kotane, and Thabazimbi) are severely affected by water shortages with the water demand currently outstripping the supply by more than 1.6 times.

The proposed Magalies Bulk Water Supply Scheme Project is a critical response to address the above challenge. By extending pipeline networks, enhancing the capacity of existing pipelines, and expanding water treatment facilities, the Project will ensure reliable and sustainable access to drinking water, bridge the supply gap and cater for future demand growth.

The Project comprises the following key components:

- Component 1 – Moretele North Klipvoor Bulk Water Supply Scheme: installation of water supply facilities, including Klipvoor Water Treatment Plant (“WTP”) and ground water development, construction of bulk water pipelines, construction of water storage facilities.
- Component 2 – Pilanesberg Bulk Water Supply Scheme (Phase 2): construction of new bulk water pipelines, replacement of the existing bulk water pipelines, construction of water storage facilities, increase of capacity of Vaalkop WTP.

The Project’s impact will be enhancing access to clean and reliable water for households of Limpopo and North West Provinces, in line with the key objectives of the National Development Plan and the National Water and Sanitation Master Plan.



Investment Description

- New Development Bank (NDB)



Private Actors Description

As stated on the company's website, Magalies Water Board was established in 1969 in terms of Government Notice 234 of 1969 primarily to supply water needs of platinum mines in the Rustenburg and Thabazimbi areas. Magalies Water provides water for industries and communities, and in 1996 it extended its water supply services to operate, maintain and supply retail water to select local municipalities and the City of Tshwane Metropolitan.



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Private Actor 1	Private Actor 1 Role	Private Actor 1 Sector	Relation	Private Actor 2	Private Actor 2 Role	Private Actor 2 Sector
-	-	-	-	Magalies Water	Contractor	Water and Sanitation



Contact Information

No project contacts provided at the time of disclosure.

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Bank Documents

- [Project summary](#)

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- [South Africa's Commercial Hub May Face Water Curbs, News24 Says](#)