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## MEDIA ADVISORY

### IEP AND IRP PUBLIC CONSULTATION WORKSHOPS

#### Integrated Energy Plan and Integrated Resource Plan Public Consultations

The Department of Energy wishes to invite members of the media and all interested stakeholders to the Integrated Energy Plan (IEP) and the Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) Public Consultations. The aim of the workshops is to guide future energy infrastructure investments over the period up to 2050, identify and recommend policy options to shape the future energy landscape of the country. The draft documents can be accessed on the following links: [http://www.energy.gov.za/files/iep\\_2016.html](http://www.energy.gov.za/files/iep_2016.html) and <http://www.energy.gov.za/IRP/irp-2016.html>

#### Consultation workshops will take place as follows:

Date	Venue	Time
23 January 2017	Kimberley Boutique Club Hotel, Northern Cape	08:30 – 17:00
25 January 2017	Polokwane Royal Hotel, Limpopo	08:30 – 17:00
27 January 2017	Southern Sun, Emnotweni Casino at The Arena, Nelspruit, Mpumalanga	08:30 – 17:00
31 January 2017	Mmabatho Palms, North West	08:30 – 17:00
03 February 2017	Bon Hotel, Bloemfontein, Free State	08:30 – 17:00

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