

Hazardous waste as alternative fuel in cement kilns

LICHTENBURG - The Department of Environmental Affairs and Tourism (DEAT) is in the process of developing a national policy on the use of incineration for the management of general and hazardous waste, as well as a policy framework for the use of alternative fuels and raw materials (AFR's), including hazardous waste, in cement kilns.

As part of this policy development process and considering that the cement plant situated in the Lichtenburg area has applied for authorisation to use AFR's in their process, a workshop will be conducted in Lichtenburg to enable interested and affected parties (I & AP's) to contribute to the policy development process.

The purpose of the workshop will be to introduce the initial findings of the work done by the department to date to inform the policy, to introduce the proposed policy direction and to identify and discuss concerns stakeholders may have.

The date of the workshop will be Saturday 19 April at 10:00 in the Elgro Hotel, enr Republic and Scholtzstreet Lichtenburg.

For more information please call on Ms D Fischer 012 310 3857.

Attendance got to be confirmed with Ms Lerato Pine at 012 310 3527 or fax 012 320 0024.

