

**MINISTRY OF ENERGY**

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**Memorandum from the Parliamentary Office**

**National Assembly: 1823**

Please find attached a response to Parliamentary Questionfor***written reply*** asked**byMr K Ceza (EFF)** to ask the **Minister of Mineral Resources and Energy**

**Adv. T.S Mokoena**

**Director General: Department of Mineral Resources and Energy**

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**Mr. S.G Mantashe**

**Minister of Mineral Resources and Energy**

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**1823. Mr K Ceza (EFF) to ask the Minister of Mineral Resources and Energy:**

What amount (a) do the residents of the City of Tshwane pay for a kilowatt unit of prepaid electricity and (b)is the metering company paid for each unit sold?**NW2218E**

**Reply**

1. After consultation with Nersa the following information, relating to the prepaid charge on prepaid electricity was provided:
2. **Domestic Tariffs**
   1. Domestic Standard Supply Single & Three Phase: Conventional & Prepaid

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| ***Tariff blocks*** | ***c/kWh*** |
| Block 1 (0-100 kWh) | 170.28 |
| Block 2 (101 – 400 kWh) | 199.28 |
| Block 3 (401 – 650 kWh) | 217.11 |
| Block 4 (>650kWh) | 234.06 |

* 1. Domestic Indigent: Conventional & Prepaid

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| ***Tariff blocks*** | ***c/kWh*** |
| Block 1 (0-100 kWh) | 169.89 |
| Block 2 (101 – 400 kWh) | 195.43 |
| Block 3 (401 – 650 kWh) | 214.42 |
| Block 4 (>650kWh) | 228.79 |

* 1. Lifeline: Prepaid

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| ***Tariff blocks*** | ***c/kWh*** |
| Block 1 (0-100 kWh) | 169.89 |
| Block 2 (101 – 400 kWh) | 195.43 |
| Block 3 (401 – 650 kWh) | 214.42 |
| Block 4 (>650kWh) | 228.79 |

* 1. Domestic Three Phase Demand Supply: Convention & Prepaid

**Domestic Three Phase Demand Supply**

* Basic charge: R644.89/month
* Energy charge:130.76c/kWh
* Demand charge: R120.29/kVA

1. **Agriculture and Farm Land: Conventional & Prepaid**

* 1. Agriculture Tariffs Conventional
* Energy charge: 211.21c/kWh

1. **Non - Domestic Single - Phase: Prepaid** 
   1. Single Phase: Prepaid (≤ 60A)

* Basic charge: R1 047.12/month
* Energy charge:181.19c/kWh
  1. Single Phase: Prepaid (≥ 60A)
* Basic charge: R1 309.18/month
* Energy charge: 181.19c/kWh

1. The metro has indicated that it does not pay metering companies for the sale of electricity. However, resellers buy electricity in bulk and resell to their customers.