

Circular 026-2024

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Dear Residents

ESKOM ANNUAL PRICE INCREASE EFFECTIVE 1 APRIL 2024.

A reminder of the annual Eskom electricity tariff increase that will take effect as of the 1st of April 2024.

The National Energy Regulator of South Africa (NERSA) has determined the following tariff increase to be applied to Eskom direct customer tariff charges. An 12.7% increase effective 1 April 2024.

In anticipation of this increase the below table shows the cost per unit increases.

	Current tariff till end March 2023	Increased tariff effective 1 April 2023	Increase %
Block 1 (0-600kWh)	R2.3696	R2.6705	12.7%
Block 2 (600 + kWh)	R4.0278	R4.5393	12.7%

Eskom has not published its new tariff book for 2024/2025 as yet. We will send this out as soon as it gets published.

Block charges

It is important to note that when purchasing electricity in any particular calendar month the first 600 kWh units will cost R2.6705 and any additional units purchased in the same month will move into the next block charge and cost R4.5393. Your meter will reset once a month at 12pm on the last day of each month. Therefore, it would not be advisable to bulk purchase large quantities of electricity upfront for the months ahead as all units over 600 will be at the higher block 2 tariff.

If purchasing only 600 units per month, this will cost R1602.30.

Voltano will implement these tariff increases effective 1 April 2024.

Warm Regards



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