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**Memo 10/2018: City of Cape Town to lower water restrictions & tariffs to level 5 from 1 October 2018.**

Dear Residents

Cape Town's dam levels are nearing 70% of storage capacity due to good rainfall at the beginning of winter and the phenomenal conservation efforts of Capetonians. Water restrictions and the associated tariffs are thus to be conservatively lowered in the interim to Level 5 from 1 October 2018. This will bring tariff relief of between 26,6% and 70% per kilolitre of water depending on the usage and tariff category.

The water usage target will be increased from 50 litres to 70 litres per person per day and the daily collective consumption target will increase by 50 million litres to 500 million litres to ensure that water conservation efforts remain in place.

The key elements of Level 5 restrictions are as follows:

- An increase in the personal water use limit from 50 litres per person per day to 70 litres per person per day **from 1 October 2018.**
- A resetting of the overall City water usage target from 450 million litres per day to 500 million litres per day
- A lowering of tariffs to Level 5 tariffs:  
Residential tariffs (excluding vat)
  - 0 – 6 kl: Down 26,6% from R28,90/kl to R21,19/kl
  - 6 – 10 kl: Down 25% from R46/kl to R34,43/kl
  - 10 – 35 kl: Down 56% from R120,27/kl to R52,39/kl
  - Above 35kl: Down 70% from R1000/kl to R300/kl

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Melanie Carstens', with a long, sweeping underline.

Melanie Carstens  
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