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WESTERN CAPE REGION

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REGIONAL DISASTER MANAGEMENT WORK SESSION: IMPLEMENTING DISASTER MANAGEMENT IN THE WESTERN CAPE

PROGRAMME

DAY 1: THURSDAY 28 JULY 2005

09:00 - 10:00 Arrival of delegates, Registration and Coffee

10:00 – 10:10 **Welcome**

Head of Department Local Government and Housing, PGWC, Ms Shanaaz Majiet

10:10 – 10:40 **Keynote Address**

*Minister of Local Government and Housing, PGWC,
Minister Richard Dyantyi*

10:40 – 11:10 **National Perspective on Disaster Management**

*Head of the National Disaster Management Centre, Mr
Louis Buys*

11:10 – 11:30 Tea

11:30 – 12:10 **Provincial Implementation Plan**

*Directorate: Disaster Management, PGWC, Mr Schalk
Carstens*

12:10 – 13:00 **Provincial Disaster Management Framework**

*University of Cape Town, Disaster Mitigation for
Sustainable Livelihoods Programme, Ms Leigh Sonn*

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 14:40 **Provincial Risk and Vulnerability Assessment**

NETGroup SA, Dr Herman Booysen

14:40 – 15:00 Tea

15:00 – 15:45 **Disaster Management Facilities, Systems and Mechanisms**

Africon Engineering International, Mr Jacques Botha

15:45 – 16:30 **Community Risk Assessment: Masiphumelele**

*University of Cape Town, Disaster Mitigation for Sustainable Livelihoods
Programme, A Benjamin & G Nicolson.*



16:30 – 16:40 **Conclusions**
DMISA Western Cape, Geoff Laskey

18:00 **Function at the Two Oceans Aquarium**
Speech by Head of the Disaster Management Centre, PGWC, Mr Faan Naude
Presentation by the Africon Training Academy

DAY 2: FRIDAY 29 JULY 2005

08:30 – 09:00 Coffee

09:00 – 09:40 **December 2004 Southern Cape Floods**
University of Cape Town, Disaster Mitigation for Sustainable Livelihoods, Ms Penelope Price & Ms Caryn Durham

09:40 - 10:20 **Informal Settlements Fire and Flooding Risk Reduction Strategy**
Head of the Disaster Management Centre, City of Cape Town, Mr Greg Pillay

10:20 – 11:00 Tea

11:00 – 11:40 **Environmental degradation in the Cape Winelands - a slow onset disaster.**
University of Stellenbosch / Africon Engineering International, Ms Elretha Louw – & Faculty of Health, University of Stellenbosch, Dr Jo Barnes

11:40 – 12:40 **Application of Satellite Technology for Disaster Management**
Umoya Networks, Mr Peter Beretta

12:40 – 13:00 **Summary and Closing**
Chairperson: DMISA Western Cape, Johan Minnie

13:00 – 13:30 Light lunch

13:30 Departure

Note: 5 Minutes question time will be available at the end of each presentation.

