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Lephalale Local Municipality (LLM) is holding true to its promises of working towards facilitating more job opportunities for local residents, especially the youth of Lephalale. The Mayor of Lephalale, Cllr Jack Maeko introduced a bulk recruitment programme in conjunction with the Management of the Medupi power station project. The job creation project was officially launched at the Municipality on Wednesday, 13 April 2016. Through this initiative altogether 1917 job opportunities have been identified at the Power plant building site. The Municipality is requesting that at least 60% of these jobs be reserved for qualifying local residents.

The Mayor commended the newly appointed Medupi Project Manager and his team for engaging with the Municipality and for ensuring that recruitment at the Medupi Power station is guided by employment equity guidelines as prescribed in the labour law. The Mayor said that in meeting with the Medupi Project Management, it has become clear that local requirement is top of the agenda for both stakeholders.

The Mayor urged local jobseekers, to register their CV's on the Municipal database at the Mayor's office, the information Centre in Marapong or at tribal councils. The Municipality established the database earlier this year to assist stakeholders such as Eskom, Exarro and ResGen to employ locally.

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