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MEDIA STATEMENT WATER RELEASE FROM RUSTFONTEIN TO MOCKES DAM DECLINED

Bloem Water confirms that a letter of request from Mangaung Metro Municipality (MMM) was received on 20 November 2019 to request Raw Water release from Rustfontein Dam to Mockes Dam, however the request was declined based on the following reasons:

The Metro has not paid its monthly current water bill that is outside of the Dispute for the past three (3) months. The requested Raw Water from Rustfontein Dam should be paid by Bloem Water to the Department of Human Settlements, Water and Sanitation (DHSWS) therefore the Metro has to address the outstanding account.

Based on the above, there is no raw water being released currently by Bloem Water to Mockes Dam.

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