

BY-LAW

To provide for the implementation and enforcement by the **EMTHANJENI** municipality of its policies regarding tariffs, credit control and debt collection; and for matters connected therewith.

BE IT ENACTED by the Emthanjeni municipality, as follows:-

Definitions

1. In this By-law, unless the context otherwise indicates -

“**Municipality**” means the Emthanjeni municipality; and

“**the Act**” means the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, 2000 (Act No. 32 of 2000).

Implementation and enforcement of policies

2. (1) The Municipality must, subject to section 3 and any national or provincial legislation regulating local government finance, give effect to –
 - (a) its tariff policy; and
 - (b) its credit control and debt collection policy,drafted and adopted in accordance with sections 74 and 97 of the Act, respectively, by implementing and enforcing such policies.
- (2) Any person who lays claim to a rebate or concession under a policy referred to in subsection (1), must provide the information required and meet the obligations imposed by such policy.

Publication of policies

3. A policy referred to in section 2 and any amendment thereto must be published in the *Provincial Gazette*.

Short title

4. This By-law shall be called the Tariffs, Credit Control and Debt Collection By-law, 2008