



**MINISTRY  
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**MEDIA INVITATION- 4 Nov 2011**

**MINISTER OF ENERGY TO ADDRESS THE ANNUAL LP GAS CONFERENCE  
IN VANDERBJILPARK**

Members of the media are invited to attend and cover the conference where the Minister of Energy, Ms Dipuo Peters, is scheduled to deliver a keynote address. The Department of Energy is the custodian of energy policies in the country and the Minister is honoured to address the LPG Gas Safety Association especially during these challenging times in the energy sector. This sector is confronted with volatile prices of crude and the increasing prices of electricity. The conference will also discuss the implications of the increase in demand for Liquid Petroleum Gas and the challenges regarding its sustainable supply and safety.

The Minister, will speak on access to modern energy and how its production can stimulate economic development and reduce conditions of poverty while improving health and the hardships placed on women and children among others. The details are as follows:

**Date :** 6-7 November 2011  
**Venue** Riverside Hotel, Vanderbjilpark  
**Venue:** 8:30am

Zodwa Batyashe – 0824559796( Ministry of Energy)

Kevin Robertson- 011 8869702(LPG Gas Safety Association of South Africa)

*Ms Peters will be available for media interviews soon after delivering her speech*

**Media invitation issued by the Ministry of Energy**