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FUEL PRICES ADJUSTMENT

Botswana Energy Regulatory Authority informs the general public that the retail pump prices for petrol and diesel will be adjusted as follows:

1. Retail pump price of unleaded petrol 93 will increase by 69 thebe per litre;
2. Retail pump price of unleaded petrol 95 will increase by 71 thebe per litre;
3. Retail pump price of diesel 50ppm will increase by 55 thebe per litre;
4. Retail pump price of illuminating paraffin will increase by 74 thebe per litre;

The above changes take effect from 00:01hrs Friday 8th October 2021.

The increase in local retail prices is necessitated by the general increase of international oil prices. International oil prices have been on the rise, reaching pre-pandemic levels. Oil demand continues to outpace supply, and this has led to the strength in crude oil prices despite the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic. The Regulator will continue to closely monitor the prices of petroleum products for the regional and international markets.

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