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MEDIA RELEASE

TASTE AND ODOUR IN WATER SUPPLY IN SOME AREAS IN GABORONE

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The Water Utilities Corporation (WUC) is aware of some taste and slight odour in water supply to some areas in Gaborone. The affected areas include Phase 4 and Block 5.

Although the taste and odour in the water may be objectionable to its customers, the Corporation would like to re-assure the public in those areas that the water remains safe to drink and is within the set standards for drinking water standards.

Taste and odour in water is largely influenced by various factors, including the proliferation of algae in the water sources. The Gaborone Dam is currently experiencing this proliferation of algae.

The Corporation is working around the clock to minimize the taste and odour in the water.

Any inconvenience that may be caused by this situation is highly regretted.

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