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**NRS – 096: Sealing standard for electricity metering**

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Abstract

'NRS - 096', a newly developed sealing standard offers the ESI in South Africa a useful guideline on what seals are recommended for the sealing of electricity metering equipment and what steps should be followed in implementing an effective revenue protection procedure. A tamper indicative seal is not a product, but a process. With the approval of a proposed number allocation standard and the adherence of certain sealing protocols, utilities and individual municipalities can expect to derive measurable benefit from the implementation of innovative yet simple sealing solutions.