

## **BUFFALO CITY TOURISM MASTER PLAN**

### **TRANSPORTATION ACCESS AND INFRASTRUCTURE : APPENDIX E**

Road distances and travel times from East London to other major Southern African Cities.

| <b>Country</b> | <b>City</b>      | <b>Distance<sup>a</sup><br/>(km)</b> | <b>Travel Time<sup>b</sup><br/>(hrs)</b> |
|----------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| South Africa   | Bloemfontein     | 586                                  | 6.0                                      |
|                | Cape Town        | 1 127                                | 11.0                                     |
|                | Colesberg        | 488                                  | 5.0                                      |
|                | Durban           | 676                                  | 7.0                                      |
|                | George           | 700                                  | 7.0                                      |
|                | Grahamstown      | 182                                  | 2.0                                      |
|                | Johannesburg     | 1 005                                | 10.0                                     |
|                | Kimberley        | 660                                  | 6.5                                      |
|                | Kroonstad        | 797                                  | 8.0                                      |
|                | Ladysmith        | 741                                  | 7.5                                      |
|                | Mafikeng         | 1 048                                | 10.5                                     |
|                | Messina          | 1 550                                | 15.5                                     |
|                | Pietermaritzburg | 595                                  | 6.0                                      |
|                | Port Elizabeth   | 312                                  | 3.0                                      |
|                | Pretoria         | 1 063                                | 10.5                                     |
|                | Springbok        | 1 540                                | 15.5                                     |
|                | Umtata           | 235                                  | 2.5                                      |
|                | Welkom           | 737                                  | 7.5                                      |

a – Distances extracted from “Focus on Buffalo City” publication (2003/2004).

b – Travel time estimated at an average of 100km/hr running speed and rounded off to the nearest 0.5 hour.

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| Botswana       | Gaborone       | 1 156                                | 11.5                                     |
| Lesotho        | Maseru         | 631                                  | 6.5                                      |
| Mozambique     | Maputo         | 1 305                                | 13.0                                     |
| Namibia        | Luderitz       | 1 847                                | 18.5                                     |
|                | Windhoek       | 2 004                                | 20.0                                     |
| Swaziland      | Mbabane        | 1 266                                | 12.5                                     |
| Zimbabwe       | Bulawayo       | 1 915                                | 19.0                                     |
|                | Harare         | 2 179                                | 21.5                                     |
|                | Victoria Falls | 2 323                                | 23.0                                     |