

**MEDIA RELEASE**

**nbc Autumn Equinox**

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The Namibian Broadcasting Corporation (nbc) would like to advise the public that due to the change of the season, the sun will move over the equator to the Northern Hemisphere and will cause satellite interference on the indicated dates and times. Our audio and video signals distributed via satellite to the various transmitters will experience some breaks during this period. This will re occur in September 2017, when the sun moves back South.

Times and dates indicated below are estimates.

South:

**Date Start Time Duration**

29-Mar-2017 14:16 7 minutes  
30-Mar-2017 14:14 9 minutes  
31-Mar-2017 14:13 11 minutes  
01-Apr-2017 14:13 11 minutes  
02-Apr-2017 13:13 10 minutes  
03-Apr-2017 13:14 8 minutes  
04-Apr-2017 13:15 4 minutes

Central:

**Date Start Time Duration**

26-Mar-2017 14:19 2 minutes  
27-Mar-2017 14:16 8 minutes  
28-Mar-2017 14:15 10 minutes  
29-Mar-2017 14:14 11 minutes  
30-Mar-2017 14:14 11 minutes  
31-Mar-2017 14:14 10 minutes  
01-Apr-2017 14:15 7 minutes

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**Date Start Time Duration**

25-Mar-2017 14:17 8 minutes  
26-Mar-2017 14:15 10 minutes  
27-Mar-2017 14:14 11 minutes  
28-Mar-2017 14:14 11 minutes  
29-Mar-2017 14:14 10 minutes  
30-Mar-2017 14:15 8 minutes

As a result, all stations and all services will be affected country wide. The broadcaster regrets the temporary inconvenience caused and counts on the understanding of the affected viewers and listeners.

For more information, please contact Mrs. Tuulikki Shipanga at the NBC Head Office in Windhoek at Tel: 291 3570. Any other technical queries or complaints can be directed to Radio Main Control at 061-291 2479.

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**ABOUT nbc (www.nbc.na)**

nbc's Purpose is to become a leading Multimedia Public Broadcaster of Choice in the world. It is the only Namibian broadcasting house that runs radio broadcasting in ten (10) Namibian languages and three (3) Public Service TV channels. nbc offers local, SADC and international news, current affairs and entertainment programming and covers more than 74.5% of the Namibian population. It further broadcasts beyond the Namibian borders on the DSTV audio bouquet and online at [www.nbc.na](http://www.nbc.na)

**ABOUT Digital Terrestrial TV (www.nbc.na)**

Digital television is a new way of broadcasting television. Although digital terrestrial television changes the way pictures are sent to your TV, it won't change the way you watch television.

Since the beginning of television, we've been watching what is known as 'analogue television': TV signals are broadcast using radio waves, which are picked up by an aerial and sent down a wire to your TV, the analogue television receiver. Your set then changes the analogue signal into pictures and sound. nbc boasts altogether with Six (6) channels on its DTT bouquet – nbc1, nbc2, nbc3, One Africa, TBN and EduTV (nbc4).