



Empowering rural communities to become business owners



The NEF has approved over R2 billion to fund hundreds of loans ranging from R250 000 to R75 million. These loans have helped create and support over 21,000 decent jobs. One such investment is the Jozini Tiger Lodge, a four-star hotel in KwaZulu Natal where R28,3 million helped

a 22,000-strong community trust to acquire 33,4% of the shares. This is yet another example of BB-BEE at work, and a superb case in point of the NEF fulfilling its mandate to grow black economic participation. Your community can also become a shareholder of South Africa's economy.

If you have a business idea that needs funding, please call 0861 843 633 (THE NEF) or go to www.nefcorp.co.za