



**REDUCE
REUSE
RECYCLE**

Winter is becoming...an old LAG

Just moved into a new house on the Highveld? Lag your water pipes; it helps prevent freezing on very cold days and nights. Even strips of sacking or cloth will help, but the purpose made sponge lagging is best.

Turn It Off!

You can save quite a bit of energy if you turn your heater off about a quarter of an hour before you retire for the night; the room will remain warm enough for a good while (even though it is cooling down).

Light the night

Fitting a light sensitive sensor into the circuit for an outside light is very easy (though you should have a qualified, registered electrician to do it for you). It will activate the lights as the sun sets and turns them off again in the morning – no more forgetting to turn them off!

Sun Power!

Intruders hate light, so deter them by placing a few solar-powered lights at strategic points around the house, but... Put them a few metres away from the house where they will silhouette anyone outside the window; you will see his silhouette, but the intruder will not know that.