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Investigation into Industry, informal settlements, and small-scale farmers; ability to cope and adapt to drought and other water related to changing climate along three majors rivers in KwaZulu Natal Province, Durban, South Africa.

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TKH FXUUHQW SUHVXUHV SODFHG RQ ULYHU V\ VWHPV E\ LQG XVWULDO JLDQWV FRXSOHG ZLWK XVH E UHVXOWLQJ LQ LQFUHDVHG WHPSHUDWXUHV DQG ORZHU UDLQIDOOV KDYH LPSDFWHG QHJDWLYHO\ DJULFXOWXUDO XWLOL]DWLRQ DV ZHOO DV LQG XVWULDO IXQFWLRQDOLW\ 7KLV LV YLVLEOH LQ WKH F GHYHORS VXVWDLQDEOH JDUGHQV WR IDFLOLWDWH D VRXUFH RI LQFRPH +RZHYHU WKH LQGLVFULPLQ available water for essential purposes.

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FKHPLFDO DQG GRPHVWLF SROOXWLRQ 7KLV SROOXWLRQ LQDGYHUUHQWO\ LPSDFWV RQ WKH ULYHUL IRU DOLHQ VSHFLHV LQYDVLQJ 7KXVH GUDVWLF HQYLURQPHQWDO FKDQJHV UHVXOWLQJ LQ GURXJKW socio-economic activities. Current investigation is pertinent to provide answers to this increasing problem, however the need to change from a one-dimensional IRFXV RQ FOLPDWH FKDQJH IRUHFVWLQJ DQG ZHDWKHU WR D KRUV RI RWKHU IDFWRUV LQWHQVLI\ useable water.

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