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# 'Nkandla probe is 90% done'

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PUBLIC Protector Advocate Thuli Madonsela announced yesterday investigations into the upgrading of security at President Jacob Zuma's private residence in Nkandla, KwaZulu-Natal, are "virtually complete".

"More or less 90% of the field-work and writing of the report is done. All we are waiting for now is information from one more relevant source before we can finalise the report," Madonsela said during a media briefing in Pretoria.

"If all goes according to plan we hope to publish the report no later than May 24."



Public Protector Thuli Madonsela speaks in Pretoria yesterday.  
*Picture: Desiree Swart.*

She said the presidency had been co-operative since day one of probe and that they never had any resistance from the government while investigations were under way.

"I met with the president in January 2012 and he pointed me to the relevant departments. When I wrote to the various departments they also sent me in the right direction."

Madonsela said she hadn't sought much info from the president.

Regarding investigations into the notorious e-tolling system, Madonsela said investigations are taking longer than they had hoped it would.