RAUBEX CONSTRUCTION (PTY) LTD

PROPOSED MINING ON A PORTION OF THE REMAINING EXTENT OF THE FARM ELANDS SPRUIT NO 5523, ALFRED DUMA MUNICIPAL AREA, KWAZULU-NATAL PROVINCE

DEPARTMENT REFERENCE NUMBER:

KZN30/5/1/3/2/10979MP

PROOF OF PUBLIC PARTICIPATION JUNE 2024



NOTIFICATION OF DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT SENT TO ALL BELOW LISTED STAKEHOLDERS ON 21 MAY 2024.

Number	Organisation	Contact Person		
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		Ms Nolwazi Nkosi		
2	Department of Agriculture and Rural Development - KZN (DARD-KZN)	Mr Siza Sibande		
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4	Department of Water and Sanitation	Ms B Msane		
		Ms Dladla Lindiwe		
		Ms Gwele Yolanda Uyabulelwa		
5	Department of Transport	Me Judy Reddy		
6	SANRAL - Eastern Region	Mr Dumisani Nkabinde		
		Mr Themba Mhambi		
7	Department of Labour	Me T Kunene		
8	Alfred Duma Local Municipality	Miss SS Ngiba		
	(Emnambithi-Ladysmith Local Municipality)	Mr R Mazibuko		
9	Alfred Duma Local Municipality Ward 23	Mr Thobani Prince Dlamini		
	Councillor			
10	Alfred Duma Local Municipality Ward 24 Councillor	Mr Thembinkosi Nicholas Ngobo		
11	uThukela District Municipality	Mr Gili		

12	Eskom	Mr Bruce Burger		
		Ms Thembisile Sibiya		
		Lungile Motsisisi		
13	Department of Land Reform and Rural Development	Mr Siegfried Haschke		
14	Amafa - The KwaZulu-Natal Amafa and Research Institute	Mr John Pakwe		
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16.	Department of Agriculture, Land Reform & Rural Development – National	Mr Fhatuwani Magwaba		

NOTIFICATION OF DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT SENT TO BELOW LISTED LANDOWNERS, NEIGHBOURS, AND IAP'S ON 21 MAY 2024.

No	Organisation & Point of Interest	Contact Person
17	Landowner	Mr Pieter Francois Oosthuizen
	Remaining extent of Elands Spruit 5523 Portion 20 of farm Elandslaagte 1239 Remaining extent of portion 4 of Elandslaagte 1239	
18	Surrounding Landowner	Mr Ian Frank Mitchell
	Farm Elandspruit 16154	Me H Mitchell-Innes (care of Mr IF Mitchell)
	Farm Roodepoort 1045 Portion 6	MR WS Mitchell-Innes (care of Mr IF Mitchell
19	Lawful occupier	Me Z Khumalo
	Roodepoort 1045 Portion 1	
20	Matiwane Trust	(care of ward 23 councillor)
	Portion 2 of Farm Elands Spruit 5523	Mr Thobani Prince Dlamini
21	Rotimode (Pty) Ltd	Mr Peter Major
	(Prospecting right holder)	
22	Sam and Sina Trading Enterprize	Mr. Sunday Vilakazi
	(Prospecting right holder)	

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PROOF OF CORRESPONDENCE WITH MR D WIENERS & MS N NKOSI FROM EZEMBELO KZN WILDLIFE ON 21 MAY 2024

From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Tuesday, 21 May 2024 09:25

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Subject: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

Attachments: DBAR Notice - Ladysmith 10979MP.pdf

Dear Sir/Madame,

RE: NOTICE OF THE DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME FOR A MINING PERMIT APPLICATION IN TERMS OF THE MINERALS AND PETROLEUM RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT ACT, 2002 (ACT NO 28 OF 2002) (MPRDA), THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT ACT, 1998 (ACT 107 OF 1998) (NEMA), AND THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT REGULATIONS, 2014 (AS AMENDED) (EIA REGULATIONS) SUBMITTED BY RAUBEX CONSTRUCTION (PTY) LTD. REFERENCE NUMBER: KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP.

The draft Basic Assessment Report (DBAR) with Environmental Management Programme (EMPR), for the proposed mining on a portion of the Remaining Extent of the farm Elands Spruit No 5523, uThukela District, is now available for your perusal. A copy of the documents can be obtained from Greenmined Environmental (Pty) Ltd upon request or downloaded from the company website at https://www.greenmined.com/mining-permits/.

Should you be interested your comments are kindly requested on the DBAR & EMPR. A thirty-day commenting period, ending on **21 June 2024**, will be allowed for comments. Your comments must be in writing and can be submitted via e-mail and/or post.

Please contact Mrs Murchellin Saal at 076 792 6327 (Cell) or 021 851 2673 (Tel), 086 546 0579 (Fax), or comments@greenmined.co.za should you require any additional information.

Kind Regards/Vriendelike Groete Anel Olivier





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From: Dominic Wieners < Dominic.Wieners@kznwildlife.com>

To: Greenmined Comments **Sent:** Tuesday, 21 May 2024 09:29

Subject: Read: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

Your message

To: Dominic Wieners

Subject: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

Sent: Tuesday, May 21, 2024 9:25:21 AM (UTC+02:00) Harare, Pretoria

was read on Tuesday, May 21, 2024 9:28:40 AM (UTC+02:00) Harare, Pretoria.

From: IEM App <iem.app@kznwildlife.com>

Sent: Monday, 03 June 2024 09:09 **To:** Greenmined Comments

Subject: RE: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders **Attachments:** Ezemvelo IEM Application Process Letter_May 2023.pdf

Dear Anel Olivier,

Please note that Ezemvelo KZN Wildlife (Ezemvelo) has been alerted that there is a Draft Basic Assessment Report (DBAR) for the proposed mining project by Raubex Construction (Pty) Ltd on a Portion of the Remaining Extent of the Farm Elands Spruit No 5523, **REFERENCE NUMBER:** KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP.

It is brought to your attention that all applications/submissions/authorisations and/or notifications submitted digitally to Ezemvelo for review and comment must be sent to the IEM Section using the following email address: iem.app@kznwildlife.com. Failure to use this address will result in your application not being processed. Should the IEM Section not be engaged, and our responses not be received and included in your submission to the competent authority this can be considered a flaw in your public participation.

Digital submissions may be made via email attachments or Web links, however, Ezemvelo **does not accept**Web links that either expire or have multiple downloads required. If the document is too large to be
emailed as an attachment or web link with a cover letter and the required information, then please courier the
document/s on a flash drive (USB memory stick) or in hardcopy to our Head Office:

Planning Division: IEM Section Ezemvelo KZN Wildlife Queen Elizabeth Park 1 Peter Brown Drive Montrose

Pietermaritzburg 3201

ATT: Nolwazi Nkosi - IEM Technician.

Lastly, please ensure to always include the information detailed in the attached document when making a submission to Ezemvelo.

Kind regards,

Nolwazi V Nkosi (Miss) EZEMVELO KZN WILDLIFE

IEM Technician | Conservation and Planning

Queen Elizabeth Park | 1 Peter Brown Drive | Montrose | Pietermaritzburg | 3201 PO Box 13053 | Cascades | 3202 | Republic of South Africa |

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From: Dominic Wieners < Dominic. Wieners@kznwildlife.com>

Sent: Tuesday, May 21, 2024 9:30 AM **To:** IEM App <iem.app@kznwildlife.com>

Subject: Fw: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders



DMRE Reference No: KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP

Manager Conservation Planning c/o The IEM Technician

Planning Division: IEM Section

Queen Elizabeth Park 1 Peter Brown Drive Montrose Tel: 033 845 1346 Fax: 033 845 1699

04 June 2024

Attention: Dr. Andy Blackmore

Dear Sir

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RE: APPLICATION FOR MINING PERMIT IN TERMS OF SECTION 27 OF THE MINERAL AND PETROLEUM RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT ACT, (ACT 28 OF 2002) AND THE DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME FOR A MINING PERMIT APPLICATION IN TERMS OF THE MINERALS AND PETROLEUM RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT ACT, 2002 (ACT NO 28 OF 2002) (MPRDA), THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT ACT, 1998 (ACT 107 OF 1998) (NEMA), AND THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT REGULATIONS, 2014 (AS AMENDED) (EIA REGULATIONS) SUBMITTED BY RAUBEX CONSTRUCTION (PTY) LTD. REFERENCE NUMBER: KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP

Herewith please receive a soft copy of the Draft Basic Assessment Report and Environmental Management Programme in terms of NEMA,1998 and the EIA Regulations, 2014 (as amended) for the proposed mining of stone aggregate, gravel from 4.91 ha of a portion of the Remaining Extent of the farm Elands Spruit No 5523, uThukela Magisterial District, KwaZulu-Natal Province.

- a. This package therefore contains:
 - i. **Authority, case office and reference:** Department of Mineral Recourses and energy,

Case office: Nontebeko Ncama

Dmre Reference: KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP

- ii. Consultant: Murchellin Saal (076 792 6327) Murchellin.s@greenmined.co.za
- iii. Applicant: Raubex Construction: Mr. Shaun Collins, 031 700 6411 shaun.c@raubex.com

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iv. **Project name:** Elandsspruit Quary/Ladymith Quarry

v. **District Municipality:** uThukela District Municipality and

vi. Local Municipality: Alfred Duma Local Municipality

vii. **Location:** A Portion of Remaining Extent of the farm Elands Spruit No 5523 ±26 km north-east of Ladysmith between Collings Pass and the N11 national road. Using the N11 leaving Ladysmith drive towards Newcastle for ±23 km. Take the Collings Pass turnoff to the left, following the road for ±1.4 km to the farm gate on the right-hand side.

viii. 21digit code and coordinates: N0GS00000000552300000

ix. Coordinates of Permit Area:

NUMBER	DEGREES, MINU	JTES, SECONDS	DECIMAL DEGREES		
	LAT (S)	LONG (E)	LAT (S)	LONG (E)	
А	28°21'53,347"S	29°56'29,9137"E	28,3648186°S	29,9416427°E	
В	28°21'55,3702"S	29°56'35,7695"E	28,3653806°S	29,9432693°E	
С	28°22'1,951"S	29°56'32,1479"E	28,3672086°S	29,9422633°E	
D	28°22'1,5992"S	29°56'29,8846"E	28,3671109°S	29,9416346°E	
Е	28°22'4,0264"S	29°56'29,7132"E	28,3677851°S	29,941587°E	
F	28°22'6,5651"S	29°56'29,9209"E	28,3684903°S	29,9416447°E	
G	28°22'6,3199"S	29°56'28,5176"E	28,3684222°S	29,9412549°E	
Н	28°22'1,137"S	29°56'27,7969"E	28,3669825°S	29,9410547°E	
J	28°22'0,6352"S	29°56'26,0243"E	28,3668431°S	29,9405623°E	
K	28°21'58,7858"S	29°56'26,7828"E	28,3663294°S	29,940773°E	
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x. Current Landuse: Agricultural land

xi. Application Area Extent: 4.91ha

xii. Proposed activity:

The Applicant, Raubex Construction (Pty) Ltd, is applying for environmental authorisation (EA) and a mining permit (MP) over 4.91 ha of a portion of the Remaining Extent of the farm Elands Spruit No 5523, uThukela Magisterial District, KwaZulu-Natal Province.

The earmarked mining area directly borders an existing quarry, the Applicant therefore wishes to secure the resource and proposes to mine the quarry through the open-cast mining method.

The mining method will make use of blasting to loosen the hard rock; the material will then be loaded and hauled out of the excavation to the mobile crushing plant where it will be screened to various sized stockpiles. The stone aggregate, gravel will be stockpiled until it is transported from site using tipper trucks.

The proposed MP project will therefore entail the:

- site establishment and infrastructure development;
- stripping and stockpiling of topsoil from the proposed mining footprint area;
- blasting and excavation of the mining area;
- crushing and screening of the loosened material at the processing plant; and
- stockpiling the product until needed and transported from site.

The Applicant proposes to upgrade some farm roads to allow comfortable movement of mining related equipment and vehicles. Haul roads into the excavation will be extended as mining progresses. The surface of the road will be improved, re-gravelled where needed, and the width increased to ±10 m.

The proposed mine will appoint ±11 employees (including management), and due to the small scale of the operation no permanent infrastructure will be built at the mining area. The Applicant plans to establish the following mobile/temporary infrastructure within the mining footprint:

- Chemical ablution facilities to be serviced by a registered contractor;
- Crushing and screening plant (mobile); and
- Weighbridge with associated control room.



- xiii. Locality Map (Memory Stick)
- b. Shape or Kmz file: included (Memory stick)
- c. Document to be reviewed: One (1) electronic copy of the draft BAR & EMPr, (Memory Stick)

The I&AP's and stakeholders were notified of the availability of the report and a 30 days commenting period extending until 21 June 2024 will be allowed for comments.

A copy of the documents and all related appendices are included in the USB/Memory stick. These documents can also be downloaded from the company website at https://www.greenmined.com/mining-permits/. We trust you find this in order. Please do not hesitate to contact me in the event of any uncertainties.

Kind Regards

Murchellin Saal

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From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Thursday, 13 June 2024 14:34

To: IEM App
Cc: Murchellin Saal

Subject: RE: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

Attachments: Elandspruit Zoning certificate.pdf; The Courier Guy Proof of Delivery.jpg

Dear Ms Nkosi,

Thank you for your email.

We couriered the requested documents, which was delivered to your offices on the 07th of June 2024.

The zoning certificate from the local municipality was only received today, kindly find it attached for your perusal.

Should you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely, Anel

Kind Regards/Vriendelike Groete Anel Olivier



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From: IEM App <iem.app@kznwildlife.com>

Sent: Monday, June 3, 2024 9:09 AM

To: Greenmined Comments < comments@greenmined.co.za > **Subject:** RE: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

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Dear Anel Olivier,

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ALFRED DUMA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

DEVELOPMENT, PLANNING AND HUMAN SETTLEMENTS

Incorporating: Development & Planning, Local Economic Development, Human Settlements,
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Please ask for: KK Hlela/lm/nzs

My Ref: 9/2/1/1

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11 June 2024

Denzhe Netshitungulu N11 Truckstop ELANDSLAAGTE 2900

ATTENTION: Denzhe Netshitungulu

EMAIL ADDRESS: Denzhe.N@greenmined.co.za

Dear Sir

ZONING CONFIRMATION: REMAINDER OF ERF 5523 ELANDSPRUIT GS

The Alfred Duma Local Municipality hereby certifies that Remainder of Erf 5523 Elandspruit GS, is zoned as "Agriculture 1" in terms of the Municipality's Land Use Scheme Regulations. A zone that provides for land and buildings where the primary activity is both intensive and extensive agricultural production of crops, livestock or products.

I hope you find the above in order.

Yours faithfully

NKK HLELA

SENIOR MANAGER: DEVELOPMENT PLANNING

From: IEM App <iem.app@kznwildlife.com>

To: Greenmined Comments **Sent:** Monday, 17 June 2024 11:53

Subject: Read: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

Your message

To: IEM App

Subject: RE: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders Sent: Thursday, June 13, 2024 2:34:06 PM (UTC+02:00) Harare, Pretoria

was read on Monday, June 17, 2024 11:51:42 AM (UTC+02:00) Harare, Pretoria.

From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Tuesday, 25 June 2024 10:40

To: gonoz@kznwildlife.onmicrosoft.com

Cc: Nerissa.Pillay@kznwildlife.com; Murchellin Saal

Subject: FW: Fw: PROPOSED MINING ON A PORTION OF THE REMAINING EXTENT OF THE

FARM ELANDS SPRUIT NO 5523, ALFRED DUMA MUNICIPAL AREA, KWAZULU-

NATAL PROVINCE Ref KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP

Attachments: 13771_RaubexMiningPermitApplication_10979MP_Final Comment_24062024.pdf

Dear Zingisa,

Thank you for your email and taking part in the public participation process.

Your comments were received.

All comments provided will be incorporated into the final basic assessment report.

Warm regards, Anel

Kind Regards/Vriendelike Groete Anel Olivier



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From: Zingisa Gono <gonoz@kznwildlife.onmicrosoft.com>

Sent: Tuesday, 25 June 2024 09:11

Subject: PROPOSED MINING ON A PORTION OF THE REMAINING EXTENT OF THE FARM ELANDS SPRUIT NO 5523, ALFRED DUMA MUNICIPAL AREA, KWAZULU-NATAL PROVINCE Ref KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP

Dear Mrs Saal

Kindly find attached Ezemvelo's comment for the above-mentioned proposal as per our telephone conversation.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of this correspondence.

Please don't hesitate to contact this office should you have any questions or should any further biodiversity related issues arise.

Kind regards

Zingisa Gono

Conservation Planning Scientific Services Ezemvelo KZN Wildlife

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Physical Address: Queen Elizabeth Park, 1 Peter Brown Drive, Montrose, 3202

E-mail gonoz@kznwildlife.com Telephone 033 845 1456





Conservation Planning Division: IEM Section

Enquiries: Nerissa Pillay/ Zingisa Gono Your Ref: KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP

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E- mail: Murchellin.s@greenmined.co.za

24 June 2024

ATTENTION: Murchellin Saal

PROPOSED MINING ON A PORTION OF THE REMAINING EXTENT OF THE FARM ELANDS SPRUIT

District Municipality: uThukela

Dear Mrs Saal

The Draft Basic Assessment Report and Environmental Management Programme (DBAR & EMPr) dated May 2024 with associated appendices¹ have been reviewed by Ezemvelo KZN Wildlife's IEM Planning Staff (Ezemvelo). Ezemvelo, under the KwaZulu-Natal Nature Conservation Management Act, 1997 (Act 9 of 1997), is mandated to comment on development and land-use change applications that may adversely impact the province's biodiversity. It is within this mandate that the following comments are made.

Based on the information supplied and the interrogation of our biodiversity databases, Ezemvelo acknowledges and notes with concern that the proposed site supports sensitive biodiversity features, that need to be safeguarded from activities such as those proposed.

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Ezemvelo KZN Wildlife Official Comment Proposed Mining on a Portion of the Remaining Extent of The Farm Elands Spruit No 5523.

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¹ Appendices: A- Regulation 2.2, B – Elandsspruit Locality Map and Land use, C – Elandsspruit Site Activities, D – Elandsspruit Locality and Land use, E – Elandsspruit Rehabilitation Map, F – Proof of Public Participation, G – Wetland Assessment, H – Terrestrial Biodiversity Impact Assessment, I – Heritage Impact Assessment, J – Impact Assessment, K – Financial Tech Ability, L – Closure Plan, M – Invasive Plant Species Management Plan (2024), N – Stormwater Management Plan, O – Photo Report, P – CV and Exp 2024, Elandsspruit Zoning Certificate.

Ezemvelo's detailed concerns and recommendations in terms of a way forward are outlined below.

1. Biodiversity Features of Concern

1.1 Freshwater Habitats

Whilst the DBAR highlights that the proposed site does not support freshwater habitats including wetland systems and watercourses, Ezemvelo is highly concerned with the potential downstream mining impacts to the seep and channelled valley bottom wetland units as well as the wetland channel/watercourse identified and delineated in the Wetland Assessment Report, (fig 28: Wetland Delineation Map, pg. 88, DBAR) These impacts include inter alia pollution, wastewater, excessive stormwater, fuel spillages from vehicles and machinery, sedimentation, and erosion. Furthermore, based on desktop imagery, the proposed stockpiling site supports a wetland habitat also linked to the wetland channel downstream from the application area (co-ordinates: 28°22'09.06" S 29°56'56.83" E). Wetlands and watercourses are considered globally threatened ecosystems and have been recognised in both national and provincial environmental legislation as important resources that need to be safeguarded from activities such as those proposed. South Africa's aquatic ecosystems such as those in and around the proposed site, are under increasing pressure due to land-use change activities such as impoundments, over-extraction of water and mining activities, which all affect the ecological condition of these resources². It is thus paramount that the freshwater habitats known to occur in around the proposed site, are safeguarded from the potential mining and associated activities via appropriate site-specific mitigation measures. All freshwater habitats, including the wetland habitat within the stockpiling area, must be appropriately delineated and buffered.

1.2 National Freshwater Ecosystem Priority Areas

Further to the above, it is brought to your attention that the proposed site is located close to National Freshwater Ecosystem Priority Areas (FEPAs) which are strategic spatial priorities for conserving freshwater ecosystems and supporting the sustainable use of water resources. These priority areas are often tributaries and wetlands that support hard-working large rivers and need to stay in a good condition to manage and conserve freshwater ecosystems, as well as protect water resources for human use. In this case, the proposed site is located 971m east from an NFEPA classified wetland i.e. the artificial dam depicted in fig.28, pg. 88 of the DBAR). In addition, the Sundays River located 1.33km north of the site, is also classified as Category A FEPA i.e., unmodified, natural. Given their FEPA importance, it is imperative that appropriate mitigation measures be identified and implemented to safeguard these habitats from potential negative mining impacts via the appropriate mitigation measures. These mitigation measures must also be in line with the NFEPA Implementation Manual and ensure that the current NFEPA category of this river is maintained or upgraded.

1.3 Critical Biodiversity Areas (CBAs)

Ezemvelo notes with concern, that as highlighted in the DBAR, the proposed site supports and is located close to Critical Biodiversity Areas categorised as Optimal (pg. 38 of DBAR). Critical Biodiversity Areas are significant in that they are critical for meeting biodiversity targets and thresholds, and for ensuring the

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² Macfarlane, D.M., Bredin, I.P., Adams, J.B., Zungu, M.M., Bate, G.C. and Dickens, C.W.S. 2014. Preliminary guideline for the determination of buffer zones for rivers, wetlands, and estuaries. Final Consolidated Report. WRC Report No TT 610/14, Water Research Commission, Pretoria.

persistence of viable populations of species and the functionality of ecosystems. While CBAs are primarily driven by process, they are also informed by expert input. The Mining and Biodiversity Guidelines³ further outlines the significance of CBAs and the need for their protection.

As highlighted in the DBAR, the key drivers for the CBA are as follows:

Table 1: CBA features either known or predicted to occur in and around the proposed prospecting site.

Biodiversity Feature	Scientific Name	Common Name	Conservation
			<u>Status</u>
Northern KwaZulu Natal Moist	N/A	Northern KwaZulu Natal	Vulnerable
Grassland		Moist Grassland	
Mollusc	Cochlitoma simplex	Thukela Agate Snail	Least
			Threatened

Whilst the DBAR highlights that a portion of Northern KwaZulu Natal Moist grassland is degraded and the remaining portion is transformed (pg. 95), given the conservation status and targets, Ezemvelo is concerned with the potential residual impacts to this terrestrial habitat. The mitigation measures in this regard, including the option of Offsets as per the mitigation hierarchy within the Environmental Impact Assessment Process, should be considered.

Ezemvelo further notes that the proposed site supports 2 protected floral species of conservation significance i.e., *Aloe Marlothii* and *Cussonia spicata*. The relocation of these specimens as recommended by the specialist (pg. 57 Terrestrial Biodiversity Assessment Report) is supported and must be undertaken prior to any of the proposed activities on site. Furthermore, the relocation of these species must be done under the supervision and guidance of an appropriate specialist to a suitable location where these species can continue to persist.

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The proposed application area supports ecologically sensitive features such as freshwater habitats including NFEPAs, CBAs, and protected floral species. These features must be safeguarded from potential direct, indirect and downstream impacts from mining and associated activities via the implementation of site-specific mitigation measures. The residual impacts must also be assessed and addressed in line with the mitigation hierarchy.

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Should you require any clarity on the points raised or should any biodiversity issues arise, please do not hesitate to contact this office.

Yours sincerely



Manager Conservation Planning-IEM and PAMP

For CEO: EZEMVELO KZN WILDLIFE

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Sincerely, Anel

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Dear Zingisa,

Thank you for your email and taking part in the public participation process.

Your comments were received.

All comments provided will be incorporated into the final basic assessment report.

Warm regards,

Anel



DMRE Reference No: KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP

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26 June 2024

Attention: Nerissa Pillay/ Zingisa Gono

Dear

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RE: COMMENTS RECEIVED ON THE APPLICATION FOR MINING PERMIT IN TERMS OF SECTION 27 OF THE MINERAL AND PETROLEUM RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT ACT, (ACT 28 OF 2002) AND THE DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME FOR A MINING PERMIT APPLICATION IN TERMS OF THE MINERALS AND PETROLEUM RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT ACT, 2002 (ACT NO 28 OF 2002) (MPRDA), THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT ACT, 1998 (ACT 107 OF 1998) (NEMA), AND THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT REGULATIONS, 2014 (AS AMENDED) (EIA REGULATIONS) SUBMITTED BY RAUBEX CONSTRUCTION (PTY) LTD. REFERENCE NUMBER: KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP

The above matter as well as letter received from you dated 24 June 2024 refers. Thank you for your detailed review of the Draft Basic Assessment Report and Environmental Management Programme (DBAR & EMPr) for the above-mentioned proposed mining application. We acknowledge and appreciate the thorough evaluation conducted by Ezemvelo KZN Wildlife's IEM Planning Staff. We recognize the importance of your mandate under the KwaZulu-Natal Nature Conservation Management Act, 1997 (Act 9 of 1997), to ensure the safeguarding of the province's biodiversity.

We have carefully considered your comments and recommendations and provide our responses below:

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1. Biodiversity Features of Concern

1.1 Freshwater Habitats

Whilst the DBAR highlights that the proposed site does not support freshwater habitats including wetland systems and watercourses, Ezemvelo is highly concerned with the potential downstream mining impacts to the seep and channelled valley bottom wetland units as well as the wetland channel/watercourse identified and delineated in the Wetland Assessment Report, (fig 28: Wetland Delineation Map, pg. 88, DBAR) These impacts include *inter alia* pollution, wastewater, excessive stormwater, fuel spillages from vehicles and machinery, sedimentation, and erosion. Furthermore, based on desktop imagery, the proposed stockpiling site supports a wetland habitat also linked to the wetland channel downstream from the application area (co-ordinates: 28°22'09.06" S 29°56'56.83" E). Wetlands and watercourses are considered globally threatened ecosystems and have been recognised in both national and provincial environmental legislation as important resources that need to be safeguarded from activities such as those proposed. South Africa's aquatic ecosystems such as those in and around the proposed site, are under increasing pressure due to land-use change activities such as impoundments, over-extraction of water and mining activities, which all affect the ecological condition of these resources. It is thus paramount that the freshwater habitats known to occur in around the proposed site, are safeguarded from the potential mining and associated activities via appropriate site-specific mitigation measures. All freshwater habitats, including the wetland habitat within the stockpiling area, must be appropriately delineated and buffered.

- We acknowledge Ezemvelo's concerns regarding the potential downstream impacts on seep and channelled valley bottom wetland units, as well as the wetland channel identified in the Wetland Assessment Report.
 The following conditions will be added to the FBAR as implementation measures to safeguard these habitats:
- A qualified wetland ecologist should delineate all wetlands near the proposed development in accordance with the Department of Water Affairs (DWA) guidelines should this application be successful, and the mining permit be issued.
- All the mitigation measures recommended by wetland specialists should be enforced.
- The wetland habitat within the stockpile area should be delineated and protected through appropriate mitigation measures to prevent any adverse impacts from the proposed activities.

1.2 National Freshwater Ecosystem Priority Areas

Further to the above, it is brought to your attention that the proposed site is located close to National Freshwater Ecosystem Priority Areas (FEPAs) which are strategic spatial priorities for conserving freshwater ecosystems and



supporting the sustainable use of water resources. These priority areas are often tributaries and wetlands that support hard-working large rivers and need to stay in a good condition to manage and conserve freshwater ecosystems, as well as protect water resources for human use. In this case, the proposed site is located 971m east from an NFEPA classified wetland i.e. the artificial dam depicted in fig.28, pg. 88 of the DBAR). In addition, the Sundays River located 1.33km north of the site, is also classified as Category A FEPA i.e., unmodified, natural. Given their FEPA importance, it is imperative that appropriate mitigation measures be identified and implemented to safeguard these habitats from potential negative mining impacts via the appropriate mitigation measures. These mitigation measures must also be in line with the NFEPA Implementation Manual and ensure that the current NFEPA category of this river is maintained or upgraded.

- We understand the significance of the National Freshwater Ecosystem Priority Areas (FEPAs) in conserving freshwater ecosystems. To mitigate potential negative impacts, the following conditions will be added to the FBAR:
- Identify, delineate, and buffer all FEPAs in and around the application area from the proposed activities.
- Implement and adhere to the mitigation measures outlined in the NFEPA Implementation Manual to maintain or upgrade the current NFEPA category of the Sundays River and other nearby water bodies.

1.3 Critical Biodiversity Areas (CBAs)

Ezemvelo notes with concern, that as highlighted in the DBAR, the proposed site supports and is located close to Critical Biodiversity Areas categorised as Optimal (pg. 38 of DBAR). Critical Biodiversity Areas are significant in that they are critical for meeting biodiversity targets and thresholds, and for ensuring the persistence of viable populations of species and the functionality of ecosystems. While CBAs are primarily driven by process, they are also informed by expert input. The Mining and Biodiversity Guidelines further outlines the significance of CBAs and the need for their protection.

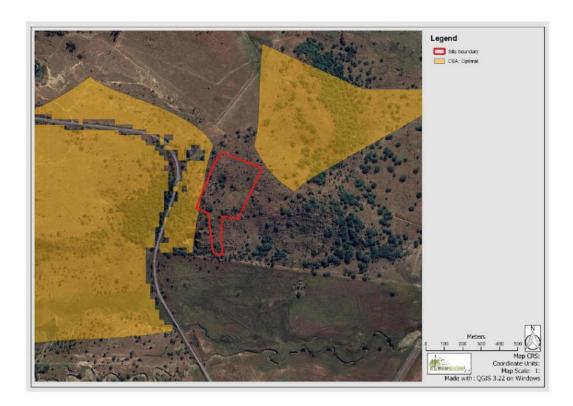
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- We recognize the importance of Critical Biodiversity Areas (CBAs) and the need to protect the Northern KwaZulu Natal Moist Grassland and other biodiversity features. The following conditions will therefore be included in the FBAR:
- While we recognize the significance of CBAs in meeting biodiversity targets and ensuring the persistence of viable populations and ecosystem functionality, it is important to note that approximately 40% of the CBA outside of the site has been destroyed by the existing quarry. Furthermore, approximately a third of the application area including the corner within the CBA has already undergone transformation-unauthorised land use. According to the KwaZulu-Natal Terrestrial Systematic Conservation Plan (TSCP) (EKZNW, 2016) areas of CBA:Optimal overlap with a corner of the project footprint as shown in Figure below which is included in the DBAR on page 69 (figure12). Therefore, offsets are not a feasible option for the applicant. Instead, strict measures to enforce and adhere to mitigation measures should be implemented as proposed by the Ecologist in (TBIA 2024). This approach will help safeguard the remaining biodiversity features and minimise any potential negative effects from the proposed activities.





Relocating the protected floral species (Aloe marlothii and Cussonia spicata) under the supervision of an appropriate specialist to a suitable location. Necessary permits will be obtained from Ezemvelo KZN Wildlife prior to relocation.

2. Conclusion and Recommendations:

The proposed application area supports ecologically sensitive features such as freshwater habitats including NFEPAs, CBAs, and protected floral species. These features must be safeguarded from potential direct, indirect and downstream impacts from mining and associated activities via the implementation of site-specific mitigation measures. The residual impacts must also be assessed and addressed in line with the mitigation hierarchy.

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 - We agree with Ezemvelo's recommendations and will ensure that the following measures are implemented:
 - 1. **Delineation of Wetlands**: A qualified wetland ecologist will delineate wetlands near the proposed development as required by the DWA guidelines prior to commencement of the mining activities.
 - 2. **Implementation of Mitigation Measures**: The mitigation measures outlined in the DEMPr for potential impacts to the wetland systems will be strictly adhered to, including the protection of the wetland habitat within the stockpile area.
 - 3. **Protection of NFEPAs**: All NFEPAs in and around the application area will be identified, delineated, and buffered from the proposed activities. Mitigation measures from the NFEPA Implementation Manual will be implemented where appropriate.
 - 4. **Rehabilitation and Invasive Alien Plant Control**: The proposed rehabilitation measures for revegetation of disturbed grassland areas and invasive alien plant control measures will be implemented as outlined in the DEMPr.
 - 5. Relocation of Protected Floral Species: The relocation of the protected floral species confirmed to occur on the site will be undertaken prior to any mining activities, with necessary permits obtained from Ezemvelo KZN Wildlife. A suitably qualified specialist will identify a suitable receiving area for these species.
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All comments received for you as well as our response will be incorporated in the Final Basic Assessment Report to be submitted to DMRE for their consideration.

Thank you for your valuable input and guidance.

Yours sincerely,

Kind Regards

Murchellin Saal

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Dear Zingisa,

Herewith please find attached the supporting specialist letter.

We trust you find all in order.

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Dear Anel,

Thank you for your prompt response. We will await the final BAR before providing further comments.

Regards,

Zingisa Gono

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Dear Zingisa,

Thank you for your email and taking part in the public participation process.

Your comments were received.

All comments provided will be incorporated into the final basic assessment report.

Warm regards, Anel

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Dear Mrs Saal

Kindly find attached Ezemvelo's comment for the above-mentioned proposal as per our telephone conversation.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of this correspondence.

Please don't hesitate to contact this office should you have any questions or should any further biodiversity related issues arise.

Kind regards

Zingisa Gono

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PROJECT EP741: COMMENTS FROM EKZNW CONSERVATION PLANNING DIVISION: IEM SECTION FOR THE PROPOSED MINING ON A PORTION OF THE REMAINING EXTENT OF THE FARM ELANDS SPRUIT NO 5523., KZN – KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP – SPECIALIST COMMENT REVIEW

Eco-Pulse Consulting acknowledges the receipt of the comments letter received on the 24th of June 2024 containing comments relating to the Draft Basic Assessment Report and Environmental Management Programme by Greenmined Environmental.

Please refer to the table below for Eco-Pulse's comments and responses:

Overall Comment

Eco-Pulse Environmental Consulting (Eco-Pulse) extends its gratitude to Ezemvelo for the comprehensive review of the Draft Basic Assessment Report and Environmental Management Programme, which includes the specialist freshwater and terrestrial reports conducted by Eco-Pulse. The comments provided have been thoroughly reviewed and noted by our freshwater and terrestrial specialists. In response, Eco-Pulse has developed a comments and response matrix that addresses the specific points raised in the conclusions and recommendations section. Please refer to the following for our detailed responses.

1. EKZNW Comment

2.1. A qualified wetland ecologist should delineate wetlands near proposed development as required by the DWA guidelines.

1. Greenmined Response

 Delineation of Wetlands: A qualified wetland ecologist will delineate wetlands near the proposed development as required by the DWA guidelines prior to commencement of the mining activities.

1. Eco-Pulse Response

Eco-Pulse Environmental Consulting was appointed as the wetland ecologist and conducted a detailed wetland delineation of the downstream wetlands near the proposed development in 2023 & 2024. It is important to note that the proposed development is approximately 155 meters from the nearest wetland edge. Consequently, no freshwater wetlands or rivers are at risk of potential impact from the proposed mining permit area. This conclusion is based on the presence of a well-established

40-meter grassed buffer zone, which effectively mitigates stormwater runoff, sedimentation, and erosion.

Additionally, Eco-Pulse conducted a wetland impact assessment for the adjacent mining activities in January 2023. Since then, the mine has become operational. During the current 2024 wetland assessment, we further investigated the wetland and found no observed impacts on-site, which can be attributed to the well-managed buffer zone that exceeds 40 meters.

Please refer to the following for the existing wetland delineation undertaken by Eco-Pulse Environmental Consulting in 2023 and 2024, with the proposed mining permit areas.

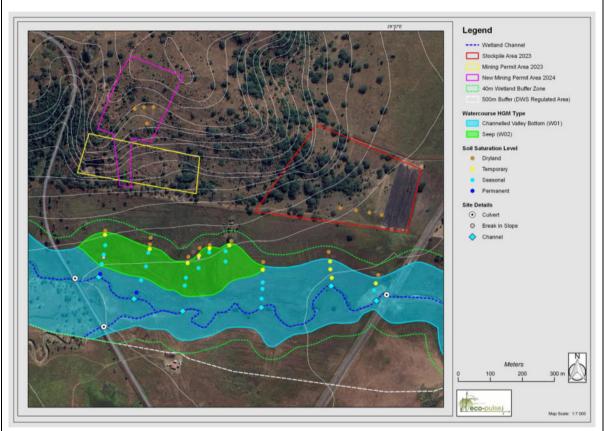


Figure 1. Wetland sampling points from the wetland delineation undertaken by Eco-Pulse.

All delineation were conducted as per the delineation guidelines - 'A Practical Field Procedure for Identification and Delineation of Wetland and Riparian Areas' (DWAF, 2005)

2. EKZNW Comment

2.2 The mitigation measures in the DEMPr for potential impacts to the wetland systems as recommended by the wetland specialists, must be implemented and strictly adhered to. In addition, the wetland habitat located within the stockpile area must also be delineated and safeguarded with appropriate mitigation measures from the proposed activities.

2. Greenmined Response

Implementation of Mitigation Measures: The mitigation measures outlined in the DEMPr for potential
impacts to the wetland systems will be strictly adhered to, including the protection of the wetland habitat
within the stockpile area.

2. Eco-Pulse Response

Eco-Pulse is in agreement that the mitigation measures recommended are to be implemented to safeguard the downstream wetland.

No wetland habitat was identified within the stockpile area. Therefore, no further investigations or mitigations are needed.

3. EKZNW Comment

2.3 All NFEPAs in and around the application area (wetlands and watercourses) must be identified, delineated and buffered from the proposed activities. The mitigation measures outlined in NFEPA Implementation Manual Must be implemented and adhered to where appropriate.

3. Greenmined Response

 Protection of NFEPAs: All NFEPAs in and around the application area will be identified, delineated, and buffered from the proposed activities. Mitigation measures from the NFEPA Implementation Manual will be implemented where appropriate.

3. Eco-Pulse Response

This comment has been noted. However, the wetland assessment focused on wetlands within the DWS regulated area which is within 500m of the proposed development. Further to this, wetlands delineated is based on wetland at potential risk of being negatively impacted based on the proposed development activities.

Based on the abovementioned a screening of the available conservation layer, no NFEPA wetlands or watercourses have been identified within the 500m buffer zone (see yellow highlighted text below).

NATIONAL LEVEL CONSERVATION PLANNING CONTEXT			
Conservation Planning Dataset		Relevant Conservation Feature	Conservation Planning Status
National Freshwater Ecosystem Priority Areas (NFEPA) (WRC, 2011)	Rivers	Catchment Planning Unit 3031	Upstream Management Area ³
	Wetlands	Onsite NFEPA wetlands	No FEPA wetlands present
		Presence of wetland FEPAs within 500m of the study area	
			Channelled valley bottom wetland
		NFEPA Wetland Vegetation Groups	'Least Threatened'
		Sub-Escarpment Grassland Group 4	Seep
			'Endangered'
2018 National Biodiversity Assessment – Inland Aquatic / Freshwater Realm (GIS Coverage)	Wetlands		Channelled valley bottom wetland
		Wetland Ecosystem Bioregions	'Critically Endangered'
		Sub-Escarpment Grassland Bioregion	Seep
			'Critically Endangered'
PROVINCIAL AND REGIONAL LEVEL CONSERVATION PLANNING CONTEXT			
Conservation Planning Dataset		Relevant Conservation Feature	Conservation Planning Status
KZN Aquatic Systematic Conservation Plan (EKZNW, 2007)		Sub-quaternary catchment & nearby Wetland	Freshwater Planning Unit No. 2353 & 2360
			'Available' (no status)

It is, however, noted that there is a NFEPA river (Sundays River) located some distance downstream.

4. EKZNW Comment

2.4 The rehabilitation measures for revegetation of the disturbed grassland areas and the proposed invasive alien plant control measures, as outlined in the DEMPr are supported and must be implemented.

4. Greenmined Response

4. Rehabilitation and Invasive Alien Plant Control: The proposed rehabilitation measures for revegetation of disturbed grassland areas and invasive alien plant control measures will be implemented as outlined in the DEMPr.

4. Eco-Pulse Response

This has been noted and also recommends that the IAP control measures are to be implemented for both the terrestrial habitat and freshwater habitat.

5. EKZNW Comment

2.5 The relocation of the protected floral species confirmed to occur on the site is supported and must be undertaken prior to the commencement of any mining and associated activities. The necessary permits must be obtained prior to relocation from Ezemvelo KZN Wildlife. A suitable receiving area for these specimens must also be identified by a suitably qualified specialist, to ensure their long-term persistence.

5. Greenmined Response

Relocation of Protected Floral Species: The relocation of the protected floral species confirmed to occur
on the site will be undertaken prior to any mining activities, with necessary permits obtained from
Ezemvelo KZN Wildlife. A suitably qualified specialist will identify a suitable receiving area for these
species.

5. Eco-Pulse Response

This comment has been noted. Eco-Pulse recommends that a protected plant and relocation plan be drafted, which is a key document when applying for the necessary permits.

6. EKZNW Comment

2.5. The residual impacts to the CBAs and freshwater habitats as a result of the proposed activities must be identified and assessed by suitably qualified specialists. Should it be determined that the residual impacts are significant, as per the mitigation hierarchy, offsets would need to be investigated.

6. Greenmined Response

6. Assessment of Residual Impacts: Approximately a third of the application area including the corner within the CBA has already undergone transformation- unauthorised land use. According to the KwaZulu-Natal Terrestrial Systematic Conservation Plan (TSCP) (EKZNW, 2016) areas of CBA:Optimal overlap with a corner of the project footprint. The mitigation measures in the Terrestrial Biodiversity Impact Assessment Report 2024 will be implemented. This approach will help safeguard the remaining biodiversity features and minimise any potential negative effects from the proposed activities.

6. Eco-Pulse Response

The comment has been noted as well as Greenmined response. Emphases on the commencement of transformation-unauthorized activities within the permitting area.

The terrestrial impact assessment identified that the proposed mining permit area overlaps with tiny slither of CBA: Optimal (KwaZulu-Natal Terrestrial Systematic Conservation Plan - EKZNW, 2016) which was the vegetation in this area was identified as degraded Northern KwaZulu-Natal Moist Grassland which has a conservation status vulnerable.

Residual impacts haven been identified and assessed accordingly as part of the terrestrial and freshwater assessments. Note that most of the impacts will be linked to post-construction disturbance that could open up key natural areas to further impact by Invasive Alien Plants (IAPs) and weeds. Through onsite IAP control, eradication and basic rehabilitation of disturbed habitat post-construction (as per point 4 above), impacts of alien plants on terrestrial biodiversity can be potentially mitigated and reduced to low significance levels. Given the fact that habitats are somewhat already infested by IAPs, the potential success of clearing operations will require a more comprehensive and holistic programme to manage IAPs within the target grassland and thornveld vegetation community.

Further, freshwater habitat is unlikely to experience impacts due to the distance from the proposed mining activities and the implantation and management of a >40m grassed buffer zone. In addition, Eco-Pulse did investigate the downstream wetland based on the current mining activities and noted not signs of impacts.

In this regard, offsets are unlikely required based on the current sites condition, development impacts and no conservation importance layers overlapping significantly with the proposed site (e.g., 2016 CBAs). However, due to their being protected plant species identified on the property, the need for a protect plant and relocation plan and the appreciate permits is required for commencement of mining activities.

Please do not hesitate to contact Eco-Pulse Consulting directly should you have any queries or require further clarity on the responses provided.

Yours sincerely,

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5.

PROOF OF CORRESPONDENCE WITH MS J REDDY FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT ON 21 MAY 2024

From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Tuesday, 21 May 2024 09:25

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Attachments: DBAR Notice - Ladysmith 10979MP.pdf

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Kind Regards/Vriendelike Groete Anel Olivier





From: postmaster@KZNTRANSPORT.GOV.ZA
To: Judy.reddy@kzntransport.gov.za
Sent: Tuesday, 21 May 2024 09:28

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6.

PROOF OF CORRESPONDENCE WITH MR D NKABINDE FROM SANRAL EASTERN REGION ON 21 MAY 2024

From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Tuesday, 21 May 2024 09:25

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From: Municipal Manager <mm@alfredduma.gov.za>

To: Greenmined Comments **Sent:** Tuesday, 21 May 2024 09:52

Subject: Read: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

Your message

To: Municipal Manager

Subject: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

Sent: Tuesday, May 21, 2024 9:25:21 AM (UTC+02:00) Harare, Pretoria

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From: SINQOBILE ZINHLE MAPHUMULO <SZMAPHUMULO@alfredduma.gov.za>

To: Greenmined Comments **Sent:** Tuesday, 21 May 2024 10:10

Subject: Read: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

Your message

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From: ASHONA SADEVU <ASADEVU@alfredduma.gov.za>

Sent: Tuesday, 21 May 2024 09:27 **To:** Greenmined Comments

Subject: Automatic reply: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

Good Day

Kindly note that I am unavailable from Monday, 13 May 2024 to Tuesday, 21 May 2024 and will be back at the office on Wednesday, 22 May 2024.

Kindly forward all correspondence to Ms Lingiswa Ndlovu LNDLOVU@alfredduma.gov.za - 036 637 2231 (Ext 3025) during this period.

Please copy me on all correspondence.

Kind Regards Ashona Sadevu

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From: Municipal Manager <pa.mm@uthukela.gov.za>

To: Greenmined Comments **Sent:** Tuesday, 21 May 2024 11:53

Subject: Read: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

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With reference to your emailed application and accompanying plans dated 21st May 2024, we confirm that an investigation has been carried out with regard to the supply of electricity, as well as any encroachment into Eskom's Servitudes, in respect to the application as set out above.

As per the information on your plan, the following are the only Eskom assets showing to exist on our system.

- Platberg NB33 11-kV Overhead Power Line
- Ingagane/Danskraal 1 275-kV & Ingagane/ Bloukrans 2 275kV Overhead Power Lines Transmission Division of Eskom, please contact Lungile Motsisi for comments MotsisL@eskom.co.za; 011 800 5734.

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The Power Lines are depicted on the attached diagram i.e., ER_INV_323/2024, traversing over the affected properties. Eskom has no objection to the proposed application as long as the conditions listed below are adhered to and consideration made for all Eskom's infrastructure when planning or developing the area.

It is very important to note that Eskom's LV data is not reflected on the drawing supplied. It is advisable you contact Eskom immediately, should you physically detect any conductors and/or underground cables on the ground and not reflected on the drawing. Eskom's call centre number is 08600 37566. It is imperative that you make contact with Eskom's Senior Supervisor, Mr Lwazi Mdingwa on 011 871 2087 / 074 380 8686 and email MdingwLP@eskom.co.za before construction close to Eskom's infrastructure. There should be at least a weeks (seven days) notice prior to construction. A site agreement form should be signed at the site meeting by all parties concerned.

Building Restrictions for an 11-kV Overhead Power Line

No building or structures may be erected or installed above or below the surface of the ground, neither may any material which might endanger the safety of this power line be placed within 12(twelve) meters from center line of this power line, on either side(overall servitude width 24m), without prior written permission of Eskom.

The applicant will adhere to all relevant environmental legislation. Any cost incurred by Eskom as a result of non-compliance will be charged to the applicant. Dimensions and specifics will be in accordance to ESKOM standards so as to not obstruct Eskom's existing infrastructure in any way.

Eskom shall not be liable for the death of or injury to any person or for the loss of or damage to any property whether as a result of the encroachment or of the use of the servitude area by the applicant, his/her agent, contractors, employees, successors in title, and assigns. The applicant indemnifies Eskom against loss, claims or damages including claims pertaining to consequential damages by third parties and whether as a result of damage to or interruption of or interference with Eskom's services or apparatus or otherwise. Eskom will not be held responsible for damage to the applicant's equipment. The applicant's attention is drawn to the Electricity Act, 1987, (Act 41 of 1987, as amended in 1994), Section 27(3), which stipulates that the applicant can be fined and/or imprisoned as a result of damage to Eskom's apparatus.

No mechanical equipment, including mechanical excavators or high lifting machinery, shall be used in the vicinity of Eskom's apparatus and/or services, without prior written permission having been granted by Eskom. If such permission is granted the applicant must give at least seven working days prior notice of the commencement of work. This allows time for arrangements to be made for supervision and/or precautionary instructions to be issued.

The clearances between Eskom's live electrical equipment and the proposed construction work shall be observed as stipulated by Regulation 15 of the Electrical Machinery Regulations of the Occupational Health and Safety Act 85 of 1993. Equipment shall be regarded electrically live and therefore dangerous at all times. Equipment shall be regarded electrically live and therefore dangerous at all times.

Any third party servitudes encroaching on Eskom land shall be registered against Eskom's Notaries deed at

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Eskom servitude.

A developer taking a new supply from Eskom, an increase of supply or line deviation is required to make an

application to Eskom via the Eskom toll free number 0860037566. This application will be processed in terms

of Eskom's standard customer connection tariffs, conditions and policies at the developers cost

NB. Customers requiring Substation or Powerlines to be installed for their purpose/supply their development

must grant all servitudes (a piece of ground on the property to be developed) to Eskom at no cost)

Prior to any construction activity, the applicant is required to contact Eskom and detailed plans are to be

submitted to this office. There is an attached indemnity form that you are required to complete and return to

Land Development as part of your acknowledgement.

This approval is valid for 12 months only, after which the applicant must re-apply if the work undertaken has

not been completed. Any changes / deviations to the original application must be immediately communicated

to this office and apply for new approval. Any damage/s to Eskom infrastructure during construction or any

work carried out by the applicant will be borne by the applicant.

Yours sincerely



TG Sibiya

Lands and Rights Officer



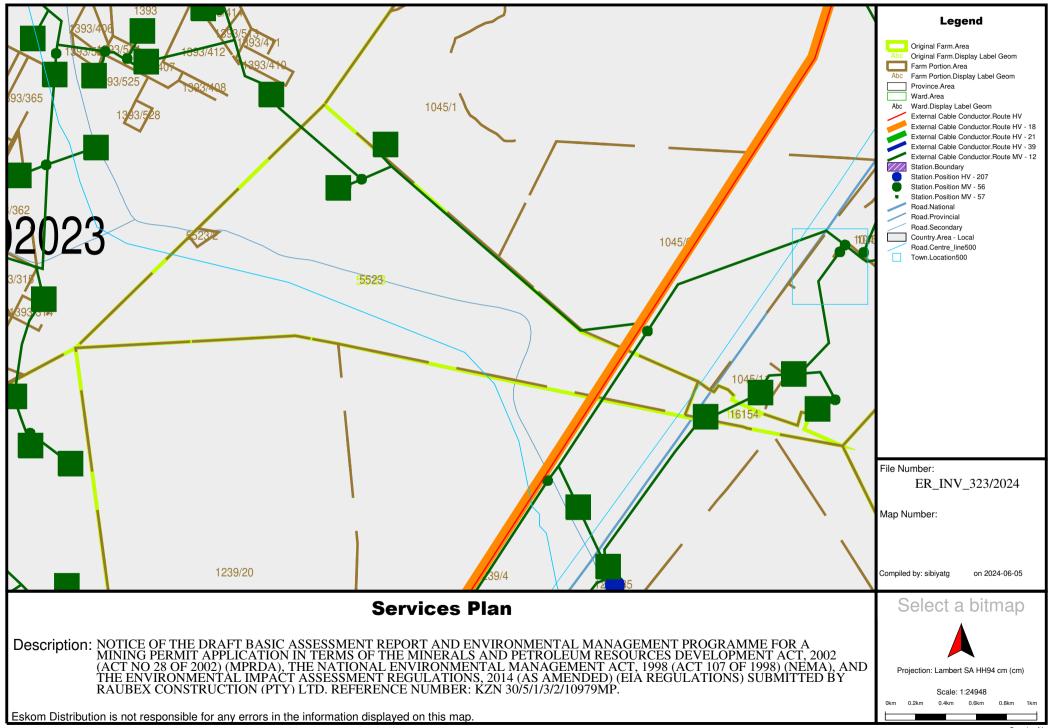
Indemnity

To: Eskom (Address)KZN OU Eskom SOC LTD, Land Development, 25 Valley View Road, P. O. Box 66, New Germany, 3620
In consideration of Eskom having agreed to us using the Eskom servitude area situated at
for purposes of
1) To keep you indemnified and to hold you harmless against all loss, expense or damage from any cause arising including, but not limited to, death of or injury to any person or the loss of or damage to any property, which you may sustain as a result of having agreed to us using the abovementioned servitude areas or us not taking the required safety precautions with regard to the transmission of electricity and which are caused by our negligence or that of our employees contractors or agents.
2) To pay to you on demand whatever sum of loss or damages that is certified as such by an Eskom official, whose appointment and authority need not be proved, and such certificate shall be prima facie proof of the said loss or damages. We waive the benefits of the exceptions non causae debiti, non numeratae pecuniae and exclusion and any other exceptions which may be pleaded in respect of this indemnity.
3) If during the period of this indemnity any claim is made against Eskom by any third party for loss or damages from any cause arising out of our use of the abovementioned servitude area, including the taking of safety precautions by us or failure to do so, we will, immediately upon being notified thereof by you, at our own cost and expense undertake the defence of such claim in your name and for your benefit, subject to your instructions and input in such defence, Eskom's written consent shall be obtained before any settlement of compromise is agreed to or before any indulgence or waiver of rights are considered.
4) If any claim is instituted against us by any third party because of our presence and/or activities in the abovementioned servitude area we will immediately upon receipt or notification of such claim inform you accordingly and keep you informed until the matter is finalised.
5) This indemnity shall commence on the date of signature hereof and shall cease and terminate on the date that we stop using the abovementioned servitude areas subject thereto that it will still be of effect in losses, damages or claims arising before the termination date.
Above Conditions accepted by:
Full Name: Designation: Company:
Signed at
Applicant
Witness
Witness

KZN OU Eskom SOC Ltd Land Development Department 25 Valley View Road, New Germany, 3620 P O Box 66, New Germany, 3620, SA Tel +27 31 710 5442 Fax +27 31 710 5146 www.eskom.co.za

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From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Wednesday, 05 June 2024 14:20

To: Thembisile Sibiya
Cc: Siyabonga Nsele

Subject: RE: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

Dear Thembisile,

Thank you for your email, and taking part in the public participation process.

I forwarded your comments to the relevant consultant to review and respond soonest.

Trust you find this in order.

Sincerely, Anel

Kind Regards/Vriendelike Groete Anel Olivier

Project Administrator



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Suite 62, Private Bag x15 Somerset West, 7129

"the goal isn't to live forever, it is to protect a planet that will"

From: Thembisile Sibiya <SibiyaTG@eskom.co.za>

Sent: Wednesday, June 5, 2024 2:11 PM

To: Greenmined Comments < comments@greenmined.co.za>

Cc: Siyabonga Nsele <NseleSi@eskom.co.za>

Subject: RE: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

Greetings

Please find attached comments.

Regards

Thembisile Sibiya

Eskom Holdings SOC Limited I KZN Operations Unit

Land Development Department

From: Siyabonga Nsele <NseleSi@eskom.co.za>

To: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Wednesday, 05 June 2024 14:38

Subject: Read: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

Your message

To: Siyabonga Nsele

Subject: [CAUTION:EXTERNAL EMAIL] RE: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

Sent: Wednesday, June 5, 2024 2:20:25 PM (UTC+02:00) Harare, Pretoria

was read on Wednesday, June 5, 2024 2:37:30 PM (UTC+02:00) Harare, Pretoria.

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From: Mail Delivery System <Mailer-Daemon@smtpcorp.com>

Sent: Wednesday, 05 June 2024 14:21

To: Greenmined Comments **Subject:** Delivery Status Notification

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<NseleSi@eskom.co.za> (relayed to non-DSN-aware mailer)

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Reporting-MTA: dns; mail.smtp2go.com

Action: delivered

Final-Recipient: rfc822;SibiyaTG@eskom.co.za

Status: 2.0.0

Remote-MTA: dns; za-smtp-inbound-2.mimecast.co.za

Diagnostic-Code: smtp; 250 Ok

Action: delivered

Final-Recipient: rfc822;NseleSi@eskom.co.za

Status: 2.0.0

Remote-MTA: dns; za-smtp-inbound-2.mimecast.co.za

Diagnostic-Code: smtp; 250 Ok

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Return-path: <comments@greenmined.co.za> Received: from [10.45.79.170] (helo=SmtpCorp)

by smtpcorp.com with esmtpsa (TLS1.3:ECDHE_SECP256R1__RSA_PSS_RSAE_SHA256__AES_256_GCM:256)

(Exim 4.94.2-S2G)

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(Exim 4.97.1-S2G)

(envelope-from <comments@greenmined.co.za>)

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From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Monday, 10 June 2024 16:28

To: SibiyaTG@eskom.co.z

Subject: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

Attachments: Indemnity Form_signed_sc.pdf

Dear Mr. Sibiya

Greenmined acknowledges receipt of Eskom's comments and confirms that the conditions will be incorporated into the Final Basic Assessment report.

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Kind Regards/Vriendelike Groete Anel Olivier



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Sent: Wednesday, June 5, 2024 2:11 PM

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Subject: RE: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

Greetings

Please find attached comments.

Regards

Thembisile Sibiya

Eskom Holdings SOC Limited I KZN Operations Unit

Land Development Department

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Indemnity

To: Eskom (Address)KZN OU Eskom SOC LTD, Land Development, 25 Valley View Road, P. O. Box 66, New Germany, 3620
In consideration of Eskom having agreed to us using the Eskom servitude area situated at
for purposes of and having regard that electricity is transmitted over the said servitude areas, we, the undersigned hereby agree and undertake:
1) To keep you indemnified and to hold you harmless against all loss, expense or damage from any cause arising including, but not limited to, death of or injury to any person or the loss of or damage to any property, which you may sustain as a result of having agreed to us using the abovementioned servitude areas or us not taking the required safety precautions with regard to the transmission of electricity and which are caused by our negligence or that of our employees contractors or agents.
2) To pay to you on demand whatever sum of loss or damages that is certified as such by an Eskom official, whose appointment and authority need not be proved, and such certificate shall be prima facie proof of the said loss or damages. We waive the benefits of the exceptions non causae debiti, non numeratae pecuniae and exclusion and any other exceptions which may be pleaded in respect of this indemnity.
3) If during the period of this indemnity any claim is made against Eskom by any third party for loss or damages from any cause arising out of our use of the abovementioned servitude area, including the taking of safety precautions by us or failure to do so, we will, immediately upon being notified thereof by you, at our own cost and expense undertake the defence of such claim in your name and for your benefit, subject to your instructions and input in such defence, Eskom's written consent shall be obtained before any settlement of compromise is agreed to or before any indulgence or waiver of rights are considered.
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5) This indemnity shall commence on the date of signature hereof and shall cease and terminate on the date that we stop using the abovementioned servitude areas subject thereto that it will still be of effect in losses, damages or claims arising before the termination date.
Above Conditions accepted by:
Full Name: Shaun Collins Designation: Contracts Manager Company: Raubex
Signed at Ladysmith This 05 Day of June (Month) (Year)
Applicant
Witness. 5.
Witness

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From: Mail Delivery System <Mailer-Daemon@smtpcorp.com>

Sent: Tuesday, 11 June 2024 10:22
To: Greenmined Comments
Subject: Delivery Status Notification

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MIME-Version: 1.0

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Reporting-MTA: dns; mail.smtp2go.com

Action: delivered

Final-Recipient: rfc822;SibiyaTG@eskom.co.za

Status: 2.0.0

Remote-MTA: dns; za-smtp-inbound-1.mimecast.co.za

Diagnostic-Code: smtp; 250 Ok

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Return-path: <comments@greenmined.co.za> Received: from [10.45.79.114] (helo=SmtpCorp)

by smtpcorp.com with esmtpsa (TLS1.3:ECDHE_SECP256R1__RSA_PSS_RSAE_SHA256__AES_256_GCM:256)

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(envelope-from <comments@greenmined.co.za>)

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by smtpcorp.com with esmtpsa (TLS1.2:ECDHE_SECP384R1__RSA_SHA256__AES_256_GCM:256)

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From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Tuesday, 11 June 2024 10:21

To: Siyabonga Ntamesi
Cc: Thembisile Sibiya

Subject: FW: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

Attachments: Indemnity Form_signed_sc.pdf

Good morning,

Apologies Siyabonga,

I see I didn't cc you in the correspondence of yesterday.

Warm regards, Anel

Kind Regards/Vriendelike Groete Anel Olivier



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"the goal isn't to live forever, it is to protect a planet that will"

From: Greenmined Comments < comments@greenmined.co.za>

Sent: Monday, June 10, 2024 4:28 PM

To: SibiyaTG@eskom.co.z

Subject: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

Dear Mr. Sibiya

Greenmined acknowledges receipt of Eskom's comments and confirms that the conditions will be incorporated into the Final Basic Assessment report.

Please find attached the signed Indemnity Form.

Kind Regards/Vriendelike Groete Anel Olivier Project Administrator

From: Siyabonga Ntamesi <Siyabonga.Ntamesi@dalrrd.gov.za>

Sent: Tuesday, 11 June 2024 12:31 **To:** Greenmined Comments

Subject: Read: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders **Attachments:** Read: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

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13.

PROOF OF CORRESPONDENCE WITH MR S HASCHKE FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND REFORM AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT, LADYSMITH ON 21 MAY 2024

From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Tuesday, 21 May 2024 09:25

To: dominic.wieners@kznwildlife.com; hod.pa@kzndard.gov.za;

mandisa.somhlahlo@kzndard.gov.za; mavis.padayachee@kzndae.gov.za; dumisani.gwede@kznedtea.gov.za; MsaneB@dwa.gov.za; DladlaL@dws.gov.za; GweleY@dws.gov.za; DladlaL@dws.gov.za; sbusiso.gumbi@kzntransport.gov.za; Judy.reddy@kzntransport.gov.za; nkabinded@nra.co.za; mhambit@nra.co.za;

thabile. kunene@labour.gov.za; Lindiwe. Radebe@labour.gov.za;

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bruce.burger@eskom.co.za; siegfried.haschke@dalrrd.gov.za;

john@amafainstitute.org.za

Subject: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

Attachments: DBAR Notice - Ladysmith 10979MP.pdf

Dear Sir/Madame,

RE: NOTICE OF THE DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME FOR A MINING PERMIT APPLICATION IN TERMS OF THE MINERALS AND PETROLEUM RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT ACT, 2002 (ACT NO 28 OF 2002) (MPRDA), THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT ACT, 1998 (ACT 107 OF 1998) (NEMA), AND THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT REGULATIONS, 2014 (AS AMENDED) (EIA REGULATIONS) SUBMITTED BY RAUBEX CONSTRUCTION (PTY) LTD. REFERENCE NUMBER: KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP.

The draft Basic Assessment Report (DBAR) with Environmental Management Programme (EMPR), for the proposed mining on a portion of the Remaining Extent of the farm Elands Spruit No 5523, uThukela District, is now available for your perusal. A copy of the documents can be obtained from Greenmined Environmental (Pty) Ltd upon request or downloaded from the company website at https://www.greenmined.com/mining-permits/.

Should you be interested your comments are kindly requested on the DBAR & EMPR. A thirty-day commenting period, ending on **21 June 2024**, will be allowed for comments. Your comments must be in writing and can be submitted via e-mail and/or post.

Please contact Mrs Murchellin Saal at 076 792 6327 (Cell) or 021 851 2673 (Tel), 086 546 0579 (Fax), or comments@greenmined.co.za should you require any additional information.

Kind Regards/Vriendelike Groete Anel Olivier





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Somerset West
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From: postmaster@dalrrd.gov.za
To: siegfried.haschke@dalrrd.gov.za
Sent: Tuesday, 21 May 2024 18:37

Subject: Delivery delayed:DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

Delivery is delayed to these recipients or groups:

siegfried.haschke@dalrrd.gov.za (siegfried.haschke@dalrrd.gov.za)

Subject: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP Stakeholders

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DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/109...

From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Wednesday, 22 May 2024 14:17 **To:** john.pakwe@amafainstitute.org.za

Subject: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP AMAFA

Attachments: DBAR Notice - Ladysmith 10979MP.pdf

Dear Mr Pakwe,

Kindly disregard below email with the wrong subject title, please find attached.

Apologies for the inconvenience caused.

Kind Regards/Vriendelike Groete Anel Olivier



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From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Wednesday, May 22, 2024 2:14 PM **To:** john.pakwe@amafainstitute.org.za

Subject: FDBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP National DARLRRD

Dear Sir,

RE: NOTICE OF THE DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME FOR A MINING PERMIT APPLICATION IN TERMS OF THE MINERALS AND PETROLEUM RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT ACT, 2002 (ACT NO 28 OF 2002) (MPRDA), THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT ACT, 1998 (ACT 107 OF 1998) (NEMA), AND THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT REGULATIONS, 2014 (AS AMENDED) (EIA REGULATIONS) SUBMITTED BY RAUBEX CONSTRUCTION (PTY) LTD. REFERENCE NUMBER: KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP.

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From: postmaster@amafainstitute.org.za
To: john.pakwe@amafainstitute.org.za
Sent: Wednesday, 22 May 2024 14:17

Subject: Delivered: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP AMAFA

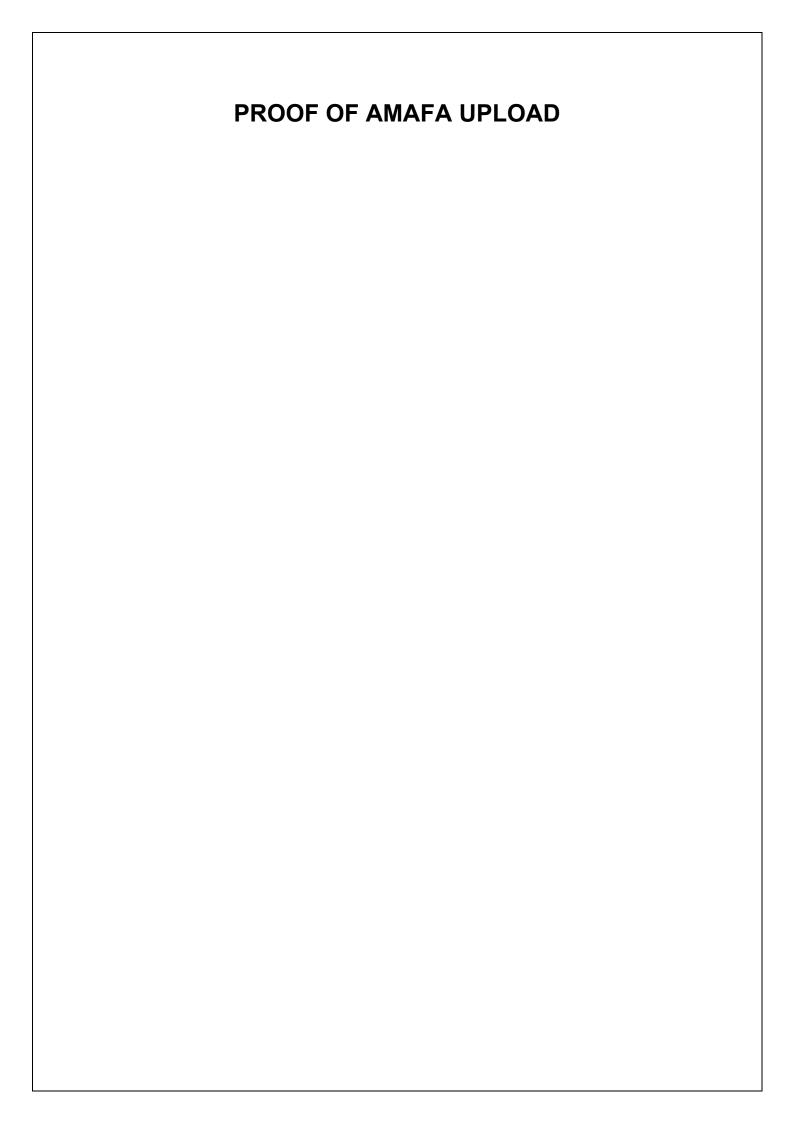
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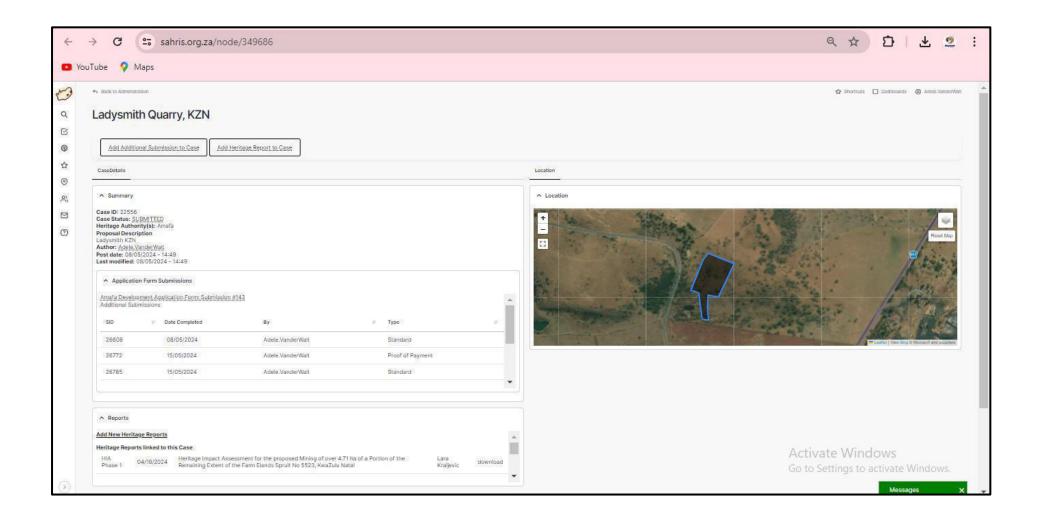
john.pakwe@amafainstitute.org.za (john.pakwe@amafainstitute.org.za)

Subject: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP AMAFA



DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/109...





16.

PROOF OF CORRESPONDENCE WITH MR F MAGWABA FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, LAND REFORM, AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (NATIONAL) ON 21 MAY 2024

From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Tuesday, 21 May 2024 14:38

To: fhatuwani.magwaba@dalrrd.gov.za

Subject: DBAR Notice KZN 30/5/1/3/2/10979MP National DARLRRD

Attachments: DBAR Notice - Ladysmith 10979MP.pdf

Dear Sir/Madame,

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Sent: Tuesday, 21 May 2024 08:34

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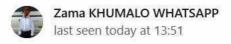
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PROOF OF CORRESPONDENCE WITH LAWFUL OCCUPIER ME Z KHUMALO FROM FARM ROODEPOORT 1045 PORTION 1 ON 21 MAY 2024











We trust you find all in order.

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Dear Me Khumalo, please find attached the emailed correspondence that were emailed to all the relevant parties today. It's a shortened version of the Zulu Executive Summary sent to you last week. Trust this meets your favourable approval. Yours Sincerely, Anel Olivier

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To: Greenmined Comments **Sent:** Tuesday, 21 May 2024 14:31

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