

STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT PROCESS

Basic Assessment for Offshore Bypass Pipelines and Associated Infrastructure, Voorbaai, Mossel Bay

SRK Project No: 583957

Notice is hereby given of a stakeholder engagement process in terms of the National Environmental Management Act 107 of 1998 (NEMA):

<u>Project:</u> The Petroleum Oil and Gas Corporation of South Africa SOC Limited (PetroSA) proposes to modify the existing Single-Point Mooring (SPM) subsea bundle by installing two new ~1.4 km steel pipelines on the seabed, parallel to the existing housing structure. The pipelines will terminate in a new Pipeline End Manifold (PLEM) seabed structure and be tied into the existing SPM buoy (to be repositioned) and the existing operating bundle. The pipelines will be launched to sea from the pipeline assembly site at PetroSA's Tank Farm.

<u>Location</u>: The project area for the subsea pipelines and associated infrastructure extends from ~1.5km to ~3km offshore of the coast of Voorbaai in Mossel Bay. PetroSA's Tank Farm and the launch way are located on Erf 1349, Remainder of Erf 13 and Erf 1358

Application for:

 Environmental Authorisation in terms of the NEMA Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations, 2014, for Listing Notice 1, Activities (19), (54) and (65).

Opportunity to participate: The Basic Assessment Report is available for public review and comment on SRK's website, www.srk.co.za (via the 'Knowledge Centre' and 'Public Documents' links). Stakeholders are invited to submit comments and/or register on the project database by contacting (email is preferred) the SRK contact person listed below by 27 March 2023. Note that only registered stakeholders will be notified of future opportunities to provide comment on relevant documentation.

By registering as a stakeholder you voluntarily consent to SRK, the Project Proponent and the Competent Authority processing and selectively disclosing your personal data (including contact details), in fulfilment of the requirements of the EIA Regulations, 2014, and the National Appeal Regulations, 2014.

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