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PER FACSIMILE / MAIL

Dear Mr Govender

AMENDMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION ISSUED ON 09 DECEMBER 2014 FOR THE PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF TWO 132KV POWER LINES AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE FROM THE ACWA POWER SOLARRESERVE REDSTONE SOLAR THERMAL POWER PLANT TO OLIEU SUBSTATION NEAR LIME ACRES, NORTHERN CAPE PROVINCE

The Environmental Authorisation (EA) issued for the above application by this Department on 09 December 2014, amendment of EA issued on 23 February 2015 and 24 April 2015 respectively as well as your application for amendment to the EA received by this Department on 04 January 2016 refer.

Based on a review of the reason for requesting an amendment to the above EA, this Department, in terms of Chapter 5 of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations, 2014, has decided to amend the EA dated 09 December 2014 as follows:

Ownership and transfer of the holder of the Environmental Authorisation is amended:

From:

Mr K.M (Terence) Govender
Vice President
SolarReserve South Africa (Pty) Ltd

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To:

Mr Alistair David Jessop
Director
ACWA Power SolarReserve Redstone Solar Thermal Power Plant

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This letter must be read in conjunction with the EA dated 09 December 2014.

In terms of Regulation 4(2) of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations, 2014 (the Regulations), you are instructed to notify all registered interested and affected parties, in writing and within 14 (fourteen) days of the date of the Department's decision in respect of the amendment made as well as the provisions regarding the submission of appeals that are contained in the Regulations.

Your attention is drawn to Chapter 2 of Government Notice No. R.993, which prescribes the appeal procedure to be followed.

An appellant must submit an appeal to the appeal administrator, and a copy of the appeal to the applicant, any registered interested and affected party and any organ of state with interest in the matter within 20 days from the date that the notification of the decision was sent to the applicant by the competent authority.

By post: Private Bag X447,
Pretoria, 0001; or

By hand: Environment House
473 Steve Biko,
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Pretoria,

Appeals must be submitted in writing to:

Mr Z Hassam, Director: Appeals and Legal Review, of this Department at the above mentioned addresses. Mr Hassam can also be contacted at:

Tel: (012) 399 9356
Email: Appealsdirectorate@environment.gov.za

Please note that in terms of section 43(7) of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998, an appeal under section 43 of that Act will suspend the environmental authorisation or any provision or condition attached thereto. In the instance where an appeal is lodged, you may not commence with the activity until such time that the appeal is finalised.

For guidance on appeals submitted to the Minister in terms of NEMA and the SEMAs, please find a copy of the guideline on the administration of appeals on the Department's website: (https://www.environment.gov.za/documents/forms#legal_authorisations). Kindly include a copy of this document with the letter of notification to interested and affected parties.

Yours faithfully



Mr Sabelo Malaza
Chief Director: Integrated Environmental Authorisations
Department of Environmental Affairs

Date: 27/01/2016

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