

## INTRODUCTION

This Draft Basic Assessment Report (DBAR) addresses the reapplication process for a proposed solar photovoltaic (PV) facility to be developed near Danielskuil in the Northern Cape.

EnviroAfrica cc has been appointed by Roma Energy Holdings (Pty) Ltd, to undertake the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) reapplication process for the proposed development. Environmental authorisation (EA) was originally granted by the Department of Environmental Affairs (DEA) for the above application on the 21<sup>st</sup> January 2013 but the EA expired before physical work on the site could commence. To continue with the development, reapplication for an EA is required. Original DEA Reference Number: 14/12/16/3/3/1/473 (NEAS Ref: DEA/EIA/0000999/2012).

The applicant, Roma Energy Danielskuil (Pty) Ltd proposes to establish a solar PV facility with a development footprint not exceeding 20ha, on Erf. 753, a Portion of Erf.1, Danielskuil, Kgatelopele Local Municipality, Barkley West Registration Division, Northern Cape Province.

Since this is a reapplication of a previously authorised development, the public participation process is running concurrently with the issuing of this DBAR. The official public participation process is scheduled to commence on the 10<sup>th</sup> of March 2017. In the interest of transparency and a thorough public participation process, please share this information with any persons who are interested in and/or affected by, the proposed development.

Should there be any queries please contact EnviroAfrica at any of the contact details below.