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**DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES (DMR)**  
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**KLERKSDORP**  
**ATTENTION: MR PHUMUDZO NETHWADZI**



## **PILANESBERG PLATINUM MINES (PTY) LTD (PPM)** **ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT (EIA) AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT** **PROGRAMME (EMPR) REPORT FOR THE PROPOSED PPM PLANT EXPANSION PROJECT**

Dear Phumudzo

The above-mentioned project refers.

Pilanesberg Platinum Mines (Pty) Ltd (PPM), an existing platinum and chrome mining and mineral processing operation to the north-west of the Pilanesberg National Park in the North-West Province, is planning to expand its existing mineral processing operations to include an additional UG2 milling and flotation circuit and hydrometallurgical plant. In addition PPM proposes to upgrade the existing sewage treatment plant and relocate the waste storage and handling facility from inside the plant to an area outside the plant. Furthermore, a number of community based initiatives have been established at the mine.

SLR Consulting (Africa) (Pty) Ltd (SLR) has been appointed as the independent environmental consultant to undertake the EIA process for the proposed project. Following optimisation of the project by PPM and completion of specialist studies, the environmental impact assessment and environmental management programme report (EIA and EMPr) for the proposed project is now distributed for decision-making.

Please find enclosed three (3) hard copies and three (3) electronic copies (CD) of the Final EIA and EMPr for the proposed PPM plant expansion project which was made available for public and commenting authority review until 7<sup>th</sup> May 2019. As part of the review of the EIA/EMP report, also find attached to this letter the note for the record which provides an outline of the public participation activities that took place with communities following the open day on 4th April 2019.

All comments which have been received, together with the responses are included in Table D2 of Appendix C in this Final EIA and EMP report which is submitted to the Department of Mineral Resources (DMR) and the North West Department of Rural, Environmental and Agricultural Development (DREAD) for decision making purposes.

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

Yours faithfully

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**PROJECT:** PILANESBERG PLATINUM MINES (PTY) LTD PLANT EXPANSION

**DELIVERED BY:** D. MOYO

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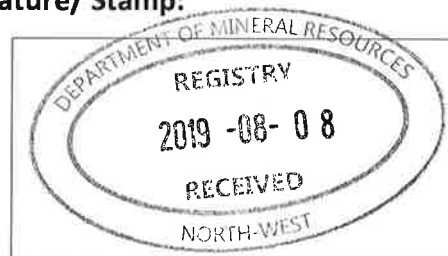
have received the following documents:

**PLEASE COMPLETE**

<b>3x HARD COPY:</b> ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME REPORT	
<b>3x ELECTRONIC COPY:</b> ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME REPORT	

Date: 08/08/19

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# ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF DOCUMENTS RECEIVED

## REGISTRY KLERKSDORP OFFICE

Applicant /Holder of Right: Pilanesberg Platinum Mine (Pty) Ltd.

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### CHECKLIST: MINERAL LAW ADMINISTRATION

- Joint venture agreement / Bee
- Proof Of Consultation with Landowner/Interested/Affected Parties
- Other ... 3 CD

### CHECKLIST: MINE ENVIROMENTAL MANAGEMENT

- 1 Original + ... 2 ... Copies ( Scoping Report / EMP/BAR / EIA)
- Closure application
- Memorandum Agreement
- Itemisation as required in terms of Section 24 P(3) of NEMA
- Letter from the Bank : Financial Provision
- Bank Guarantee

*Receipt of the above-mentioned documentation is hereby acknowledged and the responsible sub-directorate will revert back to you once the documents has been assessed.*

REGISTRY OFFICIAL .....

CLIENT SIGNATURE .....

**COPY TO BE PROVIDED TO CLIENT**

