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ATTENTION: MR. T. LUNGILE

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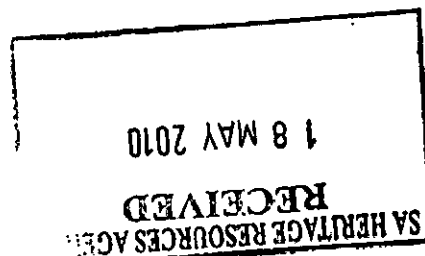
Sir

CONSULTATION IN TERMS OF SECTION 40 OF THE MPRDA OF 2002: ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PLAN (EMP) RECEIVED FOR DEVELOPMENT OF A BORROW-PIT AT KOMKULU IN EAST GRIQUALAND FOR THE REGRAVELLING OF AN ACCESS ROAD TO GOXE VILLAGE

1. Matatiele Local Municipality applied for a mining permit. Attached the following for further attention and comments:
 - ❖ Contact details of the applicant;
 - ❖ Locality map
 - ❖ Proposed mining Method
2. Please forward any written comments or requirements your department may have in this regard, to this office no later than **9 February 2010**. Failure to do so, will lead to the assumption that your department has no objection(s) or comments with regard to the said document.
3. Consultation in this regard has also been initiated with other relevant State Departments.
4. Kindly quote the relevant file reference number in all correspondence.

Sincerely,

**REGIONAL MANAGER
EASTERN CAPE**



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CHAPTER 1: BRIEF PROJECT DESCRIPTION

1.1 NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE RESPONSIBLE PERSON

Mr. Zama Nomesi
PO Box 35
MATATIELE
Cell: 073 212 7114
Fax: 039 737 3611

1.2 NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE MINERALS RIGHTS HOLDER

Mineral rights are State owned

1.3 NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE APPLICANT FOR A MINING AUTHORIZATION

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1.4 NAME AND ADDRESS OF LAND OWNERS

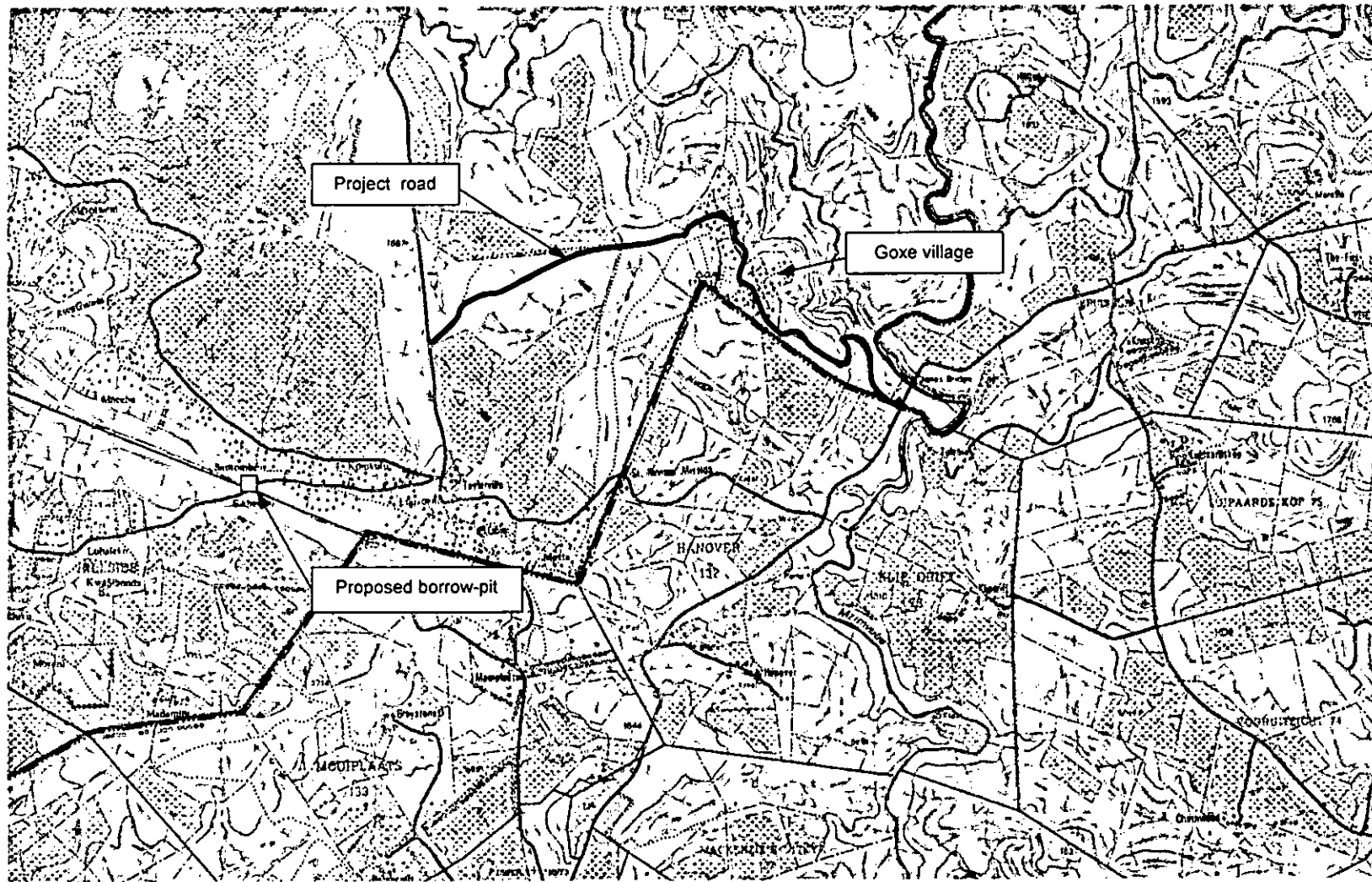
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1.5 REGIONAL SETTING

Map 1 shows the project area in relation to the surrounding towns. (Matatiele lies 34,0 Km to the South-West of the project area and Cedarville 27,0 Km to the South as the crow flies.) This map also show the co-ordinates of the centre of the proposed borroew-pit.

1.5.1 Magisterial Districts

The project falls in the Matatiele Magisterial District



LANDPLAN & ASSOCIATES		MAP 2 : LOCAL MAP: CHIBINI ACCESS ROAD UPGRADE PROJECT		
REGIONAL, ENVIRONMENTAL & DEVELOPMENT PLANNERS PROJECT MANAGERS 26 Tidewaters Drive GONUBIE Tel/Fax: 043- 740 0738 Cell : 082 573 4113	TOWN	CHIBINI	DRAWN BY	H. LE ROUX
	REGION	EASTERN CAPE	DATE	MARCH 2009
	PROJECT	BORROW-PITS FOR ROAD UPGRADING	SCALE	1:50 000

1.6.4 Proposed Mining Method

Mining will be open cast mining by excavator as all the material is soft and can be moved by excavator. There is no hard rock at any of the existing borrow-pits so no blasting would be required. Loose boulders will be moved and used to fill areas during the rehabilitation.

1.6.5 Planned Production Rates

It is estimated that about 20 000 cub m of material will be required. The rate of production will depend on the program of the contractor.

1.6.6 Planned Mine Life

The mine life will be for this project only and the area to be mined will be rehabilitated to accommodate a shearing shed for the local community at the end of the project.

