



Project No.: ANG1733

24 October 2013

**ANGLO OPERATIONS (PTY) LTD IS APPLYING FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION FOR  
AN INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT LICENCE AT LANDAU COLLIERY,  
MPUMALANGA PROVINCE**

*DEA Ref Number: 12/9/11/L13003/6*

**NOTICE ISSUED IN TERMS OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT  
REGULATIONS, 2010 WHICH REGULATE APPLICATION FOR WASTE MANAGEMENT  
LICENCES**

Dear Stakeholder,

Digby Wells Environmental (Digby Wells) on-behalf of Anglo American Thermal Coal (AATC) hereby gives notice to the interested and affected parties (I&APs) of the:

- **AVAILABILITY OF THE BACKGROUND INFORMATION DOCUMENT (BID);**
- **ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE AVAILABILITY OF THE DRAFT SCOPING REPORT (DSR) FOR PUBLIC COMMENT; AND**
- **INVITATION TO A PUBLIC MEETING TO PRESENT THE DSR**

AATC's Landau Colliery (Landau), a division of Anglo Operations (Pty) Ltd (AOPL), consists of two sections, namely the Kromdraai Section and the Navigation Section. AOPL is applying for an Integrated Waste Management Licence for the existing waste management facilities and undertaking of new waste management activities, including construction of related facilities. The waste management activities to be undertaken at Landau Colliery include the treatment of sewage, waste water and hazardous waste, as well the storage of tyres. Kromdraai is situated approximately 15 km north-west and Navigation 6 km south-west of eMalahleni, within the Mpumalanga Province. Coal is currently mined at Landau from the No. 1, 2 and 4 seams of the Witbank Coal Field by implementing strip opencast mining methods.

**ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT PROCESS AND PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

AATC has appointed Digby Wells as independent environmental consultants to undertake the required Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA), as required in terms of the National Environmental Management Waste Act, Act 59 of 2008 (NEMWA) for activities as listed in GN R 718 of 3 July 2009.

To ensure that you are given an opportunity to comment on the documents and to ensure that you receive updated project information, please complete the attached registration and comment form and send it back to us.

Digby Wells, on-behalf of AATC, hereby gives notice to I&APs of the availability of the DSR for public comment regarding the proposed project.

### Availability of DSR for comment:

The DSR will be available for **sixty days (60)** for comment from **Monday, 11 November 2013 to Tuesday, 28 January 2014**. As required by law, the period of 15 December to 2 January is excluded. As such, I&APs have until **Tuesday, 28 January 2014** to comment on the DSR which will be available at the following public places:

Location	Address	Contact
<b>Printed Copies</b>		
Emalaheni Public Library	One (1) copy	Mr Kenneth Manakane
KwaGuqa Public Library	One (1) copy	Ms Liandri Venter
Ogies Public Library	One (1) copy	Mr Clement Tiva
Witbank Farmers Association	One (1) copy	Mr Gert Smith (Chairperson)
Didby Wells Environmental	One (1) copy	Ms Qondile Monareng
<b>Electronic Copies</b>		
The reports will also be available on the following website: <a href="http://www.digbywells.com">www.digbywells.com</a> under Resources: Public Documents Phone and request a CD copy at (011) 789 9495		

### How to comment on the Draft Scoping Report?

You are welcome to comment on the DSR by addressing your comments, concerns or suggestions to Digby Wells through any one of the communication media below:

- By completing the comment sheet and submitting it to the Digby Wells Stakeholder Engagement Office;
- In writing through a letter or other form of written submission; or
- By email, fax or telephone to the Stakeholder Engagement office.

### Invitation to Public Meeting:

A Public Meeting will be held to discuss the DSR with the needed information provided below. Kindly confirm your attendance at any of these meeting by no later than **Wednesday, 20 November 2013**:

Date	Time	Meeting	Venue
Wednesday, 27 November 2013	15:00 – 18:00	Public Meeting	Clewer Primary school (316 Ascot, Clewer 1036)
Wednesday, 04 December 2013	15:00 – 18:00	Public Meeting	Hlalanikahle Community Hall (KwaGuqa Community area)

Should you require any additional information please feel free to contact myself or Ms Qondile Monareng at Tel: (011) 789 9495, Fax: 0865835715, Post: Private Bag X10046, Randburg, 2125 or email: [vanessa.viljoen@digbywells.com](mailto:vanessa.viljoen@digbywells.com) or [qondile.monareng@digbywells.com](mailto:qondile.monareng@digbywells.com).

Regards,



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**Stakeholder Engagement Consultant**

**Enclosed: Registration and Comment Sheet**