

# INVITATION TO APPEAL ON THE REFUSAL OF ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORIZATION FOR A SCOPING & ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT CONDUCTED FOR BLACK GOLD COAL ESTATES (PTY) LTD – LUSTHOF COLLIERY

DEDETREF: 17/2/3 GS-194

## REFUSAL OF ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORIZATION FOR THE PROPOSED ESTABLISHMENT OF BLACK GOLD COAL ESTATES - LUSTHOF COLLIERY ON PORTION 4 AND 6 OF THE FARM LUSTHOF 60IT, CHIEF ALBERT LUTHULI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, MPUMALANGA PROVINCE – DEDET REFERENCE: 17/2/3 GS-194

You are hereby informed that the application for Environmental Authorization for a Scoping & Environmental Impact Assessment conducted by JMA Consulting (Pty) Ltd on behalf of Black Gold Coal Estates, as described above, has formally been refused by the Department of Economic Development, Environment & Tourism on Tuesday the 25<sup>th</sup> of February 2014.

Registered I&AP's have the right to lodge an appeal against the decision. Such an appeal must be lodged in terms of Chapter 7 of the EIA Regulations (GNR 543 of 18 June 2010) in terms of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No.107 of 1998), as amended.

An appeal as described in Chapter 7 of the EIA Regulations must be lodged with:

### Department of Economic Development, Environment & Tourism

Fax No: (013) 766 8445 / 4614

By post: Private Bag X11215  
Nelspruit  
1200

By hand: Building 4, Government Boulevard  
Riverside Park, Extension 2  
1200

**Available:** Copies of the refusal for Environmental Authorization are available to all registered I&AP's and can be obtained from JMA Consulting (Pty) Ltd by means of a formal request. Contact details are given below.

**Review Period:** Appeal must be lodged before or on **Monday, 17 March 2014**.

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