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Application for authorisation in terms of the National Environmental Management Act, Act No. 107 of 1998, as amended and the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations, 2014, as amended (the Regulations)

# **PROJECT TITLE**

THE PROPOSED WOLF-SKILPAD-GRASSRIDGE 132KV TRANSMISSION LINE WEST OF KIRKWOOD, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

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# SPECIALIST INFORMATION

Specialist Company Name:	Johann Lanz – Soil Scientist					
B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1 to 8 or non- compliant)	4	Percent Procure recognit	ment	100%	
Specialist name:	Johann Lanz					
Specialist Qualifications:	M.Sc. (Environmental Geochemistry)					
Professional	Registered Professional Natural Scientist (Pr.Sci.Nat.) Reg. no. 400268/12					
affiliation/registration:	Member of the Soil Science Society of South Africa					
Physical address:	1a Wolfe Street, Wynberg, Cape Town, 7800					
Postal address:	1a Wolfe Street, Wynberg, Cape Town, 7800					
Postal code:	7800 Cell: 082 927 9018					
Telephone:	082 927 9018 Fax: Who still uses a fax? I don't					
E-mail:	johann@johannlanz.co.za					

# 2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST

I, Johann Lanz, declare that -

- I act as the independent specialist in this application;
- I will perform the work relating to the application in an objective manner, even if this results in views and findings that are not favourable to the applicant;
- I declare that there are no circumstances that may Signature of the Specialist compromise my objectivity in performing such work;
- I have expertise in conducting the specialist report Johann Eanz Soil Scientist (sole proprietor) relevant to this application, including knowledge of the Act, Regulations and any guidelines that have relevance to the proposed activity;
- I will comply with the Act, Regulations and all other Date . applicable legislation;
- I have no, and will not engage in, conflicting interests in the undertaking of the activity;
- I undertake to disclose to the applicant and the Signature of the Commissioner of Oaths competent authority all material information in my possession that reasonably has or may have the potential of influencing - any decision to be taken with respect to the application by the competent authority; and - the objectivity of any report, plan or document to be prepared by myself for submission to the competent authority;
- all the particulars furnished by me in this form are true and correct; and
- I realise that a false declaration is an offence in terms of regulation 48 and is punishable in terms of section 24F of the Act.

Signature of he Specialist

Iohann Lanz - Soil Scientist (sole proprietor)

Name of Company 02/2022 Date

Details of Specialist, Declaration and Undertaking Under Oath

# I, Johann Lanz, swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.

3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION

Name of Company

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2022-02-07

Date



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# **PROJECT TITLE**

FRESHWATER ECOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT AS PART OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION PROCESS FOR THE PROPOSED 132KV OVERHEAD POWERLINE ASSOCIATED WITH THE EXISTING WOLF, SKILPAD AND GRASSRIDGE SUBSTATIONS, NEAR KARIEGA AND KIRKWOOD IN THE **EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE** 

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#### 1. SPECIALIST INFORMATION

Specialist Company Name:	FEN CONSULTING					
B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1	4	P	Percentage 125%		
	to 8 or non-compliant)			Procurement		
			re	ecognition		
Specialist name:	Christel Du Preez					
Specialist Qualifications:	MSc Environmental Sciences, BSc Hons Environmental Sciences, BSc Environmental and Biological Sciences; Wetland and Aquatic plant Identification presented by Carin van Ginkel; Wetland Management: Introduction and Delineation presented by the Centre of Environmental Management University of the Free State					
Professional affiliation/registration:	South African Council for Natural Scientific Professions (SACNASP - Reg No.					
Physical address:						
Postal address:	P.O. Box 751779 Gardenview					
Postal code:	2047		Cell:	074 580 6	6823	
Telephone:	011 616 7893		Fax:			
E-mail:	christel@sasenvgroup.co.za					

#### 2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST

# 1. Christel Du Preez, declare that -

- I act as the independent specialist in this application; •
- I will perform the work relating to the application in an objective manner, even if this results in views and findings • that are not favourable to the applicant;
- I declare that there are no circumstances that may compromise my objectivity in performing such work; .
- I have expertise in conducting the specialist report relevant to this application, including knowledge of the Act. • Regulations and any guidelines that have relevance to the proposed activity;
- I will comply with the Act, Regulations and all other applicable legislation; •
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- all the particulars furnished by me in this form are true and correct; and
- I realise that a false declaration is an offence in terms of regulation 48 and is punishable in terms of section 24F of • the Act.

C du Preez Signature of the Specialist

FEN CONSulting Name of Company:

9-03-2022

Date

Date
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# 3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION

I, <u>Christel Du Preez</u>, swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.

C du Preez Signature of the Specialist Consulting Name of Company 03-09-2022 Date 6030 6 Signature of the Commissioner of Oaths 2022-03-00 Date

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TERRESTRIAL FLORAL ASSESSMENT FOR THE PROPOSED OVERHEAD POWERLINE, BETWEEN GQEBERHA AND KLEINPOORT IN THE EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

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#### 1. SPECIALIST INFORMATION

Specialist Company Name:	SCIENTIFIC TERRESTRIAL SERVICES					
B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1 4 Percentage 125%					
	to 8 or non-compliant)		Procure	ement		
			recogni	tion		
Specialist name:	Christien Steyn					
Specialist Qualifications:	Floral Ecologist					
Professional affiliation/registration:	Professional member of the South African Council for Natural Scientific Professions (SACNASP – Reg No. 127823/21) Member of the Botanical Society of South Africa (BotSoc),Grassland Society of South Africa (GSSA),Land Rehabilitation Society of Southern Africa (LARSSA) Member of the South African Association of Botanists (SAAB					
Physical address:						
Postal address:	P.O. Box 751779 Gardenview					
Postal code:	2047	0	Cell:	071 851 49 <sup>.</sup>	11	
Telephone:	011 616 7893	F	ax:			
E-mail:	christien@sasenvgroup.co.za					

2. **DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST** 

1,	Christian	SEEYN	, declare that –
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- I act as the independent specialist in this application; •
- I will perform the work relating to the application in an objective manner, even if this results in views and findings • that are not favourable to the applicant;
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- I have expertise in conducting the specialist report relevant to this application, including knowledge of the Act, Regulations and any guidelines that have relevance to the proposed activity;
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- all the particulars furnished by me in this form are true and correct; and
- I realise that a false declaration is an offence in terms of regulation 48 and is punishable in terms of section 24F of the Act.

Signature of the Specialist

CIENTIFIC TErrEstrial Services

Name of Company:

09-03-2022

# 3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION

I, <u>Christics</u>, swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.

(Stuge Signature of the Specialist Scientific TErrEstrial Services Name of Company 09-03-2022 Date 55 Signature of the Commissioner of Oaths 202-03-05 Date SOUTH AFRICA POLICE SERVICE MENSLIKE HULPBRONNE BESTUUR

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PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION OF THE WOLF-SKILPAD-GRASSRIDGE 132KV POWER LINE IN THE EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

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# SPECIALIST INFORMATION

Specialist Company	WILDSKIES ECOLOGICAL SERVICES PTY LTD					
Name:						
B-BBEE	Contribution level	4		Percentag	ge	100%
	(indicate 1 to 8 or non-		Procurement		ent	
	compliant)			recognitio	n	
Specialist name:	J. SMALLIE					
Specialist Qualifications:	BSC MSC					
Professional	SACNASP 400020/06					
affiliation/registration:						
Physical address:	36 UTRECHT AVENUE, EAST LONDON, 5241					
Postal address:						
Postal code:	5241		Cell:	(	082444891	19
Telephone:			Fax:			
E-mail:	JON@WILDSKIES.CO.ZA					

# **DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST**

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Signature of the Specialist WILDSKIES ECOLOGICAL SERVICES PTY LTD

Name of Company: 25 February 2022

Date:



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B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1	4	Percenta	age	125%	
	to 8 or non-compliant)		Procurer	nent		
			recogniti	on		
Specialist name:	Kim Marias					
Specialist Qualifications:	Senior Scientist, Water Resource Manager, Fauna specialist					
Professional	Professional member of the South African Council for Natural Scientific					
affiliation/registration:	Professions (SACNASP – Reg No. 117137/17) Member of the Western Cape					
-	Wetland Forum;					
Physical address:	29 Arterial Rd West Oriel 2047					
Postal address:	P.O. Box 751779 Gardenview					
Postal code:	2047 Cell: 011 616 7893					
Telephone:	011 616 7893		Fax:			
E-mail:	christel@sasenvgroup.co.za					

#### 2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST

Kim Marias . declare that -

- I act as the independent specialist in this application;
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KMorol Signature of the Specialist

Scientific Terrestrial Services ame of Company:

Name of Company:

09-03-2022

#### 3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION

I, Kim Marias, swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.

KMarol Signature of the Specialist Scientific Terrestrial Services

Name of Company

09-03-2022 Date 96 149

# Signature of the Commissioner of Oaths

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# THE PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF THE NEW WOLF – SKILPAD – GRASSRIDGE 132 KV TRANSMISSION LINE, KARIEGA / KIRKWOOD, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

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## 1. SPECIALIST INFORMATION

Specialist Company Name:	Eastern Cape Heritage Consu	eritage Consultants cc				
B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1 to 8 or non-compliant)	4	Percenta Procuren recognitio	nent	100%	
Specialist name:	Specialist name: Kobus Reichert					
Specialist Qualifications:	B.Proc , BA (Hons) - Archaeology					
Professional affiliation/registration:	Society of Africanist Archaeologists (SAfA)					
Physical address:	6 Graceland Villas, Waratah S	treet, Wave	crest, Jeffrey	s Bay		
Postal address:	P.O Box 689, Jeffreys Bay					
Postal code:	6330 Cell: 072 800 6322					
Telephone:	042 - 2960 399	Fa	X:	042 - 2960	399	
E-mail:	kobusreichert@yahoo.com					

# 2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST

I, \_\_\_\_\_Kobus Reichert\_\_\_\_\_, declare that –

- I act as the independent specialist in this application;
- I will perform the work relating to the application in an objective manner, even if this results in views and findings that are not favourable to the applicant;
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Signature of the Speciali

Eastern Cape Heritage Consultants cc

Name of Company:

16 March 2022

Date

# 3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION

 I.
 \_\_\_\_\_\_Kobus Reichert\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.

 Signature of the Specialist

 Eastern Cape Heritage Consultants cc

 Name of Company

 16 March 2022

 Date

 Signature of the Commissioner of Daths

 ZOZ Z-O3-16

 Date





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			recognition	
Specialist name:	Prof Marion Bamford			
Specialist Qualifications:	PhD Palaeontology (Wits, 1990)			
Professional	FRSSAf, mASSAf, PSSA, SASQUA, INQUA, IOP, IAWA			
affiliation/registration:	24A 8 <sup>th</sup> Avenue, Parktown North, 2193 P O Box 652, WITS			
Physical address:				
Postal address:				
Postal code:	2050	Cell:	082 555 69	937
Telephone:	011 717 6690	Fax:	011 717 66	594
E-mail:	Marion.bamford@wits.ac.za ;			
	marionbamford12@gmail.com	<u>]</u>		

# 2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST

I, \_\_\_\_Marion Kathleen Bamford\_\_\_\_\_\_, declare that -\_\_\_\_\_,

- I act as the independent specialist in this application;
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- I have no, and will not engage in, conflicting interests in the undertaking of the activity;
- I undertake to disclose to the applicant and the competent authority all material information in my possession that
  reasonably has or may have the potential of influencing any decision to be taken with respect to the application by
  the competent authority; and the objectivity of any report, plan or document to be prepared by myself for
  submission to the competent authority;
- all the particulars furnished by me in this form are true and correct; and
- I realise that a false declaration is an offence in terms of regulation 48 and is punishable in terms of section 24F of the Act.

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Signature of the Specialist

Marion Bamford Consulting

Name of Company:

09 March 2022

Date

# 3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION

I, \_\_\_\_Marion Kathleen Bamford\_\_\_\_\_\_, swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.

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Signature of the Specialist

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Signature of the Commissioner of Oaths

14/03/2022

	I certify that the DEPONENT has acknowledged that he/she knows and understands the contents of this affidavit, that he/she does not have any objection to taking the oath, and that he/she considers it to be binding on his/her conscience, and which was swom to and signed before me
And Antone U.S	at <u>IU</u> on this day of <u>March</u> 20 <u>27</u> and that the administering oath complied with the regulations contained in Government Gazette No. R 1258 of 21 July 1972, as amended.
	Signature: Full Name: Zipho NKOSI
	Commissioner of Oaths, District of Johannesburg, Ex Officio Title: Commission Para
	University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, 1 Jan Smuts Avenue, Braamfontein 2000; Johannesburg



Department: Environmental Affairs REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

# DETAILS OF THE SPECIALIST, DECLARATION OF INTEREST AND UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH

File Reference Number:	(For official use only)			
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Date Received:				

Application for authorisation in terms of the National Environmental Management Act, Act No. 107 of 1998, as amended and the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations, 2014, as amended (the Regulations)

# PROJECT TITLE

# VISUAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT AS PART OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT PROCESS FOR THE PROPOSED WOLF OVERHEAD POWERLINE, STRETCHING BETWEEN THE WOLF, SKILPAD, AND GRASSRIDGE SUBSTATIONS, IN THE EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

# Kindly note the following:

- 1. This form must always be used for applications that must be subjected to Basic Assessment or Scoping & Environmental Impact Reporting where this Department is the Competent Authority.
- 2. This form is current as of 01 September 2018. It is the responsibility of the Applicant / Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) to ascertain whether subsequent versions of the form have been published or produced by the Competent Authority. The latest available Departmental templates are available at https://www.environment.gov.za/documents/forms.
- 3. A copy of this form containing original signatures must be appended to all Draft and Final Reports submitted to the department for consideration.
- 4. All documentation delivered to the physical address contained in this form must be delivered during the official Departmental Officer Hours which is visible on the Departmental gate.
- 5. All EIA related documents (includes application forms, reports or any EIA related submissions) that are faxed; emailed; delivered to Security or placed in the Departmental Tender Box will not be accepted, only hardcopy submissions are accepted.

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#### 1. SPECIALIST INFORMATION

Specialist Company Name:	and Scientifi	c Terrestrial Serv	vices CC	
B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1 4	ļ	Percentage	125%
	to 8 or non-compliant)		Procurement	
			recognition	
Specialist name:	st name: Stephen van Staden			
Specialist Qualifications:	M.sc. Env Management. B.Sc. Hons Aquatic Health.			
Professional	SACNASP Registered Reg No. 400134/05			
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#### 2. **DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST**

1, Stephens van Stade declare that -

- I act as the independent specialist in this application; •
- I will perform the work relating to the application in an objective manner, even if this results in views and findings . that are not favourable to the applicant;
- I declare that there are no circumstances that may compromise my objectivity in performing such work;
- I have expertise in conducting the specialist report relevant to this application, including knowledge of the Act, . Regulations and any guidelines that have relevance to the proposed activity;
- I will comply with the Act, Regulations and all other applicable legislation; •
- I have no, and will not engage in, conflicting interests in the undertaking of the activity; •
- I undertake to disclose to the applicant and the competent authority all material information in my possession that • reasonably has or may have the potential of influencing - any decision to be taken with respect to the application by the competent authority; and - the objectivity of any report, plan or document to be prepared by myself for submission to the competent authority;
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- I realise that a false declaration is an offence in terms of regulation 48 and is punishable in terms of section 24F of the Act.

Signature of the Specialist

Scientific Aquatic Name of Company:

<u>99-03-2022</u>

#### 3. **UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION**

I, Stephen van Stock, swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.

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Signature of the Specialist

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Name of Company

09-03-2022 Date

Signature of the Commissioner of Oaths

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