



Great Karoo Wind Farm Proprietary Limited

Date: 31 October 2020

Department of Environment, Forestry & Fisheries
Attention: Chief Director: Integrated Environmental Authorisations
Environment House
473 Steve Biko
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To whom it may concern,

GRID CONNECTION INFRASTRUCTURE, INCLUDING 132KV OVERHEAD POWERLINE, SWITCHING STATION AND ANCILLARIES, FOR THE GREAT KAROO WIND FARM, NORTHERN CAPE (DEFF: REFERENCE STILL TO BE ASSIGNED).

This letter serves as record and confirmation of appointment of Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd as Environmental Assessment Practitioner for the grid connection infrastructure Basic Assessment currently in process for this project, on 5 October 2020. Importantly, this letter also serves as confirmation of the appointment of the following specialist studies for this application:

Specialist Name	Specialist Company	Specialist Area of Expertise
Mahomed Desai	The Biodiversity Company (Pty) Ltd	Terrestrial Ecology Assessment
Mahomed Desai	The Biodiversity Company (Pty) Ltd	Avifaunal Assessment
Jenna Lavin	CTS Heritage (Pty) Ltd	Heritage (including archaeology and palaeontology)
Andrew Husted	The Biodiversity Company (Pty) Ltd	Agricultural Compliance Statement

This letter is supplied as proof of appointment and commissioning of the above-mentioned specialist studies **prior to the date of publication** of the plant and animal species protocols in the Government Gazette (Government Notice 1150 of 30 October 2020), in fulfilment of the following condition therein:

"The requirement of these protocols will apply from the date of publication, except where the applicant provides proof to the competent authority that the specialist assessment affected by these protocols had been commissioned by the date of publication of these protocols in the Government Gazette, in which case Appendix

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6 of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations, 2014, as amended, will apply to such applications."

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be 'R. Gordon', written over a horizontal line.

Richard Gordon

Director

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