## ADVERTISEMENT

### NOTICE OF BASIC ASSESMENT AND PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS FOR FOR A BATTERY ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEM AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE AT GUNSTFONTEIN WIND ENERGY FACILITY, NORTHERN CAPE ('Gunstfontein BESS')

Project Name	Applicant
Battery Energy Storage System and Associated Infrastructure for the Gunstfontein Wind Energy Facility, Northern Cape Province	Gunstfontein Wind Farm (Pty) Ltd

**Project details**: Gunstfontein Wind Farm (Pty) Ltd is applying for environmental authorisation for the installation of a Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) at the authorised Gunstfontein WEF (DEA Ref: 14/12/16/3/3/2/826) in the Northern Cape. The BESS is planned near the facility substation and will be approximately 3-4ha in total extent. Medium voltage cabling (33kV or less) will connect the BESS to the authorised substation. An access road to the BESS will be developed.

**Project Location**: The BESS is wholly contained within the footprint of the authorised WEF, located on Farm Gunstfontein 131, Sutherland.

The proposed BESS infrastructure will consist of:

- Access road to the BESS (which will branch off the WEF roads to the BESS)
- Medium Voltage cabling (above ground or overhead) between the BESS and substation.
- Fencing around the BESS.
- Possible firebreak (i.e. vegetation trimmed low) or approximately 4m wide road around the BESS, inside the fencing; and
- 4ha Laydown Area.

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October 2020

VRYDAG 16 OKTOBER 2020

IN DIE LANDDROSHOF VIR DIE DISTRIK GEHOU TE PRIESKA	VAN PIXLEY KA SEME Saak Nr. 46/18
In die saak tussen: PRIESKA MEUBELS	Vonnisskuldeiser
EN CATHY CATHERINE BOTHA	Vonnisskuldenares

CATHY CATHERINE BOTHA Identiteitsnommer 770209 0203 088

KENNISGEWING VAN GEREGTELIKE VERKOPING

INGEVOLGE vonnis toegestaan en 'n Lasbrief vir Eksekusie uitgereik, sal die ondervermelde goedere op 23 OKTOBER 2020 om 10:00 te die LANDDROSKANTOOR, STEWART-STRAAT, PRIESKA geregtelik aan die hoogste bieër verkoop word naamlik

**1 x YACHISA KLEUR TELEVISIE** 

#### 1 x DEFY "TOP LOADER" WASMASJIEN

GEDATEER te PRIESKA op hierdie 21ste dag van SEPTEMBER 2020

M & M VAN NIEKERK ING. Prokureur vir Eiser Ou Mutualgebou, Kerkstraat, Prieska Tel.: 053 353 1131 Faks: 053 353 2344 E-pos: vankerk@mjvn.co.za

Verw.: PB122/0007

### NOTICE OF LOST OR DESTROYED DEED

Notice is hereby given in terms of Regulation 68 of the Deeds Registries Act, 1937, of the intention to apply for the issue of a certified copy of T3411/2007 passed by Karoo Hoogland Municipality in favour of EMELIE BOOY-SEN Identity number 6504060789083 and TERENCE BOOYSEN Identity number 5407215186083, married in community of property to each other in respect of ERF 868, WILLISTON SITUATE IN THE KAROO HOOGLAND MUNICIPALITY, DIVISION FRASERBURG, NORTHERN CAPE PROVINCE, which has been lost or destroyed./

All interested persons having objection to the issue of such copy are hereby required to lodge the same in writing with the Registrar of Deeds, 10th Floor, Room 10.04, Public Offices, Stead Street, Kimberley (unita.frazenburg@drdlr.gov.za) with in TWO WEEKS from the date of the publication

DATED at WILLISTON this 25th day of September 2020 APPLICANT: EMELIE BOOYSEN AND TERENCE BOOYSEN ADDRESS C/O MD VISSER ATTORNEYS

7 LUTZ STREET, WILLISTON E-MAIL rwvanzijl@xsinet.co.za

CONTACT NUMBER: 053 3913 655

## AGRI NK GESKOK

KIMBERLEY Noord-Kaap en RPO Noord-Kaap veroordeel die moord op wyle mnr. Leon Brits te Pofadder.

"Ons is uiters geskok en teleurgesteld oor die barbaarse wyse waarop 'n deeltydse boer en lid van Agri Noord-Kaap vermoor is" sê mnr. Joe Scholtz.

Ons wil ook Noord-Kaapse Polisic bedank vir hulle vinnige optrede nadat die moord aangemeld is. Ons versoek die polisie om alles binne hul vermoë te doen om saam met georganiseerde landbou alles in die stryd te werp om plase en landelike gemeenskappe te help beveilig. "Ons glo en vertrou dat die Noord-Kaap Polisie baie vinnig 'n deurbraak sal behaal deur die verdagtes in hegtenis te neem" sê mnr. Joe Scholtz.

Dit is kommerwekkend dat sulke tipe misdade in die Noord-Kaap begin toeneem.



Herewith Hantam Municipality would like to inform prospective service providers that the following formal quotations are being advertised:

1. SCM15/2020: Supply, Delivery and Fitment of Various Tyres for the Vehicles of Hantam Municipality.

The full advertisement can be found on the municipal website www.hantam.gov.za and on the e-portal website www.etenders.gov.za.

Mr. J | Swartz Municipal Manager

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Project Name Applicant Battery Energy Storage System and Associated Infrastructure for

the Gunstfontein Wind Energy Facility, Northern Cape Province Gunstfontein Wind Farm (Pty) Ltd

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Project Location: The BESS is wholly contained within the footprint of the authorised WEF, located on Farm Gunstfontein 131, Sutherland,

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16 November To obtain further information and register on the project database, please submit your name, contact

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Neef Gert se Sêgoed As jy swak betaal word is dit jou verdiende loon. Mense word betaal vir wat hulle weet en nie vir wat hulle doen nie.

#### **CSV UITREIK**

LEDE van Hoërskool Calvinia se CSV het by Sorgvliet gaan kuier op Woensdag 7 Oktober 2020. Hul sien uit daarna om volgende maand weer daarheen te gaan. Van links agter: Nathan Baadjies, Marna Brundyn, Samantha Koopman, Johann Burger en Lindi Dietrich. Voor: Shanel Bradley, Magriet Delport en Shannon Le Bretton.

#### 25 Jaar gelede

NOORDWESTER: 27 Oktober 1995, 'n Graad A voertuig toetsstasie is in die ampstermyn van die huidige burgemeester op Calvinia inge-rig wat 'n groot gerief en besparing vir Calvinia se gemeenskap asook die buur-dorpe inhou. Dit is ook 'n bron van inkomste

### Dankbetuiging Pampoenpoort Primêr

- 1 ATKV - De Aar - Krobossie (Marlé Fouche) vir grondslag fase stoele - speletjies - tydskrifte - naslaanboeke - vloerteëls - kombuiskaste - verf en alles gepaardgaande. Dankie vir julle jaarlikse bystand en ondersteuning.
- Me Suzette Victor vir skoolklere vir 2021
- 3. Mnr. Leon Dreyer vir bystand en hulp by voeding van leerders.

God se seën aan almal wat ons bystaan en ondersteun. "Vra en aan julle sal gegee word ." Matteus 7:7.

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Project Name	Applicant
Battery Energy Storage System and Associated Infrastructure for	
the Great Karoo Wind Energy Facility, Northern Cape Province	Great Karoo Wind Farm (Pty) Ltd

**Project details:** Great Karoo Wind Farm is applying for environmental authorisation for the installation of a Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) at the authorised Great Karoo WEF (DEA Ref 12/12/20/2370/3) in the Northern Cape. The BESS is planned near the facility substation and will be approximately 3-4ha in total extent. Medium voltage cabling (33kV or less) will connect the BESS to the authorised substation. An access road to the BESS will be developed.

Project Location: The BESS is wholly contained within the footprint of the authorised WEF, located on Farm Kentucky 206, Sutherland

- The proposed BESS infrastructure will consist of:
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  - tion.

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<u>Revised</u> Basic Assessment Report

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Gunstfontein Wind Energy Facility, Northern Cape Province	

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## SO SÊ DIE REDAKTEUR VRYDAG 11 DESEMBER 2020

## BLINK UIT IN BERADE EN BESLUITE

BERADE en verkiesings hou is ongetwyfeld die regerende ANC se sterkpunte. Besluite word ook by die dosyne geneem, veral in die laaste tyd oor hoe korrupsie beveg moet word sonder om een van die base se vryheid in gedrang te bring. Die probleem lê egter by die uitvoer van die besluite.

Van die beskuldigdes is veral bekend daarvoor dat hulle aandring op eers 'n skuldigbevinding in die hof voordat hulle hul lonende poste hoef te verlaat. Een van daardie beskuldigdes, oud-president Jacob Zuma, is 'n lewende getuie oor hoe daardie skuldigbevinding in die hof so te sê permanent uitgestel kan word. Hy maak ruim gebruik van 'n horde regsgeleerdes waarvoor die belastingbetaler tot dusver opgedok het.

Jacob Zuma ontwyk al 'n skuldigbevinding sedert hy 15 jaar gelede as adjunk-president ontsetel is toe hy by die wapenskandaal betrokke geraak het. En steeds is daar gate in die wette waardeur hy elke slag kruip.

By die huidige beraad is daar juis vyf uiteenlopende regsopinies ingewin oor hoekom die ANC se sekretaris-generaal nie sy pos moet ontruim noudat hy op borgtog vrygelaat is op etlike baie ernstige beskuldi gings van korrupsie ensovoorts. Kom ons raai wat daardie NUK-vergadering wat dae aangehou het oor dié saak gaan besluit.

Voorts moet altyd in gedagte gehou word dat al daardie kaders, of hulle nou in die kabinet sit of in Luthuli Huis of aan die ontvangkant van staatstenders, alles uit die staatskas ontvang. 'n Staatskas wat deur belastingbetalers befonds word en in die laaste tyd uit lenings wat in die naam van daardie selfde belastingbetalers aangegaan is en wat nie net die rente daarop moet betaal nie maar ook natuurlik ook die terugbetalings

Oor die houding van die belastingbetalers wat nie ondersteuners van die ANC is nie, is daar geen twyfel nie. Hulle is hartlik sat van die hele bedrogspul wat nou al 26 jaar aangaan en begin al vertroue verloor in die stembus om van die korrupte spul ontslae te raak. Hoe die meerderheid van kiesers by elke verkiesing vir hulle kan stem, gaan die verstand te bowe totdat die eerste All Pay die end van die maand kom. En die volgende munisipale, of enige ander tender toegeken moet word.

Dit bring ons dan by die egte ANCondersteuner wat nie saamry op die soustrein nie en wat glo in reg en geregtigheid. Wat elke sent moet omdraai en swaar betaal aan diensfooie. Waar is hulle op stemdag? Sit dikbek by die huis sonder om te gaan stem? Is dit nie tyd dat dit end kry nie?

### **OORSKRYF WORD 'N TAMELETJIE**

MATRIEKLASSE van 2020, nagenoeg 400 000 van hulle wat gedwing word om weer eksamenvraestelle te beantwoord wat hulle klaar gedoen het, gaan hulle lot nie gedwee aanvaar nie. Vier van hulle, met AfriForum se formidabele Gerrie Nel agter hulle, gaan dit in die hof betwis saam met 'n onderwys vakbond of twee.

Hoewel die betrokke minister ongetwyfeld bekwaam is en so ver bekend nog nie van korrupte optrede beskuldig kan word nie, geld dit glad nie vir die kaders wat vir haar departement werk nie. Dis elke jaar die-selfde storie – eksamenvraestelle wat voor die tyd uitlek.

Dit is sekerlik te aanvaar dat die uitlekker dit nie verniet gaan doen nie maar die ge-wone natuurlike ding doen naamlik om geld te aanvaar om wettige optredes te ontduik teen ruim vergoeding.

Of dit die skandalige gebeure gaan stopsit deur 400 000 matrieks die eksamenvraestelle te laat oorskryf, is te betwyfel. En hoekom moet hulle nou ly onder iets waaraan hulle geen aandeel gehad het nie? Duidelik het diegene wat besluit het dat die vraestelle oorgeskryf moet word deur alle betrokkenes, nie al die gevolge van hulle be-sluit deurdink het nie. Getrou aan die denke van talle ANC-staatsamptenare, sal die koste van die operasie die laaste wees waaraan gedink word. Daar sal eerder gedink word aan waar die maand se paaiement van die nuwe motor vandaan moet kom.

Dit sal veel beter wees om 'n deeglike werk te maak om die skuldiges van die uitlekkery uit te ruik en hulle die maksimum straf op te lê sonder om eers 'n lekotla te hou.

Die doel van 'n eksamen is immers om die leerders se kennis te toets van die betrokke onderwerp. As sommige van hulle vooraf kennis kry oor wat in die vraestel gaan staan het daardie eksamenskrywer mos 'n onregverdige voordeel bokant ander wat nie die vooraf kennis het nie. Vandaar die kabaal wat nou ontstaan het.

Die oplossing is egter nie om onskuldige kandidate te straf om die euwel uit te roei nie maar om die uitlekkers aan die pen te laat ry. Almal van ons moes een of ander tyd eksamen skryf en daar is maar min van ons wat so 'n vreeslike behae in die proses gehad het. Diegene met die beste geheues het 'n groot voorsprong.

## LUISTER NA JOU GEWETE

**UIT DIE WOORD** 

Hou vas aan die geloof en behou 'n goeie gewete. Om-dat sommige hulle gewete onderdruk het, het hulle ge loof skipbreuk gely. 1 TIMO-TEUS 1:19

Die alarm gaan af! Dit is nog donker, maar almal skrik wakker. Wat kan dit wees? Is dit 'n inbraak? Is daar gevaar? Dadelik gaan daar ligte in die huis aan. Oomblikke later bel die sekuriteitsmaatskappy . . . gelukkig was dit net 'n vals-alarm!

Selfs al waarsku alarms ons soms verkeerdelik, het ons tog stilke waarskuwingsyne in ons gevaarlike wêreld no-dig. Miskien ken jy die storie van die seuntjie, wat spelerig "Wolf, Wolf?" geskeeu het. Daar was geen gevaar nie. Hy wou maar net die reaksie van mense toets. Toe hy egter op

'n dag regtig 'n wolf gesien het en vinnig sy dorpsmense van die gevaar wou inlig. wou niemand meer op sy "Wolf, Wolf"-krete reageer nie

Ignoreer jy nie ook soms sulke tekens nie? Dalk wil 'n pyn in jou bors, iemand se kortaf antwoord of 'n flikkerlig jou teen moontlike gevare waarsku. Ek het so 'n paneelliggie, wat altyd ge-brand het (selfs al was daar geen fout met my motor nie), later eenvoudig geïgnoreer! Toe daar op 'n dag nog ander paneelliggies ook begin brand, was ek dus oortuig dat dit ook nie ergstig kon wees nie. So het my motor se enjin toe vasgebrand! So, selfs al is waarskuwingseine soms vals, moet ons tog maar daarna luister.

Ons gewete is ook 'n waar-skuwingssein. Dit waarsku ons teen moontlike geestelike gevare. Paulus het mense geken, wat geestelik skipbreuk gely het net omdat hulle nie na hulle gewete geluister het nie. So luister, asseblief, vandag na jou gewete. Dit wil weerhou van verkeerde sondige optrede. Dit wil jou aanmoedig om die goeie geloofstryd te bly stry!

GEBED: Here, dankie dat U vir my 'n gewete gegee het en my so lei. Mag my gewete altyd deur U Gees beheer word. Amen.

SKRYWER: Willem van der Colff het in die Paarl groot geword. Tans bly hy met sy gesin in Vinnitsa, Oekraïne, sendingwerk doen. Sy webwerf waar hy is https://ua4u.weebly.com/. Jy kan hom e-pos by willem.ua4u@gmail.com



#### **AARBEIE PLUK**

NA afloop van hul afslui tingsvergadering en 'n lekker ete op die plaas Zakfontein kon lede van Williston VLV aarbeie in die groentetuin gaan pluk

#### 24 Jaar gelede

NOORDWESTER: 3 Mei 1996. Die bestaande Magnolia-telefoondiens wat die boeregemeenskap van Calvinia distrik bedien, voldoen op die oomblik nie aan die verwagtinge van die plaaslike boeregemeenskap nie. Die deellyn konsep maak dit vir groot boerderye, besighede en gemeenskapsleiers moeilik om doeltreffend te kommunikeer.

Sorgvliet saal Plek: 10:00 Tvd: Program: Erediens Video oor gebeure op 16 Desember 1838 Voorhou van Gelofte Klipstapeling

GELOFTEFEES

**OP CALVINIA** 

**16 DESEMBER 2020** 

Bring u piekniek mandjie en kom kuier heerlik saam na afloop van die verrigtinge op Ramskop. Kole sal beskikbaar wees. Bring u eie stoel.

ALMAL IS WELKOM!

Kontak besonderhede:

Joppie 027 341 2112; Rynard 027 341 1953; Jacobus 027 341 2458

Applicant

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# PROPOSED BATTERY ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEM (BESS) FOR THE GUNSTFONTEIN WIND FARM, NORTHERN CAPE PROVINCE

Project I	Name:						Applicant:
Battery	Energy	Storage	System	(BESS)	for	the	Gunstfontein Wind Farm (Pty) Ltd
Gunstfor	ntein Win	id Farm, N	orthern C	ape Prc	vince	Э	

**Proposed Activity:** Gunstfontein Wind Farm (Pty) Ltd would like to provide for the installation of a Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) at the authorised Gunstfontein Wind Farm (DEA Ref: 14/12/16/3/3/2/826) in the Northern Cape.

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The affected properties will include the following:

» RE of the Farm Gunstfontein 131, Sutherland, Northern Cape

**Basic Assessment Process:** In terms of Sections 24 and 24D of the National Environmental Management Act (No 107 of 1998), as read with Government Notice R324 – R327, as amended, a Basic Assessment (BA) is required for the Environmental Authorisation of this project. Savannah Environmental is undertaking the required BA and public participation process for the project.

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Figure 1: Site notice and Process Notice 1 placed at the site entrance off Klein Roggeveld Road, Northern Cape (32°33'57.59"S; 20°40'57.22"E)

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Figure 2: Site notice and Process Notice 1 placed at the site entrance off Klein Roggeveld Road, Northern Cape (32°33'57.59"S; 20°40'57.22"E)

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Figure 3: Site notice 2 placed along the turn off to Gunstfontein Wind Farm along Klein Roggeveld Road (32°31'26.94"S; 20°38'11.44"E).

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Process Notification

# NOTICE OF A BASIC ASSESSMENT AND PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS

# PROPOSED BATTERY ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEM (BESS) FOR THE GUNSTFONTEIN WIND FARM, NORTHERN CAPE PROVINCE

Project I	Name:						Applicant:
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Figure 7: Process Notice 3 placed at the entrance to Sutherland OK Foods, Northern Cape (32°23'31.50"S; 20°39'44.34"E)



Figure 8: Process Notice 3 placed at the entrance to Sutherland OK Foods, Northern Cape (32°23'31.50"S; 20°39'44.34"E)



Figure 5: Process Notice 2 placed at the entrance to Sutherland Food Store, Northern Cape (32°23'44.65"S; 20°39'40.09"E)



Figure 6: Process Notice 2 placed at the entrance to Sutherland Food Store, Northern Cape (32°23'44.65"S; 20°39'40.09"E)



Figure 9: Entrance to Sutherland OK Foods, Northern Cape (32°23'31.50"S; 20°39'44.34"E) where Process Notice 3 is placed.