

## **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS**

Provides a description of the Public Participation Process followed.

A public participation process was undertaken in accordance with the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended.

The public participation and communication process aims to identify issues in order to maximise the social and environmental benefits, and to minimise the social and environmental costs of the proposed project. Interested and affected parties (I&APs) were consulted and afforded the opportunity to participate. The I&APs were informed and involved in the project from the outset in order to promote participation and transparency.

The aim of this public participation process is to achieve the following broad goals:

- identification of all key I&APs and stakeholders;
- the active involvement of all I&APs with respect to decision making;
- an exchange of information relevant to the proposed project through Background Information Documents (BID), consultations and newspaper advertisements.
- the development of an understanding with regards to the broader project objectives and goals and knowledge of the project; and
- the identification of issues and concerns with regards to all potential alternatives associated with the proposed development.

The following approach was followed in undertaking the public participation process:

### **a. Identification of and Consultation with I&APs**

The first step in the public participation process was to identify the key I&APs. A list of the registered I&APs is attached as Appendix D.

### **b. Advertising**

In accordance with the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended an advertisement was placed requesting I&APs to register their interest in the project. An advertisement was placed in the **The Lowvelder of 29 July 2021**. A copy of the advertisement is included in Appendix D.

### **c. Site Notice**

Site notifications in English in A2 format requesting comments or objections were placed on site on 23 July 2021. Photographs of the site notice are included in Appendix I of the BAR.

**d. Notification Letter and Background Information Document**

Notification letters about the project and a Background Information Document were sent out to the particular Ward Councillor and Government Departments that would be relevant to this project. The affected landowner, Libuyile Community Trust represented by Mr John Nyambi signed a landowner notification form. He has no objection to the proposed development. Please see letters in Appendix D of the BAR.

**e. Comments and Response Report**

A comments and response report was drafted that included all the issues raised by the Interested and/or Affected Parties as well as the responses to the issues raised. The Comments and Response report is included in Appendix D of the BAR.

**f. Local Authority Involvement**

A letter was forwarded to the Nkomazi Local Municipality and the Ehlanzeni District Municipality. The letters are included in Appendix D of the BAR.

**g. Review of Draft Basic Assessment Report**

The Draft Basic Assessment Report was made available to the public for review and comment, within an allocated 30-day period. A copy of the report was available in electronic format.

**ANNEXURE 1 – SITE NOTICE**

# **NOTICE OF BASIC ASSESSMENT AND WATER USE LICENSE PROCESSES:**

## **ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT REGULATIONS, 2014, AS AMENDED**

Notice is hereby given in terms of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations of 4 December 2014 promulgated in terms of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998), that an application to conduct a Basic Assessment will be submitted at the National Department of Mineral Resources in Mpumalanga for the following project:

### **PROPOSED OPENING OF A BORROW PIT ON PORTION 100 OF THE FARM STRATHMORE NR 214 JU**

It is the intention of the TRAC and the South African National Roads Agency (Soc) Ltd (SANRAL) to open a borrow pit approximately 6 km from Malelane, Mpumalanga Province on the following farm:

- Portion 100 of the farm Strathmore No 214 JU within the Nkomazi Local Municipality and the Ehlanzeni District Municipality.

The quarry will be 19.9 ha in extent with crushing facilities. The following listed activities could be triggered in terms of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended: 21, 27 and 31.

The water uses (crossing streams/rivers or within 500m of a wetland) will be applied for at the Department of Water and Sanitation in accordance with the National Water Act, (Act No. 36 of 1998).

Chameleon Environmental was appointed to undertake the environmental studies on their behalf. Any enquiries regarding the above matter should be referred in writing to:

**Dr Jenine Bothma at [bothmaj@tiscali.co.za](mailto:bothmaj@tiscali.co.za)  
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**ANNEXURE 3 - NOTICES ISSUED AND BID**

# THE PROPOSED OPENING OF A GRAVEL QUARRY ON THE FARM STRATHMORE NEAR MALALANE, MPUMALANGA PROVINCE

BACKGROUND INFORMATION DOCUMENT

OCTOBER 2021

## 1. INTRODUCTION

This Background Information Document (BID) serves to inform the public of the intention of the South African National Roads Agency (SOC) Limited to open a gravel quarry on the farm Strathmore near Malelane, Mpumalanga Province. Material sourced from the gravel quarry will be used for the improvement of Section 13 of the N4 National Route near Malalane.

A Basic Assessment will be undertaken for the proposed opening of the gravel quarry and environmental authorisation sought from the Mpumalanga Province Department of Mineral Resources and Energy (DMRE).

Public consultation is an essential part of the processes. You have been identified as an Interested and/or Affected Party (I&AP). All comments from you will be recorded and presented to the project team and regulatory authorities.

Chameleon Environmental was appointed by KBK Engineers (Pty) Ltd to facilitate the environmental processes and associated public participation processes for this project.

## 2. PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The details of the gravel quarry are the following:

The quarry is situated on Portion 100 of the farm Strathmore Nr. 214-RD. The proposed area to be utilized is 19.9ha with crushing facilities. The quarry is located approximately 6 km from the town of Malalane. The following estimated volumes are applicable to the quarry:

- Overburden: 82 000 m<sup>3</sup>
- Material being tested for G5: 340 000 m<sup>3</sup>
- Material being tested for G1: 1 018 000 m<sup>3</sup>

The quarry is situated within the Nkomazi Local Municipality and Ehlanzeni District Municipality.

## PURPOSE OF THIS DOCUMENT

This Background Information Document (BID) has been compiled and distributed for the following purposes:

- To notify Interested and/or Affected Parties (I&APs) of the proposed new development;
- To provide a brief project description;
- To describe the Basic Assessment process.



### **3. ENVIRONMENTAL PROCESSES**

The Basic Assessment (BA) process for the opening of the gravel will be guided by the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, and environmental management principles and objectives of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998). The Environment Impact Assessment (EIA) regulations, 2014 were promulgated on 4 December 2014 in terms of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998) and came into effect on 8 December 2014. The Environment Impact Assessment (EIA) regulations, 2014 were subsequently amended on 7 April 2017. Activities identified in terms of Regulation R. 983 may not commence without environmental authorisation from the competent authority and in respect of which the investigation, assessment and communication of potential impacts of activities must follow the Basis Assessment procedure as prescribed. The following listed activities could be triggered: Activity 21 E (will come into effect on 11 December 2021) and Activity 27 from Listing Notice 1 in terms of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended.

The Department of Mineral Resources and Energy (DMRE) will be the final decision making authority with regard to the BA process for the opening of the gravel quarry with the Mpumalanga Province Department of Agriculture, Rural Development, Land and Environmental Affairs as the commenting authority.

### **4. STUDY APPROACH AND METHODOLOGY**

The goal of the environmental assessment processes is to identify and assess the potential environmental impacts (ecological and social) associated with the proposed development.

#### **4.1 Basic Assessment Process**

The following tasks are included as part of this process:

- Site visit and desk study of available information and identification of key issues;
- Identify and compile a list of I&APs;
- Compile and distribute a Background Information Document (BID) to I&APs;
- Advertise in the local newspaper notifying the public of the project;
- Synthesis issues for preliminary investigation;
- Compile a Draft Basic Assessment Report and make it available for public comment;
- Submit application form and draft BAR to authorities;
- Submit Final Basic Assessment Report to environmental authorities for approval.

### **5. SPECIALIST STUDIES**

It is anticipated that the following specialist studies will be undertaken as part of the environmental process:

- Aquatic and vegetation study.
- Heritage assessment.

Specialist consultants will be appointed to assess the potential impacts associated with the proposed project.

The aim of this specialist studies are for the specialist to assess the impact of the project actions on the environment. The specialists will analyse the current situation and will assess the potential impacts of the project actions (and feasible alternatives) on various aspects of the particular issue during the construction and operation phases of the proposed project.

The impacts will be assessed in terms of various criteria such as extent, duration, intensity and whether the impact is positive or negative. The significance of the impact will then be determined through a synthesis of the various criteria used. The specialist will also recommend mitigation actions that they believe can materially affect the significance rating of impacts.

## **6. AUTHORISATION**

The DMRE will consider the final Basic Assessment report submitted and will either issue an authorisation with or without conditions, or reject the proposed project. The authorisation issued by the DMRE will be distributed to I&APs as part of the appeal period. An appeal period of 30 days will be provided by the authorities. Formal, motivated appeals should be lodged with the Department. The results of the appeal process will then be made known to the public through the distribution of a final feedback letter.

## **7. COMMENCEMENT OF CONSTRUCTION**

It is proposed that the project will be put out to tender once the environmental authorisation is issued by the DMRE. Mining activities cannot commence without authorisation from the competent environmental authorities. Any enquiries regarding the tender or employment opportunities should be directed to the applicant directly.

## **8. PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT**

Please contact Chameleon Environmental if you require further information on the applications and or activities. Please submit your name, contact information, interest and relevant issue in writing before or on 18 November 2021. The contact details are:

### **CHAMELEON ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANTS**

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18 October 2021

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Dear Mr Rasuiba

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Dear Mr Njoni

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**Subject:** Notification of environmental study  
**Attachments:** BID.pdf; Locality Plan.pdf; Notice Chamotte Holdings.pdf

Hallo,

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## ANNEXURE 4 – COMMENTS AND RESPONSE REPORT

**COMMENTS AND RESPONSE REPORT:**

**GRAVEL QUARRY ON THE FARM STRATHMORE, NEAR MALELANE, MPUMALANGA PROVINCE**

<b>NAME</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>ISSUE</b>	<b>RESPONSE</b>
Libuyile Community Trust represented by Mr Mosa Chirwa Landowner Meeting: 23 July 2021	lomafa@me.com	The following issues were raised: 1. The quarry needs to be fenced during and after the mining operation; 2. There are no graves close to the mining area.	1. The quarry will be fenced with a 1.8 m fence and the necessary warning signs will be erected. 2. Thank you for the information.

**ANNEXURE 5 – REGISTER OF I&APS**

# OPENING OF A GRAVEL QUARRY ON THE FARM STRATHMORE, NEAR MALALANE, MPUMALANGA PROVINCE

## LIST OF INTERESTED AND/OR AFFECTED PARTIES

Name	Address	Tel No	Fax No	Organisation	E-mail address
Mr Mosa Chirwa Chairperson	lomafa@me.com	0721127870	None	Libyile Communal Trust Landowner	lomafa@me.com
Mr Renald Radley Radley Landgoed (Pty) Ltd	PO Box 35 Malelane 1324	0137900466 0823883643	None	Radley Landgoed (Pty) Ltd	renald@radleylg.co.za
Mr Robert Greaves Chamotte Holdings (Pty) Ltd	PO Box 243 Malelane 1320	013 7910000 082 4309501	None	Chamotte Holdings (Pty) Ltd	Robert@chamotte.co.za
Mr Walter Giuricich	PO Box 2161 Rivonia 2128	0829676757	None	Portion 82 of the farm Strathmore	walter@ivorymacs.co.za
Ms Robyn Luyt	Mpumalanga Province Shared Services Centre 17 Van Rensburg Street Nelspruit 1200	082 672 7868 013 759 4078	013 759 4165	Mpumalanga Department: Agriculture, Rural Development, Land and Environmental Affairs	rluyt@mpg.gov.za
Mr Thabo Rasiuba IUCMA	Suite 801, The MAXSA Building, 13 Streak Street	013 753 9030	None	Inkomati-Usuthu Catchment Management Agency	rasiubat@iucma.co.za

Name	Address	Tel No	Fax No	Organisation	E-mail address
	Mbombela 1200				
Mr Skhalele Njoni – Acting Chief Director	Mpumalanga Province Shared Services Centre 17 Van Rensburg Street Nelspruit 1200	0834540142	013 766 8429	Mpumalanga Department: Agriculture, Rural Development, Land and Environmental Affairs	Skhalele.Njoni@dairrd.gov.za
Mr Khumbelo Malele	P Bag X 11338 Mbombela 1200	0844056019	None	Mpumalanga Tourism and Parks Agency	Khumbelo.malele@mtpa.co.za
Mr Livhuwani Mashamba	48 Brown St, Sonheuwel Central, Mbombela, 1201	013 755 9045 082 570 1445	None	Eskom	MashamLP@eskom.co.za
Mr Dan Ngwenya Municipal Manager	9 Park St, Malelane, 1320 Private Bag X101, Malalane, 1320	013 7900245	013 790 1494	Nkomazi Local Municipality	adett.mnisi@hkomazi.gov.za
Cllr FK Magagula Ward Councillor	Speakers Office Manager: Sibusiso Mdluli Private Bag X101, Malalane, 1320	0799144299 0797903875	None	Ward Councillor Ward 30	Sibusisomdluli4@gmail.com
Mr FS Siboba Municipal Manager	PO Box 3333 Mbombela 1200	013 759 8500 Fax:	27 13 759 8570	Ehlanzeni District Municipality	jmalepe@ehlanzeni.gov.za

**ANNEXURE 6 – LAND OWNER NOTIFICATION**



## LAND USE NOTIFICATION FORM

The purpose of this form is to serve as proof of liaison with the landowner where the borrow pit/quarry will be situated and to provide the landowner the opportunity to participate in specifying the trimming and rehabilitation of the mined area after completion and decommissioning

Date	2021-07-23
Project	Opening of Gravel Quarry on Portion 100 of the Farm Strathmore No 214 JU
Property details	Portion 100 of the Farm Strathmore No 214 JU
Borrow Pit Name/Number	Strathmore quarry

### OWNER DETAILS

Name of landowner/representative	Libyile Communal Trust
Telephone Number	0824539244
Fax Number	None
Email Address	lomafa@me.com
Postal Address	lomafa@me.com

### REHABILITATION CRITERIA

The following criteria have been set as conditions for the rehabilitation of the area:

- Area must be ripped and properly rehabilitated to blend in with the environment;
- Area must be fenced and there must be no access to the N4;
- The access road must be properly rehabilitated following the mining of the quarry.

### CONFIRMATION OF NOTIFICATION

Signature 	
Date 23-07-2021	