

CUMULATIVE IMPACTS FOR THE PROPOSED POWER LINE

DEA Comment	Action	Yes/No	Proof in Report
<p><i>Due to the number of similar proposed and existing activities in the area, all the specialist assessments must include a cumulative environmental impact statement. Identified cumulative impacts must be clearly defined, and where possible the size of the identified impact must be indicated, i.e. hectares of cumulatively transformed land.</i></p> <p><i>The cumulative impacts significance rating must inform the need and desirability of the proposed development.</i></p>	Is a cumulative impact statement included in the report?	Yes	37
	Are cumulative impacts clearly defined?	Yes	18
	Has the size of the identified cumulative impact been indicated in the report?	Yes	21
	Is there a clear link between the cumulative impacts and the need and desirability statement? If not please provide one.	Yes	See Main EIA Report
<p><i>Identified cumulative impacts significance rating must be rated with significance rating methodology</i></p>	Do the cumulative impacts include a significance rating as per the assessment methodology?	Yes	36-37
<p>Heritage only: <i>You are hereby notified, that since there is reason to believe that the proposed electrical distribution power lines will impact on heritage resources, HWC requires that a Heritage Impact Assessment (HIA) that satisfies the provisions of section 38(3) of the NHRA be submitted. This HIA must have specific reference to the following:</i></p>	Does the report satisfy section 38(3) of the NHRA?		
	Is specific reference included of Impacts on archaeological heritage resources?		
	Is specific reference included of Impacts on paleontological heritage resources?		

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Impacts on archaeological heritage resources;</i> • <i>Impacts to paleontological heritage resources;</i> • <i>Visual impacts of the proposed development;</i> <p><i>The required HIA must have an integrated set of recommendations.</i></p> <p><i>The comments of relevant registered conservation bodies and the relevant municipality must be requested and included in the HIA, where provided. Proof of these requests must be supplied.</i></p>	Is specific reference included of visual impacts?		
	Does the report have an integrated set of recommendations?		
	Has proof been provided that the relevant municipalities and conservation bodies have been approached for comments, to be included in the report?		
<p><i>The specialists in their studies conducted, must indicate their preferred substation location and preferred power line route.</i></p>	Have you nominated one substation location above all the other as preferred?	Yes	38
	Have you nominated one power line route above all the other as preferred?	Yes	38
<p><i>It is also noted that although the entire property was subject to various specialist assessment as part of another impact assessment process, not all identified impacts associated with the preferred power line corridor have been subjected to specialist assessment. As such, the final BAR must include impact statements for all phases of the development from the relevant</i></p>	Does your report refer to the mentioned impacts, relating to the development, in the context of your particular speciality? (note: relevant to preferred corridor only). Visual impacts?		
	Watercourses?		

<i>specialists on the preferred corridor for the following identified impacts:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>visual;</i> • <i>watercourses;</i> • <i>noise; and</i> • <i>soil, land capability and agricultural impact assessment.</i> 	Noise?		
	Soil, land capability and agricultural impact?		



Signature of the specialist:

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Name of company / specialist:

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Date: