

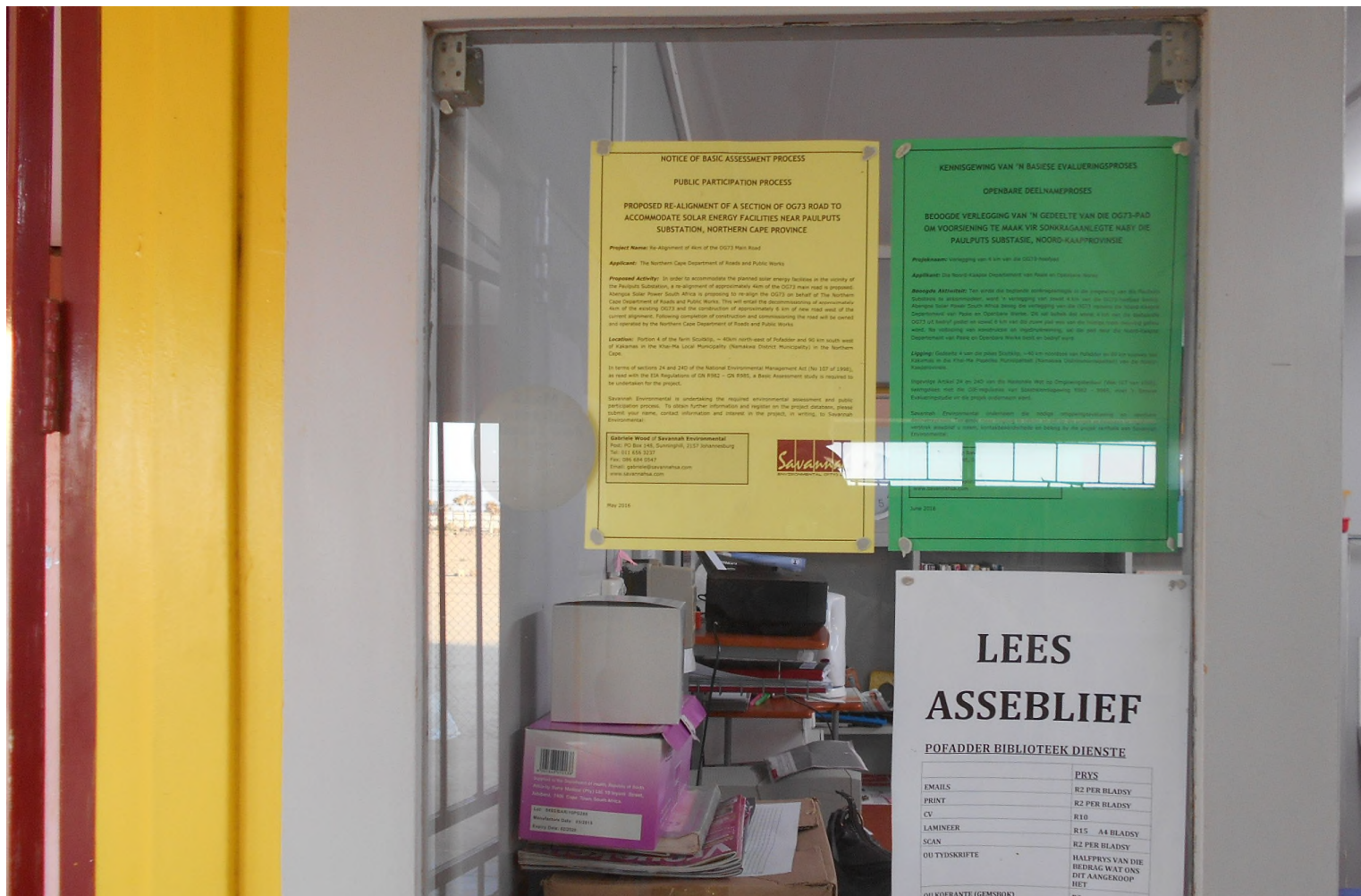
## SITE NOTICES



**Figure 1:** Site notices placed at intersection between the MN73 and the R357 (Onseepkans road). Coordinates; S 28° 50' 56.12"; E 19° 34' 54.08"



**Figure 2:** Site notices placed along the MN73. Coordinates; S 28° 52 ' 29.88'' ; E 19° 34 ' 01.76''



**Figure 3:** Site notices placed at the Pofadder Public Library. Coordinates; S 29° 07' 30.69"; E 19° 23' 06.02"

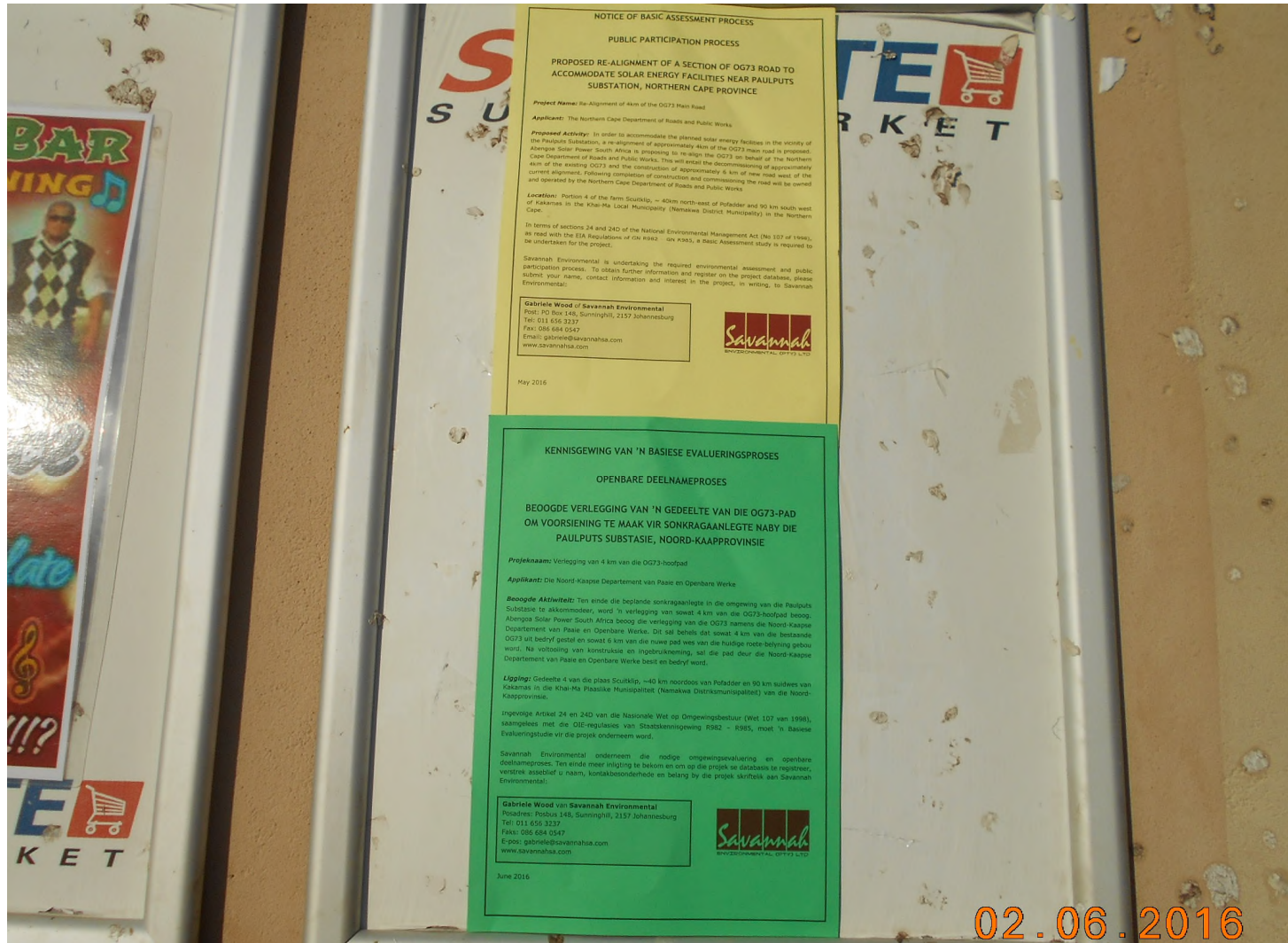


Figure 4: Site notices placed at the Pofadder Meat and Supermarket. Coordinates; S 29° 07 '46.04"; E 19° 23 '48.12"

# NOTICE OF BASIC ASSESSMENT PROCESS

## PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS

### PROPOSED RE-ALIGNMENT OF A SECTION OF OG73 ROAD TO ACCOMMODATE SOLAR ENERGY FACILITIES NEAR PAULPUTS SUBSTATION, NORTHERN CAPE PROVINCE

**Project Name:** Re-Alignment of 4km of the OG73 Main Road

**Applicant:** The Northern Cape Department of Roads and Public Works

**Proposed Activity:** In order to accommodate the planned solar energy facilities in the vicinity of the Paulputs Substation, a re-alignment of approximately 4km of the OG73 main road is proposed. Abengoa Solar Power South Africa is proposing to re-align the OG73 on behalf of The Northern Cape Department of Roads and Public Works. This will entail the decommissioning of approximately 4km of the existing OG73 and the construction of approximately 6 km of new road west of the current alignment. Following completion of construction and commissioning the road will be owned and operated by the Northern Cape Department of Roads and Public Works

**Location:** Portion 4 of the farm Scuitklip, ~ 40km north-east of Pofadder and 90 km south west of Kakamas in the Khai-Ma Local Municipality (Namakwa District Municipality) in the Northern Cape.

In terms of sections 24 and 24D of the National Environmental Management Act (No 107 of 1998), as read with the EIA Regulations of GN R982 – GN R985, a Basic Assessment study is required to be undertaken for the project.

Savannah Environmental is undertaking the required environmental assessment and public participation process. To obtain further information and register on the project database, please submit your name, contact information and interest in the project, in writing, to Savannah Environmental:

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# KENNISGEWING VAN 'N BASIESE EVALUERINGSPROSES

## OPENBARE DEELNAMEPROSES

### BEOOGDE VERLEGGING VAN 'N GEDEELTE VAN DIE OG73-PAD OM VOORSIENING TE MAAK VIR SONKRAGAAANLEGTE NABY DIE PAULPUTS SUBSTASIE, NOORD-KAAPPROVINSIE

**Projeknaam:** Verlegging van 4 km van die OG73-hoofpad

**Applikant:** Die Noord-Kaapse Departement van Paaie en Openbare Werke

**Beoogde Aktiwiteit:** Ten einde die beplande sonkragaanlegte in die omgewing van die Paulputs Substasie te akkommodeer, word 'n verlegging van sowat 4 km van die OG73-hoofpad beoog. Abengoa Solar Power South Africa beoog die verlegging van die OG73 namens die Noord-Kaapse Departement van Paaie en Openbare Werke. Dit sal behels dat sowat 4 km van die bestaande OG73 uit bedryf gestel en sowat 6 km van die nuwe pad wes van die huidige roete-belyning gebou word. Na voltooiing van konstruksie en ingebruikneming, sal die pad deur die Noord-Kaapse Departement van Paaie en Openbare Werke besit en bedryf word.

**Ligging:** Gedeelte 4 van die plaas Scuitklip, ~40 km noordoos van Pofadder en 90 km suidwes van Kakamas in die Khai-Ma Plaaslike Munisipaliteit (Namakwa Distriksmunisipaliteit) van die Noord-Kaapprovinsie.

Ingevolge Artikel 24 en 24D van die Nasionale Wet op Omgewingsbestuur (Wet 107 van 1998), saamgelees met die OIE-regulasies van Staatskennisgewing R982 – R985, moet 'n Basiese Evalueringstudie vir die projek onderneem word.

Savannah Environmental onderneem die nodige omgewingsevaluering en openbare deelnameproses. Ten einde meer inligting te bekom en om op die projek se databasis te registreer, verstrekk asseblief u naam, kontakbesonderhede en belang by die projek skriftelik aan Savannah Environmental:

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**NOTICE OF BASIC ASSESSMENT PROCESS  
PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS**

**REALIGNMENT OF A SECTION OF THE MN73 TO ACCOMMODATE SOLAR  
ENERGY FACILITIES NEAR PAULPUTS SUBSTATION, NORTHERN CAPE  
PROVINCE**

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**Project Name:** The realignment of a section of the MN73 to accommodate solar energy facilities near Paulputs Substation, Northern Cape Province.

**Applicant:** Northern Cape Department of Roads and Public Works

**Project Location:** Portion 4 of the farm Scuitklip, ~ 40km north-east of Pofadder and 90 km south west of Kakamas in the Khai-Ma Local Municipality (Namakwa District Municipality)

**Proposed Activity:** In order to accommodate the planned solar energy facilities in the vicinity of the Paulputs Substation, a realignment of a section of the MN73 is required and will entail the construction of a new section of road ~4km in length and ~7m wide (with a road reserve of 20m) according to approved Northern Cape Department of Roads and Public Works (NC DR&PW) plans and standards; and the decommissioning of ~3km of the existing MN73 road as and where required after commissioning the realigned section. Portions of the decommissioned section of the MN73 road will not be rehabilitated where these are used to provide internal access for the Paulputs CSP Facility.

**Environmental Impact Assessment Process:** In terms of Sections 24 and 24D of the National Environmental Management Act (No 107 of 1998), as read with Government Notice R982 - R985, a Basic Assessment is required to be undertaken for the proposed project. Savannah Environmental is responsible for the impact assessment and public participation process.

**Basic Assessment Report Available for Review:** A Basic Assessment Report is available for review and comment. The report is available at the Pofadder Public Library (Main Road, Pofadder) from **25 January 2017 – 24 February 2017**. The report is also available for download on [www.savannahsa.com/projects](http://www.savannahsa.com/projects). The due date for written comment is **24 February 2017**.

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