

ENVIRONMENTAL BASIC ASSESSMENT

Relocation of a section of the 275 kV Eskom power line at Sishen Mine

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TSANTSABANE MUNICIPALITY TENDER INVITATION

BID NUMBER: TM015-2012/13

You are hereby invited to bid for:

Tsantsabane – Community High Mast Lighting.

The contract comprises the supply, delivery to site, erection, installation and commissioning of 20 x 25-metre mid-hinge high-mast lighting structures with floodlight luminaires in the Postmasburg area.

The targeted procurement strategy (90/10) will apply. The successful bidder must be CIDB registered with a minimum grading of 5EP and registered on Tsantsabane Municipality's supplier database.

A set of bid documents, together with instructions for bidding, will be available from 15 April 2013 at the Tsantsabane Municipal Offices, 13 Springbok Street, Postmasburg. Upon collection of the tender document, a bid deposit of R300 in cash or in form of a cheque made out to Tsantsabane Municipality' is payable and proof of 5EP CIDB grading should be displayed.

A compulsory site meeting will be held on 17 April 2013 at 10:00. The meeting will commence at the Tsantsabane Municipal Offices, 13 Springbok Street, Postmasburg.

Sealed bids must be placed in the Tender Box at the Tsantsabane Municipal Offices, 13 Springbok Street, Postmasburg, by 12:00 on 26 April 2013. Bids will be opened in public at 12:05 on the same day in the Council Chambers.

All enquiries can be directed to Dihlase Consulting Engineers at tel. 053 861 3722.

The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

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ACTING MUNICIPAL MANAGER
Tsantsabane Municipality
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12 April 2013

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Die suksesvolle kandidaat sal verantwoordelik wees vir die volgende:

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Die ideale kandidaat moet aan die volgende vereistes voldoen:

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Ingevolge Media 24 se gelykeindiensnamebeleid sal voorkeur gegee word aan geskikte kandidate uit die benoemde groepe.

Skriftelike aansoek kan gestuur word aan: Die Personeelbestuurder, Volksblad, Posbus 267, Bloemfontein 9300.

Faks: 051 448 9680
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Sluitingsdatum: 17 April 2013

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Kandidate wat teen 30 April 2013 nog nie terugvoer ontvang het nie, moet aanvaar dat hul aansoek onsuksesvol was.

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VAKATURE: NAGNUUSREDAKTEUR

Volksblad-groep bied 'n beroepsgeleentheid vir 'n nagnuusredakteur by Volksblad, Bloemfontein.

Sleutelake:

- * Hou die vordering van verslaggewers met berigte noukeurig dop en verseker dat berigte betyd en gereed is vir gebruik ten opsigte van taal- en feitlike korrektheid, asook regsetelise aspekte.
- * Bly voortdurend op die hoogte van nuusgebeure.
- * Werk nou saam met die nuusredakteur, hanteer nuuswenke en deleger take wanneer die nuusredakteur se skof verby is
- * Skakel met susterkoerante en buitekantore, verseker dat belangrike nuusberigte en –foto's verky word.

Vaardighede:

- * Goeie nuusoordeel – identifiseer nuwe stories, evalueer nuusberigte
- * Hoë vaardigheid in Afrikaans en Engels m.b.t. skakeling na buite.
- * Hoë vaardigheid en veelsydigheid ten opsigte van die subwerk en skryf van Afrikaanse berigte
- * Skeppend, met hope eie inisiatief
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- * Vermoë om onafhanklik te werk en op te tree
- * Goeie beplanning- en organisasievaardighede ten opsigte van tydsbestuur en delegering van take
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- * Goeie mensebestuur

Kwalifikasies en vorige ondervinding

- * Toepaslike joernalistiek- of taalgraad of –diploma
- * Ongeveer 8 jaar ervaring in 'n nuusomgewing in die gedrukte media.
- * Kennis van die teikenmark 'n aanbeveling

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VOLKSBLAD-VERSLAGGEWER: BETHLEHEM

Volksblad-groep het 'n vakature vir 'n verslaggewer by Volksblad in Bethlehem.

Die suksesvolle kandidaat sal verantwoordelik wees vir:

- Die skryf van berigte in Afrikaans en Engels
- Die neem van foto's
- Skakeling met korrespondente
- Bou van 'n netwerk van goeie kontakte in die Vrystaat

Die suksesvolle kandidaat moet aan die volgende vereistes voldoen:

- Bewese Afrikaans- en Engels-skrif- en redigeringsvaardighede
- 'n Toepaslike tersiële kwalifikasie
- 'n Lewendige belangstelling in nuusake
- Moet onder druk kan werk
- Besik oor uitstekende menseverhouding asook 'n goeie temperament
- Vermoë om selfstandig én in 'n span te kan werk
- Bereidwilligheid om ongereelde ure te werk
- 'n Geldige rybewys en bereidwilligheid om ver te reis

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Sirkulasiebestuurder: Volksblad Groep

Volksblad Groep benodig 'n sirkulasiebestuurder vir sy daaglikse en plaaslike koerante. Hierdie pos is in Bloemfontein gebaseer. Die sleutelverantwoordelike van hierdie persoon behels die beplanning, bestuur en optimalisering van alle sirkulasieaksies.

Die ideale kandidaat moet aan die volgende vereistes voldoen:

- * **Sleutelverantwoordelike**
- * Sterk verhoudingsbestuur van interne en eksterne kliënte, verskaffers en belanghebbendes.
- * Bedryf sirkulasieverkope en bemaking van Volksblad en verspreiding van plaaslike koerante.
- * Analiseer verkoopsyfers en ander data om bemarkings- en sirkulasiegeleentheid te identifiseer.
- * Verskaf strategieë insetting en neigingsanalise.
- * Stelselverbetering en prosesoptymalisering.
- * Verseker dat die sirkulasieprosesse in lyn bly met die groep se strategie.
- * Bestuur die sirkulasiespan.

Vereistes en vaardighede:

- * Tersiere verkoops-/bemarkingskwalifikasie (aanbeveel)
- * Sterk numeriese vaardighede en statistiese vermoë
- * Geldige rybewys
- * Ten minste 5 jaar ervaring in drukkersmediaomgewing
- * Goeie kommunikasievaardighede, verbaal en geskrewe, in Engels en Afrikaans
- * Goeie analitiese vermoë

In ruil vir die suksesvolle kandidaat se dienste, bied die maatskappy 'n mededingende vergoedingspakket wat insluit lidmaatskap van die mediese en pensioenfonds vir persone wat daarvoor kwalifiseer.

Ingevolge Media24 se diensbillikeheidsbeleid sal aan geskikte kandidate uit die aangewese groepe voorkeur gegee word.

Belangstellendes kan aansoek stuur na aansoek@volksblad.com

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Sluitingsdatum: 17 April 2013

Indien geen terugvoer teen 30 April 2013 ontvang is nie, moet aanvaar word dat u aansoek onsuksesvol was. Die maatskappy behou die reg om nie die pos te vul nie.

BASIESE OMGEWINGSASSESSERING

Hervestiging van 'n gedeelte van die 275 kV Eskom kraglyn by Sishen Myn

Die Sishen Ystererts Maatskappy (SIOC) is in die proses om liniêre infrastruktuur te hervestig wat huidige deur die middel van hul eiendom by die Sishen Myn strek na die grens van hul eiendom deur middel van 'n projek wat bekend staan as die Sishen Westelike Uitbreidingsprojek (SWEP). Die hervestiging is nodig as gevolg van die voortgesette vordering van die oopgroef-steenkoolmyn in 'n westelike en suid-westelike rigting. Die infrastruktuur wat hervestig moet word is nie almal aan die myn verwant nie en word besit en bedryf deur verskeie rolspelers soos Eskom, Transnet Bepenk, Sedibeng Water Raad, SIOC en die Noord-Kaapse Departement van Paaie en Openbare Werke. SIOC het al die nodige omgewingsmagtigings in plek en die konstruksie van die nuwe infrastruktuur is reeds onderweg behalwe die hervestiging van die gedeelte van die 275 kV Eskom kraglyn.

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Hoewel 'n EIA vereis word vir die hervestiging van hierdie kraglyn in terme van die NEMA en die EIA Regulasies (GNR 543-546, gepubliseer 18 Junie 2010), is 'n motivering vir toestemming om af te skaal van 'n omvangsbepaling en EIA-proses na 'n basiese assessering (BA) proses soos toegelaat in terme van Artikel 20 (4) van die EIA Regulasies ingedien. Die aansoek is goedgekeur deur die Nasionale Departement van Omgewingsake (DEA) op 19 Maart 2013. Hiermee word kennis gegee dat Eskom 'n BA aansoek ingedien het vir die hervestiging van 'n gedeelte van die 275 kV kraglyn aan die DEA as die bevoegde owerheid (NEAS Ref: DEA/EIA/0001735/2013, DEA Ref:14/12/16/3/3/2/467).

Reageer en rig navrae aan die persoon hieronder. U word uitgenooi om te registreer as 'n belanghebbende of geaffekteerde party om sodoende verdere inligting te ontvang.

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POSTMASBURG Kolomela Mine Supports Local Garden Project

Kolomela mine, part of the Anglo American Kumba Iron Ore group, thrives in giving back and uplifting the Tsantsabane community. A true reflection of this was displayed when the DRC (Donations Review Committee) of Kolomela mine approved the donation of supplying garden tools such as wheelbarrows, spades and forks, boots, etc. to the Popagano Garden

Project. Popagano is a local project which consists of six members namely Joanna Makape, Monica Caolnese, Martha Dipone (Chairperson), Sanna Ramadile, Vinnolia Styl and Lewis Masiko. Martha Dipone expressed her gratitude to Kolomela mine, saying "on behalf of the members, we are very happy for the garden tools that Kolomela mine has given us to maintain our garden".

The donated garden tools will enable them to manage their garden properly and sustain their garden project. Recently the group's garden successfully produced vegetables which they proudly sold to the community, indicating that there is room to generate a small source of income. The members have disclosed future plans to create a soup kitchen with the vegetables they produce and all these plans because of the garden tools supplied to them by Kolomela Mine. *KIO Kolomela Communication*



The members of the Popagano Garden Project are (fltr) Joanna Makape, Monica Caolnese, Martha Dipone, Kolomela mine's PRO Martha Koloï, Sanna Ramadile, Vinnolia Styl and Lewis Masiko.

Gospel Night in Gasehunelo

Community News Reporter

The NG Kerk in Gasehunelo hosted a night of praise and worship on Saturday 16 March 2013. It was a blessed occasion that afforded people the opportunity to relax and enjoy the vibrant melodies from the invited choir from the John Taolo Gaetsewe region. The choir comprises of members from various areas and denominations, namely Mr A Pitso of NG Kerk Ellendale, Messrs Gaotsenwe and Kgaudi of Khuis Methodist Church, Mr Kgaudi of ZCC Mothibistad, Mr Tsinyane NG Kerk Kagung, Messrs Mosesane and Disipi of Magojaneng Methodist Church, Mr Majeng of Ellendale Methodist Church, Mr Mokoisa of Kagung Methodist Church and Mr Wechoemang of Gasehunelo NICC. The choir started in 2011 during Easter weekend, and often gets invited to perform at gospel

concerts, weddings, tombstone unveilings, birthday parties and funerals. Mr David Africa as NG Kerk leader said it was indeed a blessing to have JTG performing for them in such a blessed way. The choir is based in Kuruman, and thus far has released one CD by the title of "Dula le rona". They are scheduled to perform in Mothibistad on 7 April 2013, at the event of a male gospel choir society (magsco show). The other choirs participating at the same event are Batlhanka ba Kgotso from Kimberley and Inkosi Ivmile from Bodibe near Lichtenburg. At the end of the gospel concert Mr Pitso thanked the community for their unwavering support, adding that he was looking forward to return to perform with the other choirs on the same church premises.



Members of the John Taolo Gaetsewe Gospel Choir perform at the NG Kerk in Gasehunelo on Saturday 16 March 2013.

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Hoewel 'n EIA vereis word vir die hervestiging van hierdie kraglyn in terme van die NEMA en die EIA Regulasies (GNR 543-546, gepubliseer 18 Junie 2010), is 'n motivering vir toestemming om af te skaal van 'n omvangsbepaling en EIA-proses na 'n basiese assessering (BA) proses soos toegelaat in terme van Artikel 20 (4) van die EIA Regulasies ingedien. Die aansoek is goedgekeur deur die Nasionale Departement van Omgewingsake (DEA) op 19 Maart 2013. Hiermee word kennis gegee dat Eskom 'n BA aansoek ingedien het vir die hervestiging van 'n gedeelte van die 275 kV kraglyn aan die DEA as die bevoegde owerheid (NEAS Ref: DEA/EIA/0001735/2013, DEA Ref:14/12/16/3/3/2/467).
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ENVIRONMENTAL BASIC ASSESSMENT

Relocation of a section of the 275 kV Eskom power line at Sishen Mine

The Sishen Iron Ore Company (SIOC) is in the process of relocating linear infrastructure, which currently runs through the Sishen Iron Ore Mine property as part of the Sishen Western Expansion Project (SWEP). The relocation is necessary due to the continued progression of the opencast mine pit in a westerly and south-westerly direction. The infrastructure earmarked for relocation is not all mining-related and is owned and operated by a variety of stakeholders including Eskom, Transnet Limited, Sedibeng Water Board, SIOC and the Northern Cape Department of Roads and Public Works. SIOC has the necessary environmental approvals in place and construction of the new infrastructure is underway.

An environmental impact assessment (EIA) process for the relocation of the rail and associated infrastructure was undertaken by Synergistics Environmental Services (Pty) Ltd during the course of 2008 and 2009 in order to authorise the relocation of the above mentioned linear infrastructure at Sishen Mine. The process was undertaken in terms of the National Environmental Management Act (NEMA, No 107 of 1998) and the EIA Regulations (Government Notice Regulation (GNR) 386 and 387, published 21 April 2006). The final EIA was submitted to the National Department of Environmental Affairs (DEA) at the end of 2009 and the environmental authorisation (DEA Reference: 12/12/20/1436) was granted in March 2010. During this EIA process a ~1km wide corridor to which all the linear infrastructure will be relocated was assessed in detail in order to determine the potential impacts of the relocation process. Specialist studies were conducted on the infrastructure corridor and an environmental management programme (EMPr) and mitigation measures were identified. The EMPr also includes the conditions as set out by the DEA in the environmental authorisation granted to SIOC. Construction of relocated infrastructure is currently underway and provides for the implementation of the mitigation measures. All construction activities are also audited quarterly based on the conditions set out in the final EMPr. No major environmental incidents have been recorded and construction complies with the EMPr.

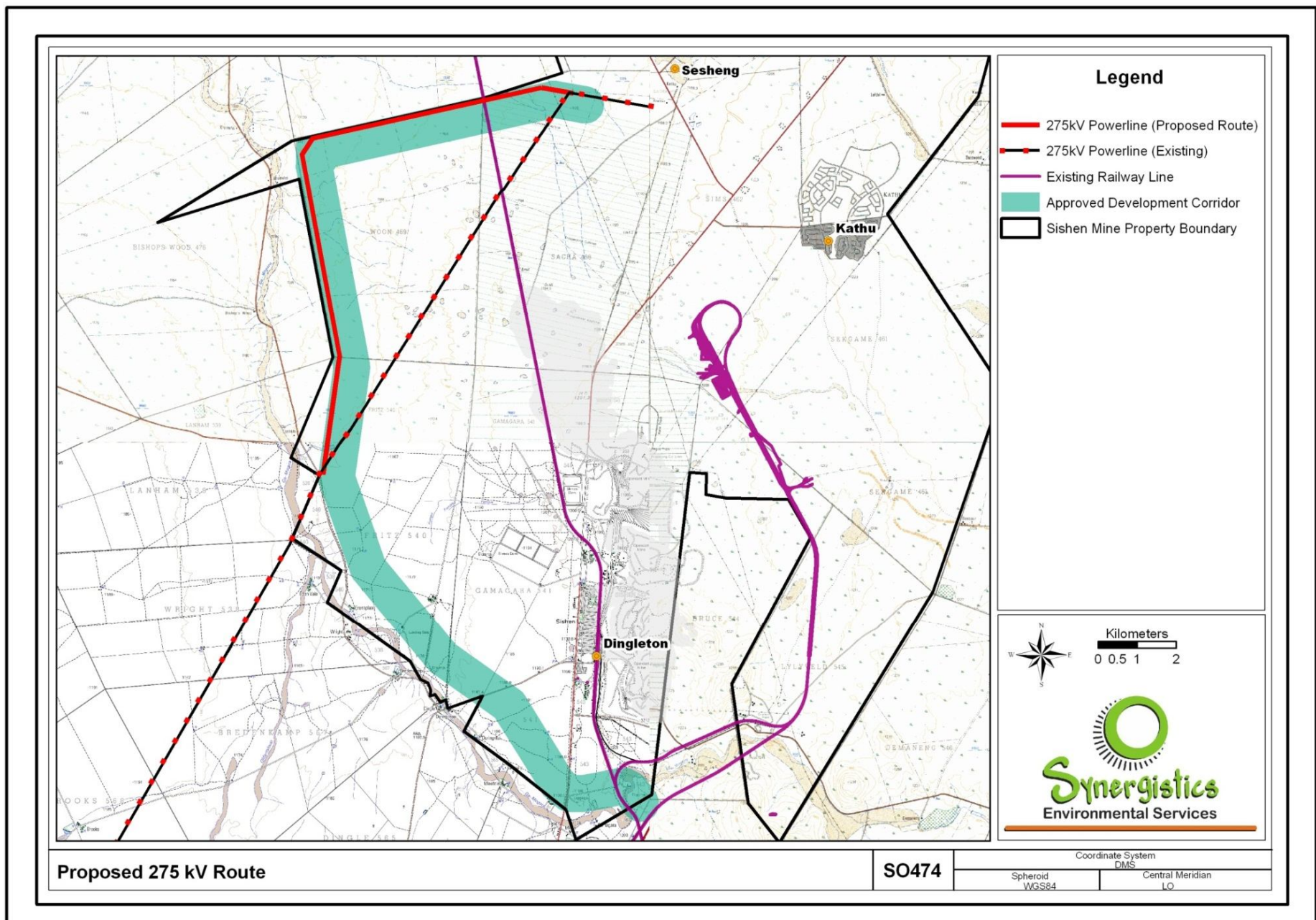
A ~12 km section of the 275 kV Eskom power line running north – south through SIOC's property has to be relocated as part of the larger relocation process. The relocation of this section of the power line was not authorised in the environmental authorisation issued by the DEA in 2010. SIOC has now taken on the responsibility to relocate the required section of the power line on Eskom's behalf and requires environmental authorisation. The following properties will be affected by the relocation:

- Portion 1 of the Farm Sacha 468,
- Remaining Extent of the Farm Nooitgedacht 469
- Portion 1 and 5 of the Farm Fritz 540

Even though the relocation of the ~12 km section of the 275 kV power line was not authorised per se, details regarding this activity were provided and all the potential impacts that might result from this activity were assessed in the initial EIA as the construction of the relocated power line will take place within the authorised corridor. No additional impacts, other than those described in the EIA, are foreseen. In the EIA process the public was made aware of the details of this activity. The public was also informed that the relocation of this section of the 275 kV power line would take place as a future development.

Privately owned land will not be crossed or affected by the proposed power line route. Existing infrastructure and services that may be affected include farm roads and water furrows/canals, entirely owned by the SIOC. Construction activities will involve clearing of natural vegetation and the establishment of contractor lay down areas along the power line route.

The relocation of the section of the 275 kV power line triggers, among others, Activity 8 of Listing Notice 2 (GNR 545) of the EIA Regulations. In terms of the EIA Regulations (2010), a Scoping and EIA process is required in order to obtain environmental authorisation for such an activity. However, the impacts that may result from this activity have been assessed in the EIA as the construction of the new power line will take place solely within the approved corridor which is already disturbed through the relocation of the approved linear infrastructure. Therefore a motivation for permission to downscale from a Scoping and EIA to a basic assessment process in terms of the EIA Regulations as permitted by Section 20 (4) was submitted to the DEA and approved on 19 March 2013 (NEAS Ref: DEA/EIA/0001735/2013, DEA Ref: 14/12/16/3/2/467).



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BASIESE OMGEWINGSASSESSERING

Hervestiging van 'n gedeelte van die 275 kV Eskom kraglyn by Sishen Myn

Die SIOC is in die proses om liniêre infrastruktuur te hervestig wat huidiglik deur die middel van hul eiendom by die Sishen Myn strek na die grens van hul eiendom deur middel van 'n projek wat bekend staan as die Sishen Westelike Uitbreidingsprojek (SWEP). Die hervestiging is nodig as gevolg van die voortgesette vordering van die oopgroef-ysterertsmyne in 'n westelike en suidwestelike rigting. Die infrastruktuur wat hervestig moet word is nie almal aan die myn verwant nie en word besit en bedryf deur verskeie rolspelers soos Eskom, Transnet Beperk, Sedibeng Water Raad, SIOC en die Noord-Kaapse Departement van Paaie en Openbare Werke. SIOC het al die nodige omgewingsmagtigings in plek en die konstruksie van die nuwe infrastruktuur is reeds onderweg.

'n Omgewingsimpakstudie (EIA) proses vir die hervestiging van die spoor-en verwante infrastruktuur is onderneem deur Synergistics Environmental Services (Pty) Ltd deur die loop van 2008 en 2009 ten einde magtiging te ontvang vir die hervestiging van die bogenoemde liniêre infrastruktuur by Sishen Myn. Die proses was onderneem in terme van die Wet op Nasionale Omgewingsbestuur (NEMA, No 107 van 1998) en die EIA-regulasies (Goewermentskennisgewing Verordening (GNR) 386 en 387, gepubliseer 21 April 2006). Die finale EIA is voorgelê aan die Nasionale Departement van Omgewingsake (DEA) aan die einde van 2009 en die omgewingsmagtiging (DEA verwysing: 12/12/20/1436) is toegestaan in Maart 2010. Gedurende hierdie EIA-proses is 'n ~1 km wye korridor, waarna al die liniêre infrastruktuur hervestig sal word, noukeurig ondersoek ten einde die potensiële impak van die hervestigingsproses te bepaal. Spesialis studies is uitgevoer op die infrastruktuur korridor en 'n omgewingsbestuursprogram (EMPr) en versagende maatreëls is geïdentifiseer. Die EMPr sluit ook die voorwaardes in soos uiteengesit deur die DEA in die omgewingsmagtiging toegestaan aan SIOC. Konstruksie van die hervestigde infrastruktuur is tans onderweg en maak voorsiening vir die implementering van die versagende maatreëls. Alle konstruksie aktiwiteite word ook kwartaallikse geoudit, gebaseer op die voorwaardes uiteengesit in die finale EMPr. Geen noemenswaardige omgewingsvoorvalle is tot op datum aangeteken nie en konstruksie aktiwiteite voldoen aan die EMPr.

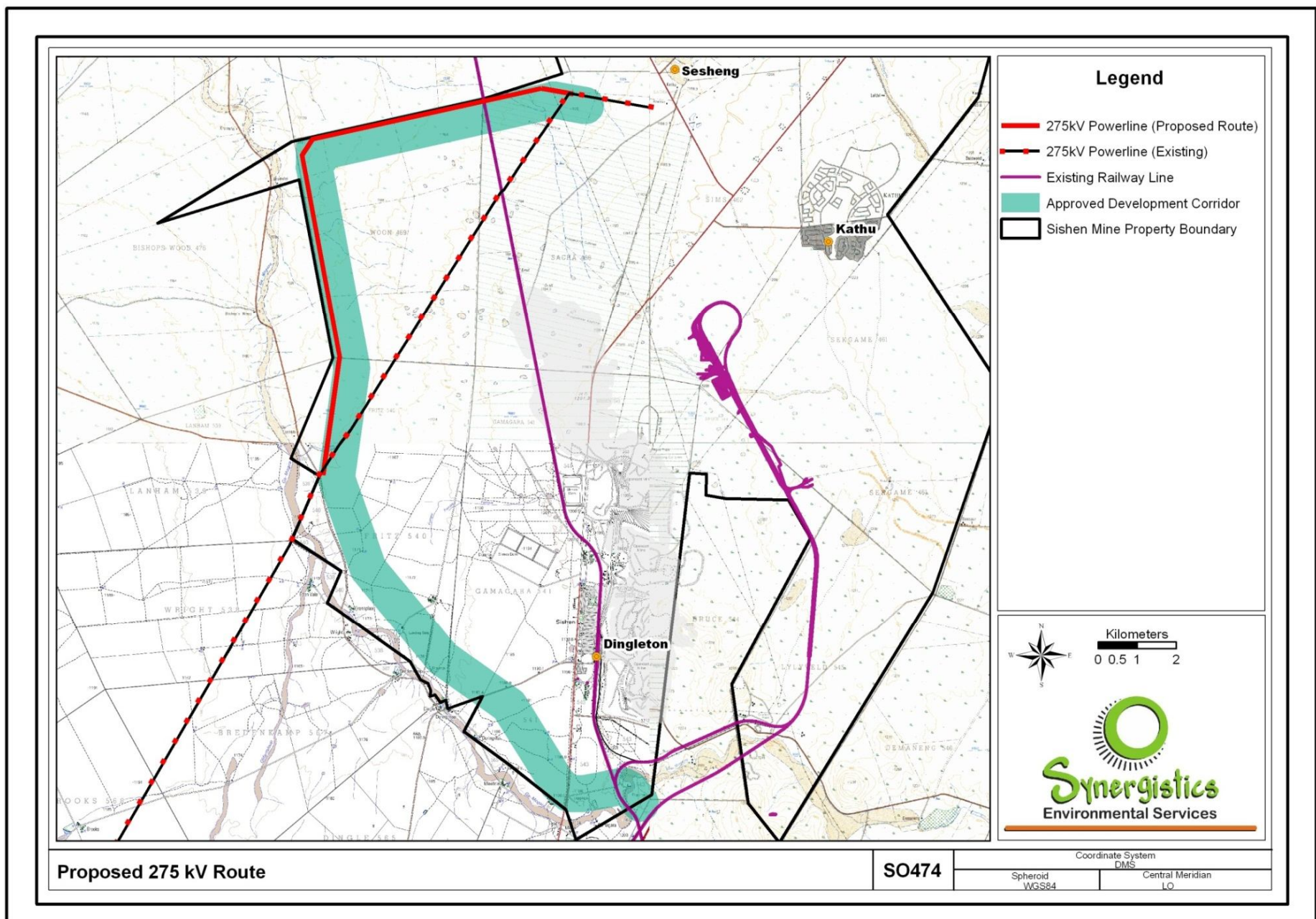
'n ~12 km gedeelte van die 275 kV Eskom kraglyn wat noord - suid deur SIOC se eiendom strek moet hervestig word as deel van die grootter hervestigingsproses. Die hervestiging van hierdie gedeelte van die kraglyn is nie goedgekeur in die omgewingsmagtiging uitgereik deur die DEA in 2010 nie. Die SIOC neem nou verantwoordelikheid om die nodige gedeelte van die kraglyn namens Eskom te hervestig en dit vereis omgewingsmagtiging. Die volgende eiendomme sal beïnvloed word deur die hervestiging:

- Gedeelte 1 van die Plaas Sacha 468;
- Restant van die Plaas Nooitgedacht 469; en
- Gedeelte 1 en 5 van die Plaas Fritz 540.

Al is die hervestiging van die gedeelte van die 275 kV kraglyn nie wetlik goedgekeur nie, is besonderhede oor hierdie aktiwiteit verskaf en al die potensiële impakte wat mag voortspruit uit hierdie aktiwiteit ondersoek gedurende die aanvanklike EIA. Die rede hiervoor is dat die konstruksie van die gedeelte van die kraglyn wat hervestig gaan word gaan plaasvind alleenlik binne die goedgekeurde korridor. Geen addisionele impakte, anders as dié soos beskryf in die EIA, word voorsien nie. Gedurende die EIA-proses was die publiek bewus gemaak van die besonderhede van hierdie aktiwiteit. Die publiek is ook in kennis gestel dat die hervestiging van hierdie gedeelte van die 275 kV kraglyn sal plaasvind as 'n toekomstige ontwikkeling.

Grond in privaat besit sal nie gekruis of geaffekteer word deur die voorgestelde kraglyn roete nie. Bestaande infrastruktuur en dienste wat beïnvloed kan word sluit in plaaspaaie en watervore / kanale wat geheel en al besit word deur die SIOC. Konstruksie-aktiwiteite sal die verwydering van natuurlike plantegroei en die vestiging van die kontrakteur storingsareas langs die kraglyn roete behels.

In terme van die EIA Regulasies (2010), word 'n omvangsbepaling en EIA-proses vereis ten einde omgewingsmagtiging te verkry vir die hervestiging van die gedeelte van die 275 kV kraglyn, siende dat dit aanleiding gee tot Aktiwiteit 8 van die GNR 545. Die impakte wat mag voortspruit uit hierdie aktiwiteit is reeds geassesseer gedurende die EIA vir die hervestiging van die spoor-en verwante infrastruktuur, siende dat die konstruksie van die nuwe kraglyn slegs binne die goedgekeurde korridor sal plaasvind. Die korridor is reeds versteur deur die hervestiging van die goedgekeurde liniêre infrastruktuur. Dus is 'n motivering vir toestemming om af te skaal vanaf 'n omvangsbepaling en EIA na slegs 'n BA proses in terme van Artikel 20 (4) van die EIA-regulasies, is aan die DEA voorgelê en is goedgekeur op 19 Maart 2013. (NEAS Verw: DEA/EIA/0001735/2013, DEA Verw: 14/12/16/3/2/467).



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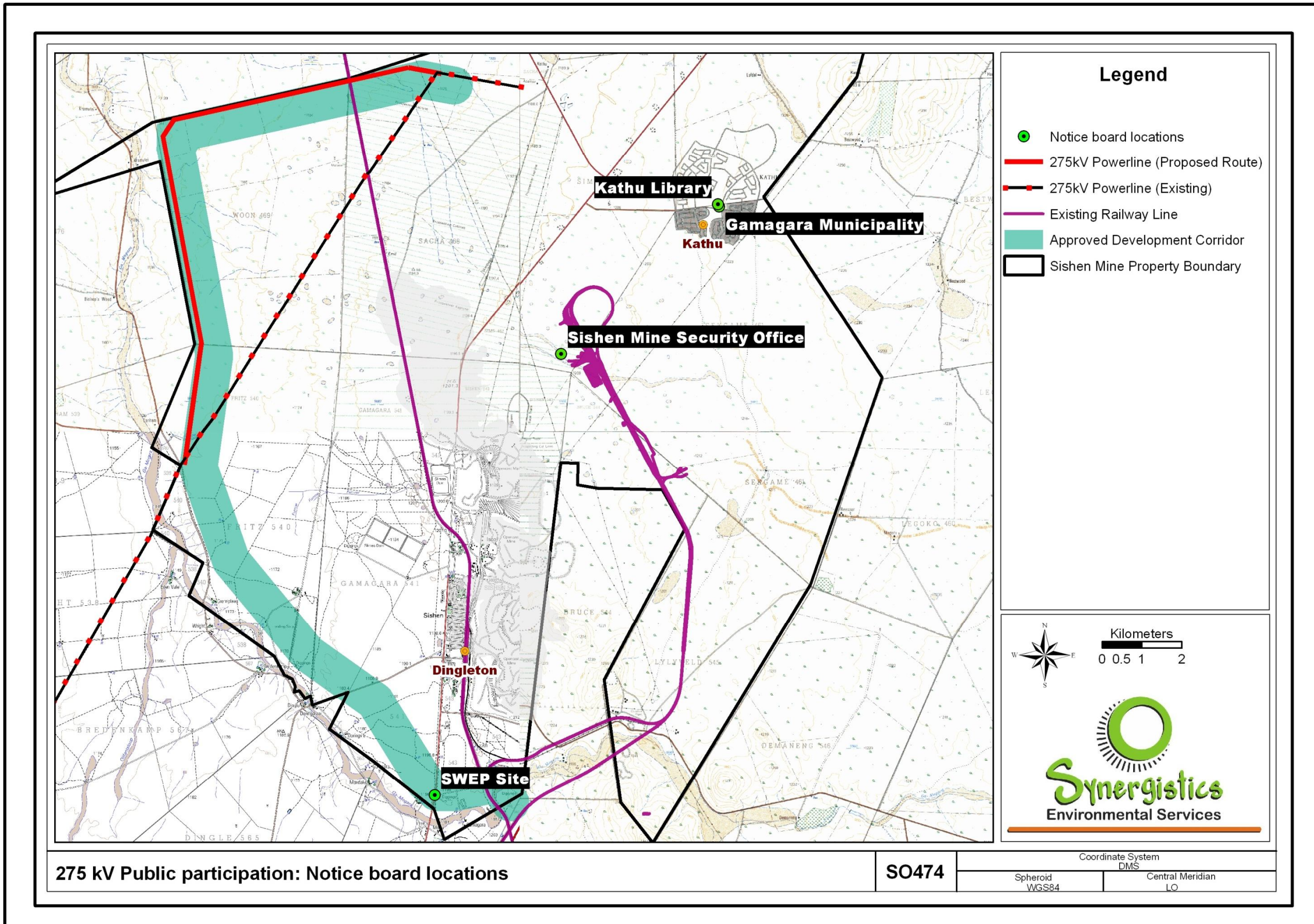


Figure 1: Various locations at which the public participation notice boards were placed.

Notice board locations. Refer to enclosed map for geographical orientation.



Plate 1: Poster placed at Gamagara Municipality

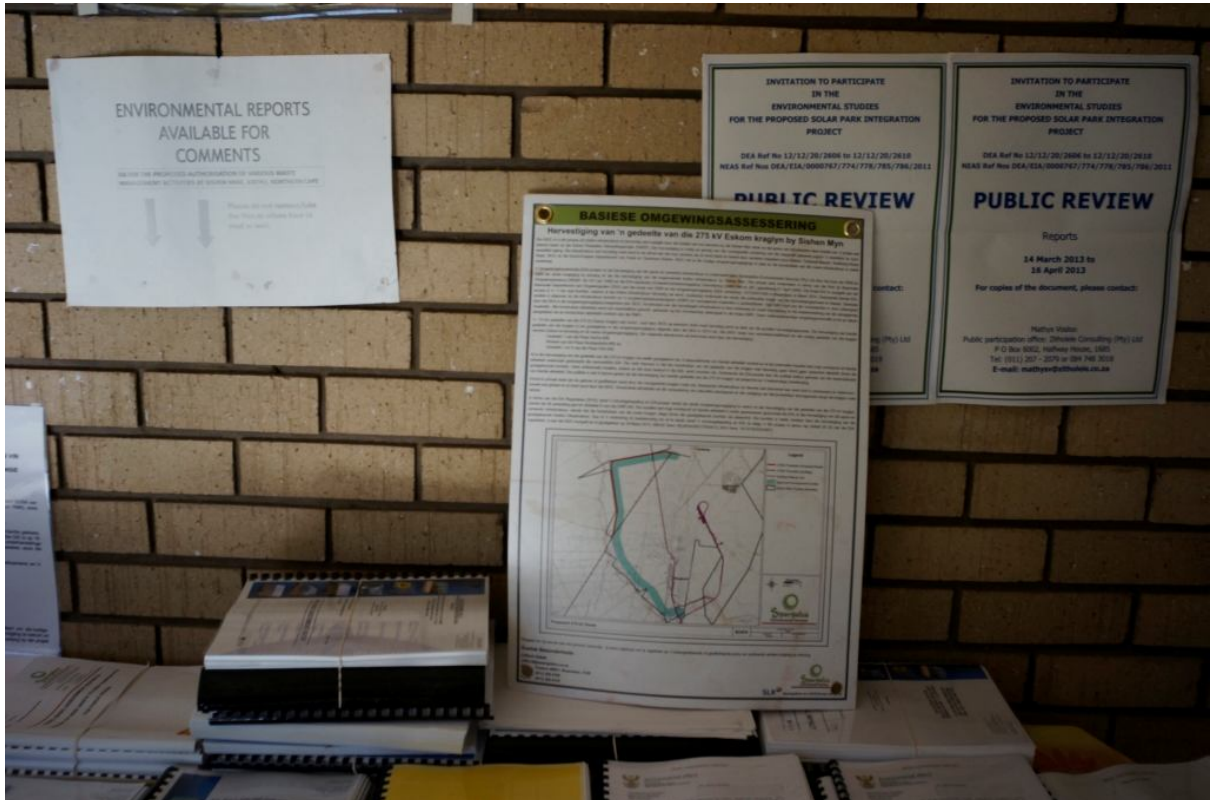


Plate 2: Poster placed at Kathu Library



Plate 3: Poster placed at the SWEP site