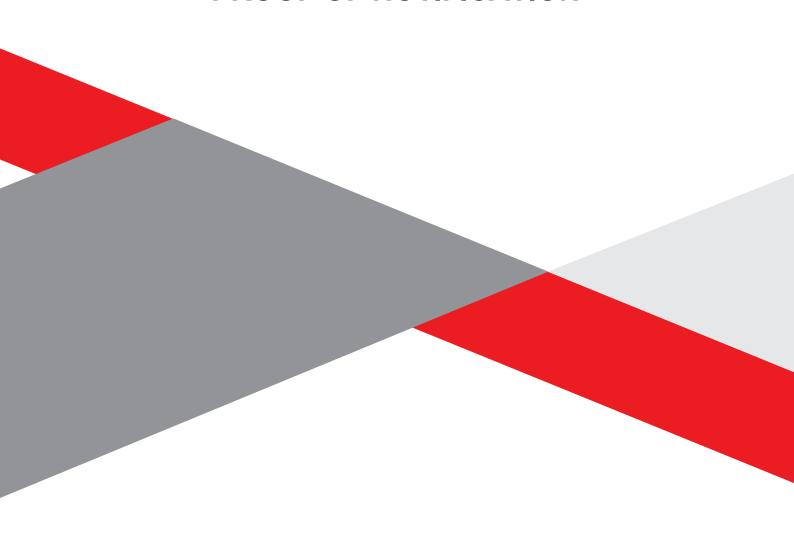
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SE3623: GRASPAN SOLAR PV FACILITY AND ASSOCIATED GRID CONNECTION INFARSTRUCTURE: Reminder Notification of Application for Amendment of Environmental Authorisation

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03 August 2023

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION FOR THE GRASPAN SOLAR PV FACILITY AND ASSOCIATED GRID CONNECTION INFRASTRUCTURE, NORTHERN CAPE PROVINCE

DFFE REFs: 14/12/16/3/3/2/276/1 and 14/12/16/3/3/2/276/2

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In terms of Condition 5 of the EA and Regulation 29 of the EIA Regulations 2014, as amended, it is possible for an applicant to apply, in writing, to the competent authority for an amendment of the environmental authorisation if the amendment will not change the scope of a valid environmental authorisation nor increase the level or nature of the impact. An application in this regard has been submitted to the DFFE for each EA, who have confirmed that the application falls within the ambit of a Part 1 amendment process. A public participation process is required to be undertaken in support of this application in accordance with the requirements of the DFFE.

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All comments can be addressed to Cornelius Holtzhausen at Savannah Environmental.

All comments received during the 30-day public review and comment period will be recorded and included in the Final Motivation Report in line with Regulation 44 of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended (GN R326), for submission to the DFFE for review and decision-making.

Our team welcomes your participation and looks forward to your involvement throughout this process. Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project.

Kind regards

Cornelius Holtzhausen

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Registration & Comment Form

August 2023 Return completed registration and comment form to: Cornelius Holtzhausen of Savannah Environmental Phone: 011 656 3237 / Mobile (incl. 'please call me'): 060 978 8396 / Fax: 086 684 0547 **E-mail:** publicprocess@savannahsa.com Postal Address: PO Box 148, Sunninghill, 2157 Your registration as an interested and/or affected party will be applicable for this project only and your contact details provided are protected by the POPI Act of 2013 Please provide your complete contact details: Name & Surname: Organisation: Designation: Postal Address: Telephone: Fax: Mobile: E-mail: I would you like to register as an interested and affected party (I&AP) on the following Hydra B project/s database (please tick the relevant box) Graspan PV Plant Phase 1 (90MW) In terms of EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, Regulation 43(1), you are required to register as an I&AP to receive further correspondence regarding the EIA process for the project and to disclose any direct business, financial, personal or other interest which you may have in the approval or refusal of the application (add additional pages if necessary): Please list your comments regarding your project selection above (add additional pages if necessary):

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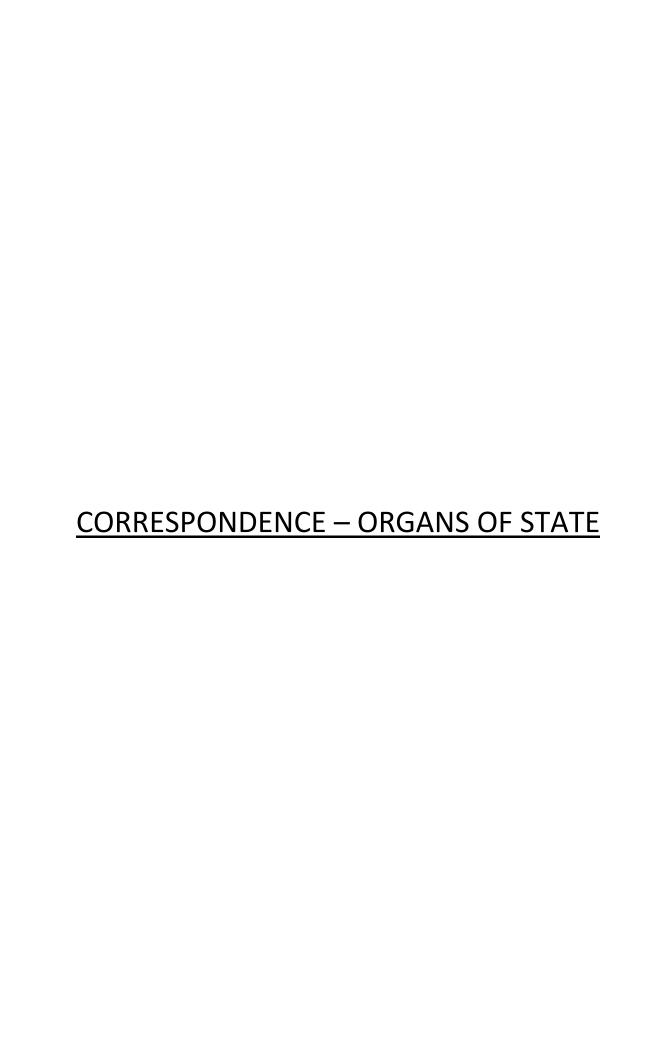
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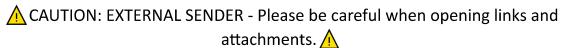
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Good Day

Thank you very much for the correspondence. We appreciate your involvement.

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Subject: RE: SE3623: GRASPAN PV FACILITY AND ASSOCIATED GRID CONNECTION INFRASTRUCTURE:

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Regards, Tebego

From: Savannah Public Process < <u>publicprocess@savannahsa.com</u>>

Sent: Thursday, August 3, 2023 12:56 PM
To: BC Admin < bcadmin@dffe.gov.za >
Cc: Seoka Lekota < SLEKOTA@dffe.gov.za >

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Cc: Cornelius Holtzhausen < Cornelius@savannahsa.com>

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Re: CPLT0612-23 REF: THE GRASPAN PV FACILITY

Cornelius Holtzhausen

Thu 8/31/2023 9:17 AM

To:Mantwa Gabaitumele (MA) < GabaiMA2@telkom.co.za>

Cc:Vivian Groenewald (VR) <VivianG@openserve.co.za>;Savannah Public Process <publicprocess@savannahsa.com>

Good Day

Thank you very much. We hereby acknowledge your comments on the proposed project.

Kind regards,



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Cc: Vivian Groenewald (VR) <VivianG@openserve.co.za> **Subject:** CPLT0612-23 REF: THE GRASPAN PV FACILITY

Good Day

Please find the approval.

Although our client (Openserve) will not be affected by this proposal, Mr Vivian Groenewald must be contacted at 054 338 6501 / 081 362 6738, 2 (Two) weeks prior of commencement on construction work.

Mantwa Gabaitumele

Mvelaphande Trading

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Annelize Harmse Transnet Freight Rail JHB < Annelize. Harmse@transnet.net>

Wed 8/30/2023 6:45 AM

To:Zanele Manyathi Transnet Freight Rail JHB <Zanele.Manyathi@transnet.net> Cc:Savannah Public Process <publicprocess@savannahsa.com>

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Regards

Annelize Harmse Chief Admin Official Telephone number 011 583 0244

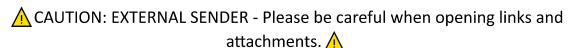
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Sent: Tuesday, August 29, 2023 4:40 PM

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Cornelius Holtzhausen

Tue 8/29/2023 1:21 PM

To:Mantwa Gabaitumele (MA) <GabaiMA2@telkom.co.za> Cc:Savannah Public Process <publicprocess@savannahsa.com>

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Graspan Locality Plan.pdf;

Good Day

I hope you are well.

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To: Savannah Public Process <publicprocess@savannahsa.com>

Subject: FW: SE3623: GRASPAN PV FACILITY AND ASSOCIATED GRID CONNECTION INFRASTRUCTURE:

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Good Day

Please provide us with plans for this application on A3 PDF format.

Regards

Mantwa Gabaitumele

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From: Savannah Environmental Public Process < publicprocess@savannahsa.com >

Sent: 03 August 2023 11:08 AM

To: Wayleave Management Section CR < <u>WayleaCR@telkom.co.za</u>>

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Tue 8/15/2023 8:21 AM

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Hi Fabian

For your depot's urgent attention. kind regards

Riaan

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Hi Riaan

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Cornelius Holtzhausen

Tue 8/8/2023 3:42 PM

To:Tebego Kgaphola <tkgaphola1@dffe.gov.za> Cc:Savannah Public Process <publicprocess@savannahsa.com>

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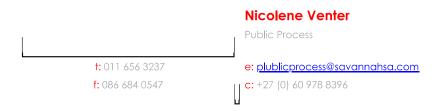
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Fri 8/4/2023 10:58 AM

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Good morning sir

Please see email below and attachments.

Regards Margareth

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Shirley Hlabisa [MTN South Africa] < Shirley. Hlabisa@mtn.com>

Fri 8/25/2023 7:55 AM

To:Cornelius Holtzhausen < Cornelius@savannahsa.com>

Hi Cornelius

No problem thank you



Warm regards,

Shirley Hlabisa

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Hi Team Savannah

Kindly please attach KML File so we are able to provide feedback.

Thank you



Warm regards,

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AMENDMENT OF THE GRASPAN PV FACILITY AND, NORTHERN CAPE PROVINCE (DFFE Reference Nos.: 14/12/16/3/3/2/276/1 and 14/12/16/3/3/2/276/2)

Dear Stakeholder and Interested & Affected Party,

Graspan Solar Project (Pty) Ltd received Environmental Authorisation (EA) for the Graspan Solar PV Facility and associated grid connection infrastructure in April 2013 with various subsequent amendments issued, including a split EAs issued in November 2021(DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/276/1 and 14/12/16/3/3/276/2).

The applicant is requesting the validity of the Environmental Authorisation (EA) and subsequent Amendments to be extended by an additional 2 years to ensure that the EAs remain valid for the undertaking of the authorised activities and all associated benefits are realised.

The applications for amendment have been submitted to the Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment (DFFE).

The attached letter serves to inform you that the Motivation Reports are available for your review and comment from **Thursday, 03 August 2023** to **Monday, 04 September 2023**. The Motivation Reports can be accessed from our website (**CLICK HERE**).

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require any additional information.

Kind regards,

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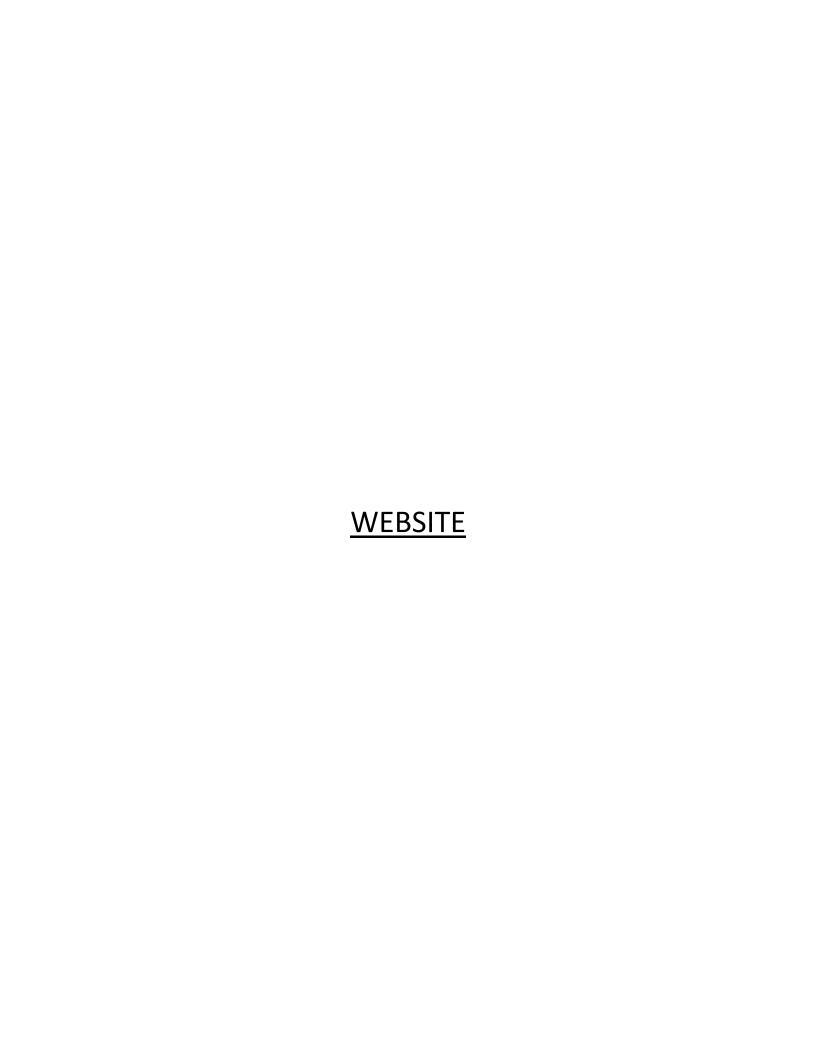
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Graspan Solar PV Facility & Associated Grid Infrastructure

NOTICE OF AN APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT OF AN ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION AND PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS

GRASPAN SOLAR PV FACILITY AND ASSOCIATED GRID CONNECTION INFRASTRUCTURE. NORTHERN CAPE PROVINCE

Applicant: Engle Graspan Solar Project (Pty) Ltd

Proposed Activity: Engle Graspan Solar Project (Pty) Ltd received Environmental Authorisation (EA) for the Sannaspos Solar PV Facility and associated grid connection infrastructure in April 2013. The project was awarded Preferred Bidder status in Round 5 of the REIPPPP. The applicant is requesting the validity of the Environmental Authorisation (EA) and subsequent Amendments to be extended by an additional 2 years to ensure that the EA remains valid for the undertaking of the authorised activities and all associated benefits are realised.

Project Location: The project is located on Remaining Extent of the Farm Graspan (Farm No. 172) within the Siyancuma Local Municipality in the Northern Cape Province.

Amendment Process: In terms of Condition 5 of the EA and Regulation 29 of the EIA Regulations 2014, as amended, it is possible for an applicant to apply, in writing, to the competent authority for an amendment of the environmental authorisation if the amendment will not change the scope of a valid environmental authorisation nor increase the level or nature of the impact. An application in this regard has been submitted to the DFFE who have confirmed that the application falls within the ambit of a Part 1 amendment process. A public participation process is required to be undertaken in support of this application in accordance with the requirements of the DFFE.

Motivation Report available for public review and comment: Savannah Environmental has compiled a Motivation Report in support of the Amendment Application (Part 1 amendment). The Motivation Report and supporting documentation is available for public review and comment from Thursday, 03 August 2023 to Monday, 04 September 2023. The Motivation Report can be downloaded from Savannah Environmental's website https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/. The due date for written comment will be Monday, 04 September 2023.

To obtain further information and register on the project database, please submit your name, contact information and interest in the project to the contact person below:

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COMMENT FORM

Documents for public review are available for download.

Please fill the form below to access the project's documents





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Special Notice

Following comments received on the proposed Revised Schedule of Fees for applications made to the South African Heritage Resources Agency (SAHRA), made in terms of Section 25(2)(I) of the National Heritage Resources Act No. 25 of 1999 (NHRA) and published in the Government Gazette of 22 July 2022, SAHRA hereby publishes the final Revised Schedule of Fees for Applications made to SAHRA. Applications for provision of services submitted to the South African Heritage Resources Authority (SAHRA), in terms of the National Heritage Resources Act, No. 25 of 1999 (NHRA) must be accompanied by a payment of the appropriate fee, taking effect from 1 January 2023

Revised Schedule of Fees for Applications made to the South African Heritage Resources Agency (SAHRA)

Graspan PV

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