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Subject: REQUEST FOR COMMENTS

Attachments: Backgroun Information Document.pdf; 2016-03 - Comments and Response Form.pdf

To whom it may concern:

REQUEST FOR COMMENTS: ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT (EIA) PROCESS FOR THE PROPOSED EXPASION OF THE WATERLOO SOLAR PARK NEAR VRYBURG, NORTH WEST PROVINCE

- 1. Notice is hereby given in terms of regulations published in Government Notice No. R. 982 in terms of Section 24(5) and 44 of the National Environmental Management Act (107 of 1998) of intent to carry out the following activity: The expansion of the Waterloo Solar Park near Vryburg, North West. The proposed development is located in the North West Province, in the northern central interior of South Africa. The town of Vryburg is located approximately 7 km north west of the proposed development.
- 2. The developer has commissioned an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) process as required by the National Environmental Management Act (107 of 1998). Environamics is appointed as the independent consultant responsible for the EIA. Regulation 40 of the EIA Regulations requires that all surrounding land owners be given written notice and opportunity to comment on the proposed activity.
- 3. We therefore request that you provide us with comments on the above development no later than 14 **March 2016**. Attached for your attention please find a background information document (BID) providing information about the proposed development, a locality map and comments and response form.
- 4. We trust that you find the above in order. If there are any uncertainties or additional information required please feel free to contact me.

Kind regards

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