

Application for Environmental Authorisation for the Proposed Expansion to
Pestana Kruger Lodge outside the Kruger National Park, Mpumalanga Province

APPENDIX E PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS

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APPENDIX E.1 Process notices and advertisements

Proof of Placement

Newspaper advertisement

A newspaper advertisement was placed in the Corridor Gazette on 8 August 2019.

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Notice is given in terms of Section 24(5) read with Section 44 of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No 107 of 1998) (NEMA) of intent to apply for Environmental Authorisation to undertake the following listed activities: Listing Notice 1: 12 (ii) (c), 27, 48 (i) (c) (No. R. 327, 4 December 2014, as amended) and Listing Notice 3: 12 (f) (ii) (iii), 14 (ii) (c) (f) (i) (ff) (hh), 17 (f) (i) (ee) (gg), 23 (ii) (c) (f) (i) (ee) (gg) (No. R. 324, December 2014, as amended). The basic assessment process provided for in Regulation 19 read with Appendix 1 of GN R326 of the 2014 EIA Regulations, as amended under NEMA will be followed for the application.

If you are an interested and / or Affected Party and would like to register as part of the public participation process, please provide your name, contact details, and the nature of your interest in the project to the person below by no later than **Monday 9 September 2019**.

To register or for more information, please contact Bryony van Niekerk (Nuleaf Planning and Environmental)
Tel: 012-753-5792 | Fax: 086-571-6292
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Area: Hectorspruit, Komatipoort, Malalane

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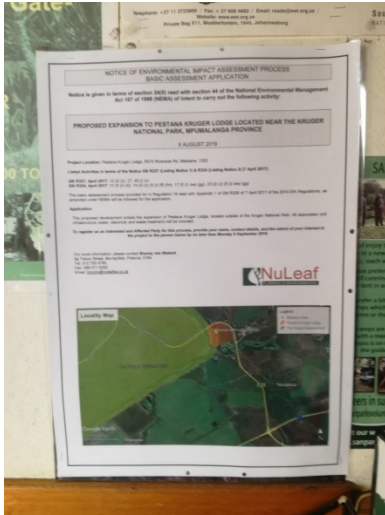
CLOSING DATE: 12 AUGUST 2019

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Site notices

Site notices were placed at the Malelane Gate Reception of the Kruger National Park, the entrance gate to the Pestana Kruger Lodge property and at Pestana Kruger Lodge Reception on the 6th of August 2019.



Latitude 25; 27; 44.0167

Longitude 31; 31; 56.1873



Latitude 25; 27; 46.2100

Latitude 25; 27; 44.02000

Longitude 31; 32; 13.2600

Longitude 31; 31; 56.1900

BID

The following document was circulated to identified Stakeholders, Compliance Authorities and Interested and Affected Parties on 12 August 2019.



**PROPOSED EXPANSION TO PESTANA KRUGER LODGE OUTSIDE THE KRUGER NATIONAL
PARK, IN MPUMALANGA PROVINCE
BACKGROUND INFORMATION DOCUMENT
AUGUST 2019**

In terms of the 2014 Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations published in terms of Section 24(5) of the National Environmental Management Act 107 of 1998 (NEMA), the Project Applicant hereby gives notice of its intention to apply for Environmental Authorisation from the **Mpumalanga Department of Agriculture, Rural Development, Land and Environmental Affairs (DARDLEA)** as the competent authority, for the proposed extensions to Pestana Kruger Lodge outside the Kruger National Park, in Mpumalanga Province.

The Basic Assessment process provided for in Regulation 19 read with Appendix 1 of GN R326 of 4 December 2014 of the 2014 EIA Regulations, as amended published under NEMA will be followed for the application for Environmental Authorisation.

By virtue of location, you have been identified as a potential **Interested and / or Affected Party (I&AP)** to this process, and are hereby invited to participate.

WHAT THIS DOCUMENT TELLS YOU

This Background Information Document (BID), provides you, as a potential I&AP, with **background information** on the proposed project, as well as, information regarding the Basic Assessment (BA) process to be undertaken to assess the potential impacts (i.e. positive and negative, as well as direct, indirect, and cumulative) of the proposed project.

It further indicates how you can participate in the assessment process, receive information and raise issues that may concern and / or interest you. The sharing of information forms an important component of the Public Participation Process as it not only provides I&APs with the opportunity to become actively involved, but also provides information that may be of value for the proposed development.

PROPERTY & PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The affected property, Pestana Kruger Lodge, R570 Riverside Rd, Malelane, is situated within the Nkomazi Local Municipality, in the Ehlanzeni District Municipality, approximately 800m north east from Malelane Gate, Kruger National Park and 5km north of Malelane.

The proposed development entails the expansion of Pestana Kruger Lodge. All associated civil infrastructure (water, electricity and waste treatment) will be included.

PROJECT MOTIVATION

The motivation and reasoning behind the proposed expansion at Pestana Kruger Lodge is to further develop the growing tourism industry and possible tourism linkages within the area. Pestana Kruger Lodge is situated in a prime position. The Kruger National Park forms the western boundary of the proposed site. Other game reserves nearby are the Mjejane Private Game Reserve and Lionspruit Game Reserve. These Game Reserves are within easy driving distance from Gauteng and are also popular Big 5 game viewing destinations. It is, therefore, important that the natural recreational potential of this region be explored. In order to do this, accommodation facilities need be developed in the greater region that will help to unlock the natural potential of the region.

THE BASIC ASSESSMENT PROCESS

NuLeaf Planning and Environmental (Pty) Ltd has been appointed by Applicant to conduct the Basic Assessment process for the proposed extensions to River lodge. The 2014 EIA Regulations, as amended in April 2017 and its associated Listing Notices [Listing Notice 1 (GN R327) and Listing Notice 3 (GN R324)] specify the activities that require a Basic Assessment. The activities triggered by the proposed development include the following listed activities:

Number and date of the relevant Listing Notice:	Activity Number (s) (in terms of the relevant Listing Notice):	Description of each listed activity as per the detailed project description
GN R.327 (Listing Notice 1)	12 (ii) (c)	The development of (ii) infrastructure or structures with a physical footprint of 100 square metres or more where such a development occurs (c) within 32 metres of a watercourse.
	27	The clearance of an area of 1 hectare or more, but less than 20 hectares of indigenous vegetation.
	48 (i) (c)	The expansion of (i) infrastructure or structures where the physical footprint is expanded by 100 square metres or more where such expansion occurs (c) within 32 metres of a watercourse, measured from the edge of a watercourse.
GN R. 324 (Listing Notice 3)	12 (f) (ii) (iii)	The clearance of an area of 300 square meters or more of indigenous vegetation in (f) Mpumalanga (ii) critical biodiversity areas (iii) on land zoned open space, conservation or had an equivalent zoning.
	14 (ii) (c); (f) (i) (ff) (hh)	The development of (ii) infrastructure or structures with a physical footprint of 10 square meters or more where such development occurs (c) within 32 m of a watercourse in (f) Mpumalanga (i) outside urban areas in (ff) critical biodiversity

		areas and (hh) areas within 10 kilometres of a national park as identified in terms of NEMPAA.
	17 (f) (i) (ee) (gg)	The expansion of a resort, lodge, hotel, tourism or hospitality facilities where the development footprint will be expanded and the expanded facility can accommodate an additional 15 people or more in (f) Mpumalanga (i) outside urban areas in (ee) critical biodiversity areas within (gg) areas within 10 kilometres of a national park as identified in terms of NEMPAA.
	23 (ii) (c); (f) (i) (ee) (gg)	The expansion of (ii) infrastructure or structures where the physical footprint is expanded by 10 square meters or more where such expansion occurs (c) within 32 meters or a watercourse in (f) Mpumalanga (i) outside urban areas areas in (ee) critical biodiversity areas and (gg) areas within 10 kilometres of a national park as identified in terms of NEMPAA.

- An independent **Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP)** must undertake the process on behalf of the applicant to ensure objectivity.
- The first step of the process is to submit an **Application for Environmental Authorisation** to the Competent Authority, which in this case is the Mpumalanga Department of Agriculture, Rural Development, Land and Environmental Affairs (DARDLEA).
- The EAP must conduct a **Public Participation Process**, and afford any and all persons interested and /or affected by the proposed development an opportunity to register and participate in the process. A **30 day registration period** is allowed for, as well as, an opportunity to ask questions, submit concerns etc.
- The EAP must then prepare a **Draft Basic Assessment Report (BAR)**, inclusive of specialist reports and a draft Environmental Management Programme (EMPr), which describes both the project and the environment and assesses the anticipated impact of the project on the environment, and makes recommendations in terms of mitigation and management.
- Once complete, the Draft BAR will be circulated to all registered I&APs who are entitled to submit written comments in respect thereof. A **30 day comment period** is allowed for in terms of Regulation 40 (1) of the 2014 EIA Regulations.
- Once all comments from registered I&APs have been addressed, the EAP will submit the **Final BAR** to the Competent Authority for consideration.
- The Competent Authority is then required to make a decision on the application for Environmental Authorisation (i.e. either positive or negative).
- Once the Competent Authority has made a decision on the Final BAR, the EAP must communicate the outcome thereof to all I&APs who registered during the Public Participation Process.
- I&AP's have the right to **Appeal** against the decision of the Competent Authority should they feel the need to do so, in which case, the Competent Authority will review and reconsider the application. The appeal process is regulated in terms of the 2014 National Appeal Regulations published in terms of GN R993 on 8 December 2014 under NEMA.

ROLE OF INTERESTED AND AFFECTED PARTIES

You have been identified as a potential Stakeholder or I&AP, and are hereby invited to participate in this EIA Process. If you would like to be involved in this process, comment on draft reports, provide input, raise concerns, or simply remain informed of the project process, please register as a Stakeholder via a return email, fax or post to the contact details provided below.

Registration as a Stakeholder must reach the Environmental Assessment Practitioner listed below by no later than Thursday 12 September 2019

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Figure 1: Proposed Development Site



APPENDIX E.2 Key stakeholders

Proof of Notification

Bryony van Niekerk

From: Bryony van Niekerk <bryony@nuleafsa.co.za>
Sent: 12 August 2019 15:51
To: 'Bryony van Niekerk'
Cc: 'Admin'
Subject: Notification of Basic assessment Process. Proposed Extensions to Pestana Kruger Lodge neat Kruger National Park, Mpumalanga Province
Attachments: BID Pestana Expansion.pdf

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	'annemiv@sanparks.org'	
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Gerrit Meyer

Read: 2019/08/12 16:02

Dear Compliance Authority & Interested and Affected Parties,

Notice is given in terms of section 24(5) read with section 44 of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998) of intent to carry out the following activity:

PROPOSED EXTENSIONS TO PESTANA KRUGER LODGE NEAR KRUGER NATIONAL PARK, MPUMALANGA PROVINCE

The proposed development entails the expansion of Pestana Kruger Lodge, outside the Kruger National Park. All associated civil infrastructure (water, electricity and waste treatment) will be included.

As an identified Compliance Authority or Interested and Affected Party, we require your input and comment on the above mentioned development.

The attached background information document provides further information pertaining to the proposed project.

If you are not the correct person to receive this information, please be so kind as to refer this document on.

Feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Regards,

Bryony van Niekerk (BSc Hons. EMA)



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Read Receipts

Bryony van Niekerk

From: Khoza Brian (MBA) <KhozaB@dws.gov.za>
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Bryony van Niekerk

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Sent: 12 August 2019 18:06
Subject: Read: Notification of Basic assessment Process. Proposed Extensions to Pestana Kruger Lodge neat Kruger National Park, Mpumalanga Province

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Bryony van Niekerk

From: Greg Beyers <Greg.Beyers@rclfoods.com>
To: Bryony van Niekerk
Sent: 12 August 2019 17:10
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Your message

To: Greg Beyers
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To: Bryony van Niekerk
Sent: 13 August 2019 08:59
Subject: Read: Notification of Basic assessment Process. Proposed Extensions to Pestana Kruger Lodge neat Kruger National Park, Mpumalanga Province

Your message

To: Lebogang LP. Mdluli
Subject: Notification of Basic assessment Process. Proposed Extensions to Pestana Kruger Lodge neat Kruger National Park, Mpumalanga Province
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Bryony van Niekerk

From: Nita-Louise <nita-louise@vodamail.co.za>
To: 'Bryony van Niekerk'
Sent: 12 August 2019 16:14
Subject: Read: Notification of Basic assessment Process. Proposed Extensions to Pestana Kruger Lodge neat Kruger National Park, Mpumalanga Province

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Bryony van Niekerk

From: Pretty P. Mashego <pmashego@ehlanzeni.gov.za>
To: Bryony van Niekerk
Sent: 12 August 2019 21:45
Subject: Read: Notification of Basic assessment Process. Proposed Extensions to Pestana Kruger Lodge neat Kruger National Park, Mpumalanga Province

Your message

To: Pretty P. Mashego
Subject: Notification of Basic assessment Process. Proposed Extensions to Pestana Kruger Lodge neat Kruger National Park, Mpumalanga Province
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Bryony van Niekerk

From: Shirley Shabangu <Shirley.Shabangu@nkomazi.gov.za>
To: Bryony van Niekerk
Sent: 14 August 2019 11:35
Subject: Read: Notification of Basic assessment Process. Proposed Extensions to Pestana Kruger Lodge neat Kruger National Park, Mpumalanga Province

Your message

To: Shirley Shabangu
Subject: Notification of Basic assessment Process. Proposed Extensions to Pestana Kruger Lodge neat Kruger National Park, Mpumalanga Province
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To: Bryony van Niekerk
Sent: 22 August 2019 13:17
Subject: Read: Notification of Basic assessment Process. Proposed Extensions to Pestana Kruger Lodge neat Kruger National Park, Mpumalanga Province

Your message

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From: William Mabasa [<mailto:william.mabasa@sanparks.org>]
Sent: 27 August 2019 12:53 PM
To: Bryony van Niekerk <bryony@nuleafsa.co.za>
Subject: Read: Notification of Basic assessment Process. Proposed Extensions to Pestana Kruger Lodge neat Kruger National Park, Mpumalanga Province

Your message

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Subject: Notification of Basic assessment Process. Proposed Extensions to Pestana Kruger Lodge neat Kruger National Park, Mpumalanga Province
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Bryony van Niekerk

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Sent: 13 August 2019 13:52
Subject: Read: Notification of Basic assessment Process. Proposed Extensions to Pestana Kruger Lodge neat Kruger National Park, Mpumalanga Province

Your message

To: Unknown
Subject:

Bryony van Niekerk

From: Dr Harriet T. Davies-Mostert <harrieted@ewt.org.za>
To: Bryony van Niekerk
Sent: 04 November 2019 14:14
Subject: Read: Notification of Basic assessment Process. Proposed Extensions to Pestana Kruger Lodge neat Kruger National Park, Mpumalanga Province

Your message

To: Dr Harriet T. Davies-Mostert
Subject: Notification of Basic assessment Process. Proposed Extensions to Pestana Kruger Lodge neat Kruger National Park, Mpumalanga Province
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Replies and Registration

Bryony van Niekerk

From: Greg Beyers <Greg.Beyers@rclfoods.com>
Sent: 13 August 2019 07:23
To: Bryony van Niekerk
Cc: 'Admin'
Subject: RE: Notification of Basic assessment Process. Proposed Extensions to Pestana Kruger Lodge neat Kruger National Park, Mpumalanga Province

Hi Bryony
Thanks for the information - Please can you register me as a representative of RCL Foods Sugar as a neighbouring property owner.
I will try and assist and find out who else from RCL needs to be registered i.e. Agric, Golf Course, Water, etc

Thanks and regards
Greg



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Bryony van Niekerk

From: Marilyn Marais <positive@global.co.za>
Sent: 12 August 2019 16:21
To: 'Bryony van Niekerk'
Subject: RE: Notification of Basic assessment Process. Proposed Extensions to Pestana Kruger Lodge neat Kruger National Park, Mpumalanga Province

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 **LUKIMBI**
Safari Lodge
Kruger National Park, South Africa

 **idube**
GAME RESERVE
Sabi Sand Game Reserve, South Africa

Dear Bryony
Please register Lukimbi Safari Lodge as an interested and affected party.
With thanks

Marilyn Marais
Financial Director.

email positive@global.co.za
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APPENDIX E.3 Comments and response register

Below is a summary of the comments received.

Summary of main issues raised by I&APs	Summary of response from EAP
All specialist studies, maps and photographs must be eligible (colour) in order for the Department to make informed comments and decisions.	All maps and photographs were submitted in colour in the hard copy and the specialist reports were colour in the soft copy.
The Ecological Study recommends that no development should take place in "Nodes A & D" and that a buffer of at least 25m must be applied to these nodes. However since the maps in the specialist study have not been provided in colour, it not clear whether the recommendations have been implemented in the layout plan or the sensitivity map. Please demonstrate that all specialist recommendations have been considered and illustrate such in both the sensitivity map and the layout plan.	<p>The specialist studies were submitted in colour in the soft copy.</p> <p>The ecology report recommends that 'no development takes places in the <i>Disturbed Riparian Forest Community</i>, particularly in nodes A and D'. It should be noted that the Disturbed Riparian Forest Community is only present in the southern corner of Node A and to the far eastern corner of the property in Node D. No development is taking place in the Disturbed Riparian Forest Community in node D and one chalet in node A encroaches into the Disturbed Riparian Forest Community.</p> <p>All recommendations have been taken into consideration and a 25 m buffer has been applied in the sensitivity map. Please refer to Appendix A.1.3.</p>
The final coordinates of all preferred watercourse crossings must be included in the final basic assessment report.	Please refer to page 4 of the Final Basic Assessment Report.
The coordinates of all chalets proposed within 32m of a watercourse must be provided, as well as the minimum allowable distance.	Please refer to page 4/5 for the coordinates and page 1 for the minimal allowable distance in the FBAR.
Please assess and analyse all the impacts associated with the construction of the reservoir.	All impacts for the construction of the reservoir are included in Appendix F and are similar in nature to the construction impacts associated with the chalets i.e. clearing of vegetation, soil erosion, visual impact. Please refer to Appendix F.
According to page 1 of the riparian and wetland report the survey was conducted in autumn season which is not optimal. Please clarify if the summer season survey would be conducted/necessary or not, noting that any additional information must be made available to I&APs for review and comment.	While the survey was conducted in the autumn season, the specialist was satisfied with the results and data obtained and is confident that nothing was missed. In this regard, a summer season survey will not be necessary.
Please confirm that MTPA has been provided with an opportunity to comment on the draft BAR (noting that there are land use advisors within MTPA that are specifically tasked with this duty, and documents need to be submitted at the correct office).	MTPA has been on the stakeholder list from the start of the project. Please refer to Appendix E for the public participation document.
The final BAR must provide proof that all potential and registered I&AP's, including Organs of State, were provided with access to and an opportunity to comment on the draft BAR following submission of the application form (Regulation 40(3)).	Please refer to Appendix E.6 in the public participation document.
The final basic assessment report must include an	Please refer to Appendix E.3 in the public participation

issues and response report, as well as copies of and responses to comments received from all I&APs, including these comments.

document.

APPENDIX E.4 List of Registered Interested and Affected Parties

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APPENDIX E.5 Correspondence and Minutes of Meetings

No meetings have been held thus far.

APPENDIX E.6 Draft Basic Assessment Report:

Proof of notification & invitation to comment (Stakeholders and Compliance Organizations)

Proof of Notification

Bryony van Niekerk

From: Bryony van Niekerk <bryony@nuleafsa.co.za>
Sent: 11 December 2019 10:20
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Dawie van Rooy	Read: 2019/12/12 13:57

Dear Compliance Authority & Interested and Affected Parties,

Please follow the link below to access a digital copy of the Draft Basic Assessment Report on the NuLeaf website for the above mentioned project.

<https://www.nuleafsa.co.za/downloads/proposed-pestana-lodge-expansion-dbar/>

Kindly submit all comments on the Draft Basic Assessment Report in writing by no later than close of business on the **03 February 2020** (the comment period excludes the timeframe from 15 December 2019 to 5 January 2020).

Please mark all comments for the attention of:

Bryony van Niekerk
 Email: bryony@nuleafsa.co.za
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Should you be unable to access the document, please do not hesitate to contact me so an alternative can be arranged.

Regards,

Bryony van Niekerk (BSc Hons. EMA)



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Your message

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Your message

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Your message

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Subject:

Bryony van Niekerk

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Your message

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Your message

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Your message

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Your message

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Replies and Registration

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Subject: RE: Notification of Draft Basic Assessment Report for the Proposed Extensions to Pestana Kruger Lodge, outside of the Kruger National Park, Mpumalanga
Attachments: RE: Building Line: Portion 21 Riverside 173 JU (Malelane gate area) R570 (261 KB)

Dear Bryony van Niekerk

SANRAL are aware of the proposed extensions to Pestana Kruger Lodge located along national road R570, outside of the Kruger National Park.

An application was received from Derick Peacock Associates on 25 November 2019 for relaxation of the building line for Pestana Kruger Lodge located on Portion 21 Riverside 173 JU which application was approved by SANRAL's Regional Manager on 26 November 2019.

SANRAL has no objection to the issuing of the necessary environmental approvals.

Yours sincerely,

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Bryony van Niekerk

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Cc: Marisa Coetzee
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Good day Bryony

Hope you had a great festive season and all the best for 2020.

I would like to ask you to please insure to include Marisa (cc'd) and myself in all future development application processes around the Kruger National Park as I&APs. We are the primaries tracking and commenting on EAs for SANParks in this area.

Please also register us for the below EA as well.

Thanks and kind regards

Wehncke van der Merwe

Kruger Bufferzone Coordinator

Kruger 2 Canyons Biosphere

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Pestana Expansion

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CaseID: 14669

Date: Friday February 21, 2020
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Final Comment

South African Heritage Resources Agency (SAHRA) Archaeology, Palaeontology and Meteorites (APM) Unit accepts the HIA report submitted to the case for commenting and has no objection to the development going ahead and the following conditions must be included in the EMPR as follows:

In the unlikely event that fossils are uncovered during construction then construction must cease within the immediate vicinity, a buffer of 30 m must be established, and a palaeontologist called in to inspect the finds. The palaeontologist must obtain a section 35(4) permit in terms of NHRA and Chapter IV NHRA Regulations, before any fossils are collected.

If there are any new heritages resources are discovered during construction and operation phases of the proposed development, then a professional archaeologist or palaeontologist, depending on the nature of the finds, must be contracted as soon as possible to inspect the findings at the expense of the developer.

If the newly discovered heritage resources prove to be of archaeological or palaeontological significance, a Phase 2 rescue operation may be required at the expense of the developer. Mitigation will only be carried out after the archaeologist or palaeontologist obtains a permit in terms of section 35 of the NHRA (Act 25 of 1999). You may contact SAHRA APM Unit for further details: (Nokukhanya Khumalo/Phillip Hine 021 202 8654).

If any unmarked human burials are uncovered and the archaeologist called in to inspect the finds and/or the police find them to be heritage graves, then mitigation may be necessary and the SAHRA Burial Grounds and Graves (BGG) Unit must be contacted for processes to follow (Thingahangwi Tshivase/Mimi Seetelo 072 802 1251).

The Final Bar and its appendices must be submitted to the case and once a Record of Decision from the competent authority is issued, it must also be submitted to the case. This comment must be forwarded to the competent authority and proof of submission must be uploaded to the case.

Should you have any further queries, please contact the designated official using the case number quoted above in the case header.

Yours faithfully

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Final Comment

In terms of Section 38(8) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999)

Attention: Wildbreak 29 (Pty) Ltd

Proposed Extensions To Pestana Kruger Lodge, Outside The Kruger National Park, Mpumalanga Province

Pestana Kruger Lodge (Pty) Ltd is proposing to expand their existing Pestana Kruger Lodge located outside the Kruger National Park, on Portion 21 the farm Riverside 173 JU, in the Nkomazi Local Municipality of the Mpumalanga Province. The proposed construction entails an additional 35 luxury chalet blocks, two recreational areas, refuse holding area, maintenance/workshop, a pedestrian bridge and staff quarters on 22 hectares.

NuLeaf Planning and Environmental (Pty) Ltd have submitted a draft Basic Assessment report on behalf of the applicant, in support of an Environmental Authorisation in terms of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (NEMA), as amended, in respect of listed activities in the NEMA 2014 EIA Regulations, as amended.

In order to meet the requirements of SAHRA in terms of section 38(8) of the National Heritage Resources Act, no. 25 of 1999 (NHRA), a Heritage Impact Assessment has been submitted to SAHRA for commenting.

Coetzee, F.P. September 2019. Cultural Heritage Impact Assessment: Phase 1 Investigation for a Basic Assessment of the Proposed Expansion to Pestana Kruger Lodge outside the Kruger National Park, Nkomazi local Municipality, in the Ehlanzeni District Municipality, Mpumalanga Province.

The author undertook a field survey of the proposed expansion of the Pestana lodge and did not identify any Stone Age, Iron Age or historical settlements, structures, features, assemblages or artefacts. The author recommends chance finds procedures to be implemented during the construction phase. The area is located in a blue palaeontological zone which indicates that the area is of low palaeontological sensitivity. Therefore, during the construction phase, the construction manager must monitor all excavations in case trace fossils are identified.

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South African Heritage Resources Agency

ADMIN:

Direct URL to case: <http://www.sahra.org.za/node/532098>
(MDEDET, Ref:)

Terms & Conditions:

1. This approval does not exonerate the applicant from obtaining local authority approval or any other necessary approval for proposed work.
2. If any heritage resources, including graves or human remains, are encountered they must be reported to SAHRA immediately.
3. SAHRA reserves the right to request additional information as required.



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Dear Madam,

DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT: PROPOSED EXTENSIONS TO PESTANA KRUGER LODGE ON PORTION 21 OF THE FARM RIVERSIDE 173 JU, NKOMAZI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

The draft basic assessment report which was submitted by you in respect of the abovementioned application and received by the Department on 20 January 2020 refers. The Department has considered the content of the report, and has the following comments:

1. Please note that all specialist studies, maps and photographs must be eligible (colour) in order for the Department to make informed comments and decisions.
2. The Ecological Study recommends that no development should take place in "Nodes A & D" and that a buffer of at least 25m must be applied to these nodes. However since the maps in the specialist study have not been provided in colour, it not clear whether the recommendations have been implemented in the layout plan or the sensitivity map. Please demonstrate that all specialist recommendations have been considered and illustrate such in both the sensitivity map and the layout plan.
3. The final coordinates of all preferred watercourse crossings must be included in the final basic assessment report.
4. The coordinates of all chalets proposed within 32m of a watercourse must be provided, as well as the minimum allowable distance.
5. Please assess and analyse all the impacts associated with the construction of the reservoir.
6. According to page 1 of the riparian and wetland report the survey was conducted in autumn season which is not optimal. Please clarify if the summer season survey would be conducted/necessary or not, noting that any additional information must be made available to I&APs for review and comment.
7. Please confirm that MTPA has been provided with an opportunity to comment on the draft BAR (noting that there are land use advisors within MTPA that are specifically tasked with this duty, and documents need to be submitted at the correct office).



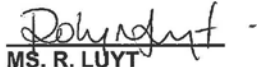
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8. The final BAR must provide proof that all potential and registered I&AP's, including Organs of State, were provided with access to and an opportunity to comment on the draft BAR following submission of the application form (Regulation 40(3)).
9. The final basic assessment report must include an issues and response report, as well as copies of and responses to comments received from all I&APs, including these comments.

You are reminded of the requirements of Regulation 19(1), and that if such requirement is not met, the application will lapse in terms of the provisions of Regulation 45.

Please draw the applicant's attention to the fact that the activity may not commence prior to an environmental authorisation being granted by the Department.

Yours faithfully,



MS. R. LUYT

ACTING DIRECTOR: ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT MANAGEMENT

DATE: 31/01/2020

