**APPENDIX F: TRAFFIC STUDY (SIYAZI, 2020)** 



## **MEMORANDUM**

# TRAFFIC IMPACT ASSESSMENT

The proposed increase of the flash dryer capacity and associated feed circuit modifications at the Impala Rustenburg Smelter Complex



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Any conditions for inclusion in the environmental authorisation	Section 3
Any monitoring requirements for inclusion in the EMPr or environmental	
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or activities	
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process and where applicable all responses thereto	
	Responses
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Requirements applied as part of this study when undertaking an Initial Site Sensitivity Verification for a site selected on the national web based environmental screening tool for which no specific assessment protocol related to any theme has been identified.

Requirements for initial site sensitivity verification	Comment
The Initial Site Sensitivity Verification must be undertaken by an environmental assessment practitioner or a registered specialist with expertise in the relevant environmental theme being considered.	Refer to verification page (Page V) for specialist details.
The Initial Site Sensitivity Verification must be undertaken through the use of:	
A desk top analysis, using satellite imagery.	Refer to section 2.4 of report.
A preliminary on-site inspection to identify if there are any discrepancies with the current use of land and environmental status quo versus the environmental sensitivity	Refer to section 2.4 of report.

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#### Section 1

## INTRODUCTION

Siyazi Limpopo Consulting Services (Pty) Ltd was appointed by SLR Consulting (Africa) (Pty) Ltd to conduct a Traffic Impact Assessment (TIA) for the proposed increase of the flash dryer capacity and associated feed circuit modifications at the Impala Rustenburg Smelter Complex, hereafter referred to as the proposed project, situated in Rustenburg, North West Province.

Impala is planning to increase its flash drying capacity, which requires the installation of a second flash dryer (Phase 1) and associated feed circuit modifications (Phase 2). This will increase filter cake treatment capacity, which in turn will increase and improve toll concentrate stockpile reclamation capabilities. The main proposed project components that make up each phase are listed below.

### Second Flash Dryer (Phase 1)

The main components of Phase 1 include:

Transfer Tower;

Wet Feeder:

Wet Feed Conveyors;

Flash Dryer (similarly sized unit (45 tph

dry) to the existing dryer); and

Bag House.

#### Flash Drying Feed Circuit Upgrade (Phase 2)

The main components of Phase 2 include:

Structural modifications include;

Feed Distribution Tower:

Filter Plant; and

Wet Feed Conveyors.

Access to the smelter complex is via an access road that runs between two communities (Phokeng and Bobuampja) and is known as the Lefaragatlha Road as illustrated in Figure 1.1. On occasions, the Luka road can be utlised as an alternative road. The installation of a second flash dryer will increase the filter cake treatment capacity at Impala, which in turn will increase and improve toll concentrate stockpile reclamation capabilities. It follows that the proposed project will allow Impala to process additional third-party toll material through the installation of the second flash dryer. This will result in an increase in the number of third parties, delivering toll material to Impala, via the Lefaragatlha Road. It is however important to note, that the number of vehicles transporting matte from site will not change as a result of the proposed project, given that even though additional toll material will be processed, the smelter treatment capacities remain unchanged.

The purpose of this study is to undertake an assessment of the implications of the vehicle traffic that could potentially be generated due to an increase in traffic volumes as a result of the proposed project and:

- a) The traffic impact that the change in land use would have on road and transport related infrastructure;
- b) Whether it is possible to accommodate the proposed project within acceptable norms from a traffic engineering point of view; and
- c) The mitigating measures required to accommodate the proposed project within acceptable traffic engineering norms.

**Figure 1.1** provides a graphical presentation of the locality of the existing Impala Smelter where the proposed project activities will be installed, and the relevant intersections investigated as part of this investigation.

**Table 1.1** provides a summary of information of the proposed project activities. It is important to take note that the anticipated timeline as depicted by the last mentioned table provides an estimated timeline in terms of months and or years that is planned for and does not depict the exact month and or year that implementing and operations of the proposed new flash dryer will take place.

**Table 1.2** provides information on the relevant intersections under investigation as part of the proposed activities anticipated as part of the proposed project.



FIGURE 1.1: GRAPHICAL PRESENTATION OF THE LOCALITY OF THE EXISTING IMPALA SMELTER WHERE THE PROPOSED PROJECT WILL BE INSTALLED
AND THE RELEVANT INTERSECTIONS UNDER INVESTIGATION

TABLE 1.1: S	UMMARY OF THE EXTENT OF THE PROPOSED ACTIVITI	ES AS PART OF THE PROPOSED PROJECT						
DESCRIPTION	CONSTRUCTION PHASE	OPERATIONAL PHASE						
Activities	Construction of flash dryer, feed circuit upgrades and supporting infrastructure	Existing operations						
Duration	±27 months	Approximately 30 Years for the remaining life of mine						
Relevant time frame	2021 to 2024	2024 to 2054						
Additional third-party ore to be processed by new flash dryer	N/a	At peak, 26 deliveries per day consisting of 30 tonnes per truck. Other ROM ore to be transported by rail.						
Destination of processed product	N/a	Market dependant.						
Number of workers per shift	25 construction staff per day	No additional workers due to new flash dryer. Existing staff will be utilised.						
Shift times of workers	1 shift per day.	Not relevant. Existing operations.						
Anticipated location of workers	Surrounding areas.	Not relevant. Existing operations.						
Mode of transport for workers	Own transport to be provided by contractors. Most likely private light and 10-seater vehicles	Not relevant. Existing operations.						
Anticipated number of additional heavy vehicles delivering consumables per day	At peak, 5 per day.	Consumables will be offset against the reduced or non- operations of other units and therefore no additional heavy vehicles anticipated.						

		TABLE 1.2: RELE	VANT INTERSECT	IONS UNDER INVI	ESTIGATION
POINT	INTERSECTION	INTERSECTION		RDINATES	INTERSECTION PHOTO
1 Ollvi	STATUS	INTERSECTION	LATITUDE	LONGITUDE	INTERSECTION THOTO
A	Existing	Impala Smelter Access Road, Road 1 and Road 2	S 25°32'38.51"	E 27°11'31.84"	
В	Existing	Road 2 and Road 3	S 25°32'30.80"	E 27°11'36.65"	
С	Existing	Lefaragatlha Road, Freedom Park Road and Road 1	S 25°32'46.81"	E 27°12'13.10"	

		TABLE 1.2: RELEVANT	INTERSECTIONS (	JNDER INVESTIGA	ATION (Continue)
POINT	INTERSECTION STATUS	INTERSECTION	GPS CO-O LATITUDE	RDINATES  LONGITUDE	INTERSECTION PHOTO
D	Existing	Road R565 and Lefaragatlha Road	S 25°36'38.03"	E 27°10'36.10"	
E	Existing	Road R565 and Luka Road	S 25°34'4.75"	E 27° 9'6.20"	
F	Existing	Luka Road and Road 3	S 25°31'40.07"	E 27°10'32.81"	ADIS ADIS

The following scenarios were investigated as part of the TIA:

- a) **Scenario 1:** 2020 peak hour traffic **without** the proposed activities as part of the proposed new flash dryer;
- b) **Scenario 2:** 2020 peak hour traffic **with** the proposed activities as part of the proposed new flash dryer (**Construction Phase**);
- c) **Scenario 3:** 2030 peak hour traffic **without** the proposed activities as part of the proposed new flash dryer; and
- d) **Scenario 4:** 2030 peak hour traffic **with** the proposed activities as part of the proposed new flash dryer (**Operational Phase**).

Although the proposed project is anticipated to be operational past the year 2030, anticipated vehicle traffic predictions past a 10 year scenario becomes unpredictable due to factors that are not know at the time of preparing this report, which include future developments in the area and potential road network changes.

The following sections of the report elaborate on the:

- a) <u>Section 2:</u> Detailed information related to data collected and investigations.
- b) <u>Section 3:</u> Findings and recommendations

#### Section 2

# DETAILED INFORMATION RELATED TO DATA COLLECTED AND INVESTIGATIONS

The purpose of **Section 2** is to provide the detailed information related to the data collected and investigations and consists of:

- a) The *status quo* of the land use and road network characteristics of roads relevant to the proposed project which consists of the following information;
  - i. Existing land use information;
  - ii. Existing road characteristics and modal distribution; and
  - iii. Traffic counts as basis for making traffic-engineering calculations.
- b) The future land use and road network characteristics relevant to the proposed project which consists of the following information;
  - i. Land use information, including existing and proposed approved future developments in the area other than the existing Impala Smelter; and
  - ii. Determination of vehicle trips expected to be generated due to the proposed project.
- c) The current and future levels of service at the relevant intersections under investigation; and
- d) Other traffic-related matters.

The following subsection elaborates on the above mentioned.

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# 2.1 STATUS QUO OF LAND USE, AS WELL AS ROAD NETWORK CHARACTERISTICS

The following information is discussed in terms of the *status quo* of the existing land use and road characteristics:

- a) Existing land use information;
- b) Existing road characteristics and modal distribution; and
- c) Traffic counts conducted as a basis for making traffic calculations.

#### 2.1.1 EXISTING LAND USE INFORMATION

The relevant property where the proposed project components will be established are located within the footprint of the existing Impala Smelter Complex.

For the purpose of this traffic impact assessment, it is assumed that

- a) The vehicle traffic absorption rate (rate at which existing developments attract vehicular traffic) by all other types of completed developments will maintain the same status for the next ten years; and
- b) That the average rate of growth of vehicle traffic in the area under investigation that is not relevant to the proposed project activities (background traffic) between the 2020 to 2030 scenarios was anticipated at 3% per annum.

#### 2.1.2 EXISTING ROAD CHARACTERISTICS AND MODAL DISTRIBUTION

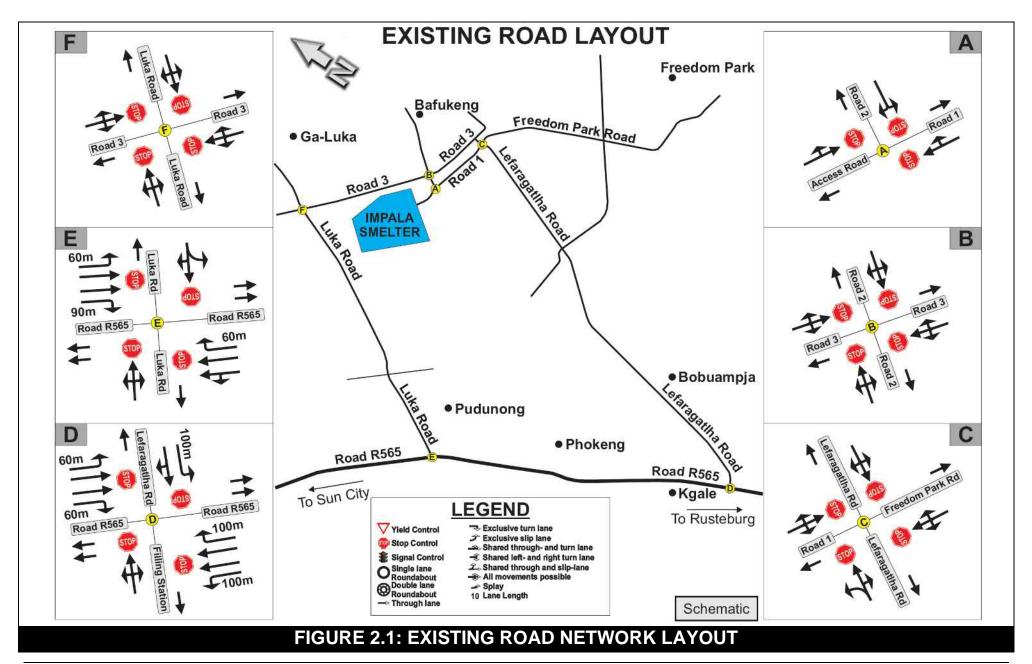
The following are relevant as part of this section:

- a) **Table 2.1** contains information related to the existing intersections under investigation.
- b) **Figure 2.1** provides the existing road network layout for the area under investigation.
- c) **Table 2.2** provides information concerning the relevant road sections under investigation and includes the following:
  - i) Relevant road section;
  - ii) Picture of road section:
  - iii) Existing class of road;
  - iv) Proposed class of road;
  - v) Road reserve widths:
  - vi) Lane widths; and
  - vii) Median widths.

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- d) **Tables 2.3** provide a copy of the Guidelines (COTO TRH26 "South African Road Classification and Access Management Manual, Version 1.0, August 2012" Urban areas) of typical road characteristics and access management requirements.
- e) **Tables 2.4** provide a copy of the Guidelines (COTO TRH26 "South African Road Classification and Access Management Manual, Version 1.0, August 2012" Rural areas) of typical road characteristics and access management requirements.

TAB	LE 2.1: SUMMARY	OF INTERSECTION UNDER INVE		ISTING INTERSECTIONS
POINT	DESCRIPTION	INTERSECTION CONTROL	PEDESTRIAN ACTIVITIES	INTERSECTION PHOTO
A	Impala Smelter Complex Access Road, Road 1 and Road 2	Stop-controlled on all approaches	Pedestrian activity observed during surveys	
В	Road 2 and Road 3	Stop-controlled on all approaches	Pedestrian activity observed during surveys	
С	Lefaragatlha Road, Freedom Park Road and Road 1	Stop-controlled on all approaches	Pedestrian activity observed during surveys	
D	Road R565 and Lefaragatlha Road	Stop-controlled on all approaches	Pedestrian activity observed during surveys	選
E	Road R565 and Luka Road	Stop-controlled on all approaches	Pedestrian activity observed during surveys	
F	Luka Road and Road 3	Stop-controlled on all approaches	Pedestrian activity observed during surveys	4015



		TAB	LE 2.2: S	UMMARY	OF ROAI	CHAR	ACTERIST	rics -							
RELEVANT ROAD SECTION	PICTURE OF ROAD SECTION	EXISTING CLASS OF ROAD			FUNCTIONAL CLASS OF ROAD			Road Reserve (M)	Number of Lanes	Lane Width	Type of Surface	Median	Anticipated Traffic Growth per Annum over 5 Years	Speed Limit	
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		Class	ccess / Activ Class No.	Route No.	Class	cess / Acti Class No.	Route No.	ıth Africa		Two					
Road Section 1		Collector Street	U4a	R	Collector Street	U4a	R	n Nation	±30m	Two lane per direction	3.7m wide	Asphalt	6 meters	3%	60 km/h
Road R565		<u>Description:</u> Collector		<u>Description:</u> Collector			nal Road Ltd	3	r directio	/ide	alt	ers		<del>√</del>	
		Spacing between Intersections: > 150m			Spacing between Intersections: > 150m			South African National Roads Agency SOC Ltd		ň					
		Primary Function: Access / Activity		Operational Function: Access / Activity			72								
	c v t	Class	Class No.	Route No.	Class	Class No.	Route No.	ustenb		One					
Road Section 2  Lefaragatlha		Collector Road	R4	N/a	Collector Road	R4	N/a	Rustenburg Local Municipality	±50m		3.7m wide	Asphalt	None.	3%	80 km/h
Road		<u> </u>	<u>Description:</u> Collector		<u> </u>	<u>Description:</u> Collector			3	One lane per direction	vide	alt	те.		n/h
		<u>In</u>	acing between tersections 600 - 800m	<u>s:</u>	<u>In</u>	tersection 600 - 800n	ıs:	ipality		on					

	TA	ABLE 2.2:	SUMMA	RY OF RO	OAD CHA	RACTER	ISTICS (C	ontinue)							
RELEVANT ROAD SECTION	PICTURE OF ROAD SECTION	EXISTING CLASS OF ROAD			FUNCTIONAL CLASS OF ROAD			Road Authority	Road Reserve (M)	Number of Lanes	Lane Width	Type of Surface	Median	Anticipated Traffic Growth per Annum over 5 Years	Speed Limit
			mary Funct			tional Fur									
		Class	Class No.	Route No.	Class	Class No.	Route No.	Rustenburg Local Municipality		One				3%	
Road Section 3		Collector Street	U4a	R	Collector Street	U4a	R	urg Loca	±25m	One lane per direction	3.7m wide	Asphalt	None		60 km/h
Luka Road		<u>Description:</u> Collector		<u>Description:</u> Collector			al Munic	3	r directio	vide	alt	Φ		η/h	
		Spacing between Intersections: > 150m			Spacing between Intersections: > 150m			ipality		ň					
		Primary Function: Access / Activity		Operational Function: Access / Activity			77								
		Class	Class No.	Route No.	Class	Class No.	Route No.	Rustenb		One					
Road Section 4  Freedom Park		Collector Road	R4	N/a	Collector Road	R4	N/a	Rustenburg Local Municipality	±50m	One lane per direction	3.7m wide	Asphalt	None	3%	80 km/h
Road		<u>1</u>	Description Collector	<u>:</u>	<u> </u>	<u>Description:</u> Collector			ם א	r directi	vide	a <del>t</del>	ίο	6,	νh
		Spacing between Intersections: 600 - 800mSpacing between Intersections: 600 - 800m				ıs:	ipality		on .						

	T/	ABLE 2.2:	SUMMA	RY OF R	OAD CHA	RACTER	RISTICS (C	ontinue)							
RELEVANT ROAD SECTION	PICTURE OF ROAD SECTION	EXISTING CLASS OF ROAD			FUNCTIONAL CLASS OF ROAD			Road Authority	Road Reserve (M)	Number of Lanes	Lane Width	Type of Surface	Median	Anticipated Traffic Growth per Annum over 5 Years	Speed Limit
		Primary Function: Access / Activity				tional Fur									
		Class	Class No.	Route No.	Class	Class No.	Route No.	Rustenburg Local Municipality		One			None.	3%	
Road Section 5		Collector Road	R4	N/a	Collector Road	R4	N/a	urg Loca	±40m	One lane per direction	3.7m wide	Asphalt			60 km/h
Road 1		<u>Description:</u> Collector		<u>Description:</u> Collector			al Munic	3	r directio	/ide	alt	Ö		n/h	
		Spacing between Intersections: 600 - 800m			Spacing between Intersections: 600 - 800m			ipality		ň					
		Primary Function: Access / Activity			Operational Function: Access / Activity			77							
		Class	Class No.	Route No.	Class	Class No.	Route No.	Rustenb		One					
Road Section 6		Collector Road	R4	N/a	Collector Road	R4	N/a	Rustenburg Local Municipality	±40m	One lane per direction	3.7m wide	Asphalt	None	3%	60 km/h
Road 2		<u>1</u>	Description Collector	<u>:</u>	<u>Description:</u> Collector			m al Munic	מ	r direction	vide	nalt	ĊD	6,	νh
		Spacing between Intersections: 600 - 800m		Spacing between Intersections: 600 - 800m			ipality		)n						

	TABLE 2.2: SUMMARY OF ROAD CHARACTERISTICS (Continue)															
RELEVANT ROAD SECTION	PICTURE OF ROAD SECTION	SECTION CLASS OF ROAD			_	INCTION SS OF R	Road Authority	Road Reserve (M)	Number of Lanes	Lane Width	Type of Surface	Median	Anticipated Traffic Growth per Annum over 5 Years	Speed Limit		
		Primary Function: Access / Activity			Operational Function: Access / Activity			Z.								
		Class	Class No.	Route No.	Class	Class No.	Route No.	ustenb		One						
Road Section 7		Collector Road	R4	N/a	N/a	Collector Road	R4	N/a	urg Loc	lan	lane	3.7m \	Asph	Non	3%	60 kr
Road 3		<u>Description:</u> Collector			<u>Description:</u> Collector			al Munic	3	r direction	vide	alt	e.		km/h	
		Spacing between Intersections: 600 - 800m			Spacing between Intersections: 600 - 800m			ipality		on						
Road 3		Road R4 N/a  Description: Collector  Spacing between Intersections:			<u>D</u> Spa In	Collector	<u>reen</u> ns:	Rustenburg Local Municipality	±40m	per direction	m wide	Asphalt	None.	3%		

# TABLE 2.3: URBAN ACCESS MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS AND FEATURES (EXTRACT FROM COTO TRH26 - SOUTH AFRICAN ROAD CLASSIFICATION AND ACCESS MANAGEMENT MANUAL VERSION 1.0 AUGUST 2012

	DESC	RIPTION			REQUIREMENT	S				TYPICAL FEATU	JRES (Use appr	opriate conte	xt sensitive stan	dards for design)		
BASIC FUNCTION	CLASS NO. (U_)	CLASS NAME	DESIGN TOPOLOGY	ROUTE NO.	INTERSECTION SPACING	ACCESS TO PROPERTY	PARKING	SPEED km/h	INTERSECTION CONTROL	TYPICAL CROSS SECTION	ROADWAY / LANE WIDTH	ROAD RESERVE WIDTH	PUBLIC TRANSPORT AND PEDESTRIAN CROSSINGS	PEDESTRIAN FOOTWAYS (CONSTRUCTED)	CYCLE LANES	TRAFFIC CALMING
	U1	Principal arterial	Expressway	Yes (M/R/N)	2,4km (1.6km - 3.6km)	Not allowed *.	No	100 - 120	Interchange	4/6/8 lane freeway	3.3 - 3.7m lanes	60 - 120m (60m)	No	No	No	No
Mobility	U2	Major arterial	Highway	Yes (M/R)	800m (±15%)	Not allowed *.	No	80	Co-ordinated traffic signal, interchange	4/6 lane divided, kerbed	3.3 - 3.6m lanes	38 - 62m (40m)	Yes, at intersections	Off road	Yes, widen roadway	No
	U3	Minor arterial	Main road	Yes (M)	600m (±20%)	Not allowed *.	No	70	Co-ordinated traffic signal, roundabout	4 lanes divided or undivided, kerbed	3.3 - 3.5m lanes	25 - 40m (30m)	Yes, at intersections	Yes	Yes, widen roadway	No
	U4a	Collector Street, commercial	Commercial major collector	No (A for temp. Routing)	> 150m	Yes (larger properties)	Yes, if conditional allow	60	Traffic signal, roundabout or priority	4 lanes, median at pedestrian crossings, boulevard, CBD one-way		20 - 40m (25m)	Yes, at intersections or midblock	Yes	Yes, widen roadway or on verge	Median for pedestrians, curved roadway
	U4b***	Collector street, residential	Residential minor collector	No	> 150m	Yes	Yes, if appropriate	50	Roundabout, mini-circle or priority	2/3 lane undivided	6-9m roadway, < 3.3m lanes	16 - 30m (20m)	Yes, anywhere	Yes	Yes, on road or verge	Raised pedestrian, median, narrow lanes
Access / Activity	U5a	Local street, commercial	Commercial access street	No		Yes	Yes, if conditions allow	40	Priority	2 lanes plus parking		15 - 25m (22m)	If applicable, anywhere	Normally yes	Use roadway	Raised pedestrian crossing
	U5b	Local street, residential	Local residential street	No		Yes	Yes, on verge	40	Mini-circle, priority or none	1/2 lane mountable kerb	3.0 - 5.5m roadway (two way)	10 - 16m (14m)	If applicable, anywhere	Not normally, pedestrians can use roadway	Use roadway	Yes, but should not be necessary
	U6a	Walkway, non- motorised priority	Pedestrian priority	No	500m maximum	Yes	Yes, if parking lot on woon erf	15	None, pedestrians have right of way	Surfaced			If applicable, anywhere	Yes, or use roadway	Rare	Yes
	U6b	Walkway, non- motorised priority	Pedestrian only	No	500m maximum	Yes	No vehicles	peds. 80m / minute	None, pedestrian signal	Block paving		6m		Yes	Yes	

<sup>\*</sup> Access to properties sufficiently large to warrant a private intersection / interchange which can be considered if access spacing requirements are met and there is no future need for public road.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Partial and marginal access at reduced spacing allowed relieving congestion, reducing excessive travel distance or removing the need for full intersections.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Please note that the types of roads affected by the proposed project are shaded in grey above.

# TABLE 2.4: RURAL ACCESS MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS AND FEATURES (COTO TRH26 - SOUTH AFRICAN ROAD CLASSIFICATION AND ACCESS MANAGEMENT MANUAL VERSION 1.0 AUGUST 2012)

	DESCI	RIPTION			REMENTS		7.						tive standards for	design)		
BASIC FUNCTION	CLASS NO (R_)	CLASS NAME	DESIGN TOPOLOGY	ROUTE NO.	ACCESS TO PROPERTY	PARKING	SPEED km/h	INTERSECTION CONTROL	INTERSECTION SPACING	TYPICAL CROSS SECTION	ROADWAY / LANE WIDTH	ROAD RESERVE WIDTH	PUBLIC TRANSPORT AND PEDESTRIAN CROSSINGS	PEDESTRIAN FOOTWAYS (CONSTRUCTED)	CYCLE LANES	ANIMAL DRAWN VEHICLES
	R 1	Principal arterial	Expressway	Yes (N)	Not allowed*	No (off road rest stops allowed)	120	Grade separated or priority to through	8.0km	2/3/4 lanes, surfaced shoulders, climbing lanes	3.5 - 3.7m	60 - 80m (62m)	No	No	No	No
Mobility	R 2	Major arterial	Highway	Yes (R: 2 or 3- digit; or N)	Not allowed  */**	No (off road rest stops allowed)	120	Priority or grade separated	5.0km	2/3 lanes, surfaced shoulders, climbing lanes	3.5 - 3.7m	40-70m (48m)	As required	Isolated	Recreational on shoulder	No
	R 3	Minor arterial	Main road	Yes (R: 3 or 2- digit)	Not allowed  */**	No (off road rest stops allowed)	100 - 120	Priority, roundabout	1.6km	2 lanes surfaced, gravel shoulders	4.0m	30-50m (30m)	As required	Isolated	Recreational widen roadway both sides	Widen shoulder
	R 4***	Collector road	Collector	Allowed, T (tourist) or D (district)	Yes	No (off road edge or in lay byes / viewpoints)	80 - 100	Priority	600 - 800m	2 lanes surfaced or gravel, gravel shoulders	3.5m	25m	As required	Rare, isolated	Widen roadway	Widen shoulder
Access / Activity	R 5	Local road	Farm road	Allowed, T (tourist) or L (local)	Yes	No (on verge or shoulder)	60 - 80	Priority	450 - 600m	1/2 lane/s gravel, 600mm concrete strips in environmental areas		20m	As required	Rare	Use roadway	Use roadway
	R 6	Walkway	Track or pathway	No	Yes	N/A			N/A					Not constructed, formed by use		

<sup>\*</sup> Access to properties sufficiently large to warrant a private intersection / interchange which can be considered if access spacing requirements are met and there is no future need for public road.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Low volume farm gate and tourist access (less than 10 vehicles per day) can be considered if no alternative exists.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Please note that the types of roads affected by the proposed project are shaded in grey above.

#### 2.1.3 TRAFFIC COUNTS AS BASIS FOR MAKING TRAFFIC-ENGINEERING CALCULATIONS

In order to gain a better understanding of the existing traffic patterns and movements adjacent to the existing Impala Smelter Complex, 12-hour manual traffic counts were conducted at the existing intersections that would potentially be affected by the proposed activities as part of the proposed project.

It is standard traffic engineering practice to conduct at least 12-hour manual traffic counts, as close as possible to a month-end Friday when traffic movement is expected to be at its highest.

The relevant 12-hour manual traffic counts were conducted on Friday 07 August 2020 at the following intersection under investigation:

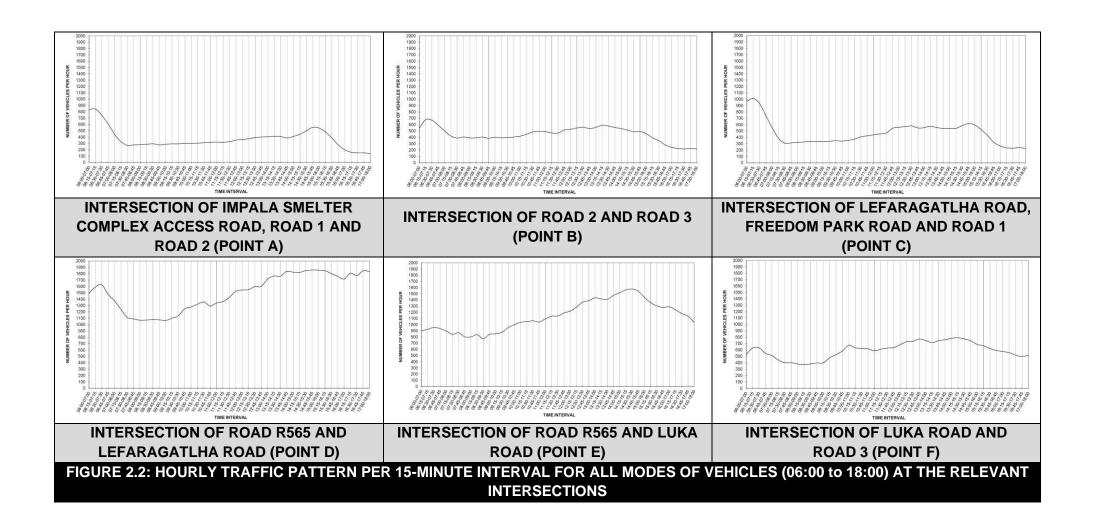
- a) Point A: Intersection of Impala Smelter Complex Access Road, Road 1 and Road 2;
- b) Point B: Intersection of Road 2 and Road 3;
- c) Point C: Intersection of Lefaragatlha Road, Freedom Park Road and Road 1;
- d) Point D: Intersection of Road R565 and Lefaragatlha Road;
  e) Point F: Intersection of Road R565 and Luka Road; and
- e) **Point E**: Intersection of Road R565 and Luka Road; and f)
- g) Point F: Intersection of Luka Road and Road 3.

The combined hourly totals of all the vehicle types for the traffic survey conducted on Friday 07 August 2020 between 06:00 and 18:00 are indicated in **Tables A-1** to **A-6** of **Appendix A** of this report. The description of the relevant vehicle movements at the relevant intersections appears in **Figure A-1** of **Appendix A**. **Figure B-1** provides a graphical presentation of the peak-hour traffic volumes as derived from the relevant manual traffic counts.

The respective peak-hour flows for the traffic count at the relevant intersections were identified as indicated in **Table 2.5** below.

TA	TABLE 2.5: PEAK HOUR PERIODS AT THE RELEVANT INTERSECTION  AM PEAK  PM PEAK														
		AM F	PEAK	PM F	PEAK										
POINT	INTERSECTION	TIME INTERVAL	NUMBER OF VEHICLES	TIME INTERVAL	NUMBER OF VEHICLES										
A	Impala Smelter Complex Access Road, Road 1 and Road 2	06:15 – 07:15	843	14:45 to 15:45	554										
В	Road 2 and Road 3	06:15 – 07:15	677	14:45 to 15:45	491										
С	Lefaragatlha Road, Freedom Park Road and Road 1	06:15 – 07:15	1 012	14:45 to 15:45	617										
D	Road R565 and Lefaragatlha Road	06:15 – 07:15	1 590	14:45 to 15:45	1858										
E	Road R565 and Luka Road	06:15 – 07:15	924	14:45 to 15:45	1 540										
F	Luka Road and Road 3	06:15 – 07:15	630	14:45 to 15:45	742										

**Figure 2.2** indicates the hourly traffic pattern, per 15-minute interval, for all modes of vehicles at the relevant intersections between 06:00 and 18:00 on Friday 07 August 2020. A graphical presentation of the peak-hour vehicle flows is indicated with **Figure B-1** of **Appendix B**.



### 2.2 FUTURE LAND USE AND ROAD CHARACTERISTICS

The following are relevant:

- a) Land use information, including existing and proposed future approved developments in the area; and
- b) Determination of the vehicle trips anticipated to be generated by the proposed project.

The subsections below elaborate on the above-mentioned future land use and road characteristics.

# 2.2.1 LAND USE INFORMATION, INCLUDING EXISTING AND PROPOSED LATENT DEVELOPMENTS IN THE AREA

No information of any latent rights (planned or other known developments within the study area) is readily available at the time of conducting this study, and it was therefore assumed that there were no known approved latent rights within the vicinity of the study area that would have a significant impact on vehicle traffic volumes within the area.

#### 2.2.2 INFORMATION ABOUT THE EXPECTED FUTURE MODAL DISTRIBUTION

**Figures B-2** and **B-3** of **Appendix B** indicate, in percentages, the expected vehicle trips distribution, respectively, of light vehicles and heavy vehicles for the AM and PM peak periods for the relevant scenarios.

# 2.2.3 DETERMINATION OF VEHICLE TRIPS EXPECTED TO BE GENERATED DUE TO THE PROPOSED PROJECT

**Table 2.6** indicate the trip generation rates, the number of vehicle trips which are expected to be generated due to the proposed project for the construction phase while **Table 2.7** provides the same for the operational phase.

The trip generation rates are based on the "COTO TMH17, South African Trip Data Manual Version 1.01, September 2013", information provided by the project team and assumptions made based on professional experience where information was not available.

# TABLE 2.6: TRIP GENERATION RATES, EXPECTED NUMBER OF VEHICLE TRIPS TO BE GENERATED DUE TO THE PROPOSED PROJECT (CONSTRUCTION PHASE)

			%	Num		- <sup>%</sup> -	Num Trucks active during Peak	Assumed Ave. Num Persons			Trip Ge	neration Calc	ulations for I	Final Trip Informatio Traffic Engineerii Calculations					
Item	Component	Num Workers per Day	Workers active during Peak	Workers Active per Peak	Num Trucks Per Day	Trucks active during Peak			Comments	If Inward Movement	nt Trips for		Num Veh Trips for	Total Num Veh Trips Generated	Calculated Trip Generation	Trip D	ist. %	Trip Generation	
			Hour	Hour		Hour	Hour	per Veh		is relevant Value = 1	Inwards Direction	is relevant Value = 1	Outwards Direction	during Peak Hour (In & Out)	Rate per Veh during Peak Hour	ln	Out	In	Out
									AM Peak Hour										
1.	Construction workers (using own transport)	5	100%	5				1,2	Trips per Worker (1.2 Persons per Vehicle)	1	4	0	0	4	0,83	100%	0%	4	0
2.	Construction workers (Transported via 10-seater transport)	20	100%	20				10,0	10 persons per vehicle (Vehicle deliver workers and park on site)	1	2	0	0	2	0,10	100%	0%	2	0
3.	Heavy vehicles delivering consumables				5	20%	1	1,0	20% of delivery vehicles expected during peak periods	1	1	1	1	2	2,00	50%	50%	1	1
											TOTAL	8				7	1		
									PM Peak Hour										
1.	Construction workers (using own transport)	5	100%	5				1,2	Trips per Worker (1.2 Persons per Vehicle)	0	0	1	4	4	0,83	0%	100%	0	4
2.	Construction workers (Transported via 10-seater transport)	20	100%	20				10,0	10 persons per vehicle (Vehicle deliver workers and park on site)	0	0	1	2	2	0,10	0%	100%	0	2
3.	Heavy vehicles delivering consumables				5	20%	1	1,0	20% of delivery vehicles expected during peak periods	1	1	1	1	2	2,00	50%	50%	1	1
													TOTAL	8				1	7

# TABLE 2.7: TRIP GENERATION RATES, EXPECTED NUMBER OF VEHICLE TRIPS TO BE GENERATED DUE TO THE PROPOSED PROJECT (OPERATIONAL PHASE)

			%	Num Workers		%	Num	Assumed	Comments		Trip Generation Calculations for Peak Hour						Final Trip Information for Traffic Engineering Calculations			
Item	Component	Num Workers per Day	Workers active during Peak	Workers Active per Peak	Num Trucks Per Day	Trucks active during Peak	Trucks active during Peak	Ave. Num Persons		If Inward Movement	Num Veh Trips for	Movement	Num Veh Trips for	Total Num Veh Trips Generated	Calculated Trip Generation	Trip [	Dist. %	Trip Generation		
			Hour	Hour	,	Hour	Hour	per Veh		is relevant Value = 1	Inwards Direction	is relevant Value = 1	Outwards Direction	during Peak Hour (In & Out)	Rate per Veh during Peak Hour	In	Out	ln	Out	
		ı	1					Al	/ Peak Hour (Operational P	hase)	ı	1	ı	1			_			
1.	Additional staff due to new flash dryer	0	0%	0				1,2	No additional staff	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0%	0%	0	0	
2.	Additional heavy vehicles delivering ore to plant for processing due to new flash dryer				26	20%	5	1,0	20% of heavy vehicles expected during peak traffic periods	1	5	1	5	10	2,00	50%	50%	5	5	
3.	Additional heavy vehicles exporting processed product due to new flash dryer				0	0%	0	1,0	No additional vehicles expected	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0%	0%	0	0	
4.	Heavy vehicles delivering consumables				0	0%	0	1,0	No additional delivery vehicles expected	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0%	0%	0	0	
					1	I.	•				I		TOTAL	10				5	5	
								DI	4 D1-11 (O	u \										
								PIN	/ Peak Hour (Operational P	nase)										
1.	Additional staff due to new flash dryer	0	0%	0				1,2	No additional staff	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0%	0%	0	0	
2.	Additional heavy vehicles delivering ore to plant for processing due to new flash dryer				26	20%	5	1,0	20% of heavy vehicles expected during peak traffic periods	1	5	1	5	10	2,00	50%	50%	5	5	
3.	Additional heavy vehicles exporting processed product due to new flash dryer				0	0%	0	1,0	No additional vehicles expected	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0%	0%	0	0	
4.	Heavy vehicles delivering consumables				0	0%	0	1,0	No additional delivery vehicles expected	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0%	0%	0	0	
	<u> </u>					l	1		1		<u>I</u>	1	TOTAL	10				5	5	

## 2.2.4 DETERMINATION OF THE TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPECTED TO BE GENERATED AT THE RELEVANT INTERSECTIONS

The detailed traffic-related investigation was conducted for the operational phase of the proposed project. The following figures are relevant:

- Figure B-1: 2020 peak hour traffic (background traffic) without the proposed project (Scenario 1); Figure B-2: Projected vehicle trip distribution for the proposed project (Light b) Vehicles); Figure B-3: Projected vehicle trip distribution for the proposed project (Heavy c) Vehicles): Figure B-4: Projected vehicle trips to be generated by the proposed project d) (Construction Phase): e) Figure B-5: Projected 2020 peak hour traffic with the proposed project (Scenario 2):
- f) Figure B-6: Projected 2030 peak hour traffic without the proposed project (Scenario 3):
- Figure B-7: Projected vehicle trips to be generated by the proposed project g) (Operational Phase); and
- Projected 2030 peak hour traffic with the proposed project h) Figure B-8: (Scenario 4).

# 2.3 DETERMINATION OF THE LEVELS OF SERVICE AT THE RELEVANT **INTERSECTIONS**

The "SIDRA Intersection" software was used as an aid for the design and evaluation of the relevant intersections. The following intersections were evaluated for levels of service:

- Intersection of Impala Smelter Complex Access Road, Road 1 and Road 2; Point A: a)
- b) Point B: Intersection of Road 2 and Road 3;

a)

- Point C: Intersection of Lefaragatlha Road, Freedom Park Road and Road 1; c)
- Intersection of Road R565 and Lefaragatlha Road; d) Point D:
- Point E: Intersection of Road R565 and Luka Road; and e)
- Point F: Intersection of Luka Road and Road 3. f)

**In Appendix C Tables C-1 to C-4** indicates the levels of service and the degree of saturation calculated for the relevant intersections for the respective scenarios:

- a) **Table C-1:** Levels of service for various approaches for the year 2020 (background traffic) **without** the proposed project **(Scenario 1)**;
- b) **Table C-2:** Levels of service for various approaches for the year 2030 (background traffic) **without** the proposed project **(Scenario 3)**;
- c) **Table C-3:** Levels of service for various approaches for the year 2020 (background traffic) **with** the proposed project **(Scenario 2)**; and
- d) **Table C-4:** Levels of service for various approaches for the year 2030 (background traffic) **with** the proposed project **(Scenario 4)**.

#### From **Tables C-1** to **C-4** it is possible to note that:

- a) Geometric upgrading (mitigating measures) is recommended as part of the existing circumstances without the proposed project;
- No further geometric upgrading (mitigating measures) is recommended due to the proposed project, as long as geometric improvements (mitigating measures) are implemented as recommended for the existing circumstances; and
- c) Refer to **Section 3** of this report for more information regarding required and/or recommended improvements (mitigating measures).

Refer to **Tables D-1** and **D-2** of **Appendix D** for level of service criteria description respectively for unsignalised and signalised intersections.

**Table 2.8** provides a summary of the predicted available reserve capacity on the various sections of roads that had been investigated with the proposed activities as part of the proposed new flash dryer.

			TA	BLE 2.8: AVAI	LABLE RESE	RVE CAPACIT	Y FOR RELEV	ANT ROAD	SECTION	S					
Point	Intersection	Direction of Road Section	Capacity per Lane	2020 Number of Lanes	2020 Total Capacity	2030 Number of Lanes	2030 Total Capacity	Numl	Actual ber of icles		eserve Available	Num	Actual ber of icles		Reserve Available
				Laties		Lanes		AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM
	Intersection of Impala	North (Road 2)	900	1	900	1	900	127	156	773	744	151	171	749	729
Α	Smelter Access Road, Road 1 and Road 2	East (Road 1)	900	1	900	1	900	370	360	530	540	388	400	512	500
	Noau Tanu Noau 2	West (Impala Access)	900	1	900	1	900	354	46	546	854	361	52	539	848
		North (Road 2)	700	1	700	1	700	289	60	411	640	388	80	312	620
В	Intersection of Road 2	East (Road 3)	900	1	900	1	900	69	172	831	728	92	231	808	669
	and Road 3	South (Road 2)	900	1	900	1	900	173	110	727	790	210	142	690	758
		West (Road 3)	900	1	900	1	900	148	151	752	749	179	163	721	737
		North (Lefaragatlha)	900	1	900	1	900	193	34	707	866	260	46	640	854
С	Intersection of Lefaragatlha Road,	East (Freedom Park)	900	1	900	1	900	289	180	611	720	322	211	578	689
	Freedom Park Road and Road 1	South (Lefaragatlha)	900	1	900	1	900	227	344	673	556	261	404	639	496
	and Road 1	West (Road 1)	900	1	900	1	900	309	65	591	835	333	84	567	816
		North (Lefaragatlha)	900	1	900	1	900	439	154	461	746	593	213	307	687
D	Intersection of Road R565 and	East (Road R565)	1100	2	2200	2	2200	656	982	1544	1218	887	1322	1313	878
	Lefaragatlha Road	South (Access)	700	1	700	1	700	74	99	626	601	100	133	600	567
		West (Road R565)	1100	2	2200	2	2200	425	627	1775	1573	572	842	1628	1358
		North (Luka Road)	900	1	900	1	900	251	258	649	642	329	347	571	553
E	Intersection of Road	East (Road R565)	1100	2	2200	2	2200	354	763	1846	1437	476	1020	1724	1180
	R565 and Luka Road	South (Luka Road)	700	1	700	1	700	13	32	687	668	17	43	683	657
		West (Road R565)	1100	2	2200	2	2200	312	493	1888	1707	420	660	1780	1540
		North (Luka Road)	900	1	900	1	900	89	250	811	650	111	323	789	577
F	Intersection of Luka	East (Road 3)	900	1	900	1	900	211	84	689	816	245	108	655	792
	Road and Road 3	South (Luka Road)	900	1	900	1	900	234	385	666	515	303	490	597	410
		West (Road 3)	900	1	900	1	900	98	25	802	875	132	34	768	866

# 2.4 SENSITIVE ROAD SECTIONS AND INTERSECTIONS RELATED TO EXISTING AND PROPOSED CONDITIONS

It is important to determine the sensitivity of existing roads in order to assist in an understanding of the current baseline conditions. For the purpose of this project sections of the Lefaragatlha Road and Luka Road is located within a community and is therefore deemed a sensitive road.

Sensitive road sections and intersections related to existing conditions **without** and **with** the proposed project in terms of vehicular traffic include the following:

- a) Where residents and schools are located (vehicle / pedestrian conflict);
- b) Free-flow legs of intersections where right turning movements take place and where no dedicated right-turn lanes are provided;
- c) Intersections with high volumes of vehicular traffic conflicts; and
- d) Speeding.

The following figures are presented as part of the sensitive road sections **without** the proposed project (existing circumstances):

- a) Figures 2.3: Sensitive road sections and Intersections indicating existing sensitive areas and Intersections WITHOUT the proposed activities as part of the proposed project WITHOUT recommended mitigating measures; and
- b) **Figures 2.4:** Sensitive road sections and Intersections indicating existing sensitive areas and Intersections **WITHOUT** the proposed activities as part of the proposed project **WITH** recommended mitigating measures.

With reference to **Figure 2.3**, without recommended mitigation, sections of the Lefaragatlha Road, Luka Road and Road R565 is considered to have a medium sensitivity due to the following reasons:

- a) Sections of Lefaragatlha Road and Luka Road as depicted by Figure 2.3 has housing located next to the roadway and it could therefore be expected that pedestrian movement (including children) would be present along these road sections;
- b) Sections of Road R565 as depicted by **Figure 2.3** has housing located next to the roadway and it could therefore be expected that pedestrian movement (including children) would be present along these road sections; and
- c) Vehicle traffic volumes along Road R565 are high which leads to a higher possibility of accidents.

**Table 3.2** of **Section 3** outlines the recommended mitigation measures that are required along Lefaragatlha Road, Luka Road and Road R565 without the proposed project. These recommendations are required to assist in improving current third party and or animal road safety. With reference to **Figure 2.4**, even with the implementation of the recommended mitigation measures as outlined in **Table 3.2**, the road sensitivity remains medium. This is due to the fact that even with measures in place to improve road safety for third parties and/or animals, there is always a possibility of an accident or injury occurring

With the implementation of the recommended mitigation measures as outline in **Table 3.2**, intersection sensitivity improves from high to low for intersection D and E, while the intersection sensitivity of intersections C, B and F improves from a medium to very low sensitivity.

It is important to take into consideration that the anticipated vehicle traffic to be generated due to the proposed project as determined as part of **Section 2.2.3** is an insignificant volume of vehicle traffic during peak traffic times for the construction and operational phases.

It follows that the proposed project will not change the sensitivity of the relevant roads under investigation as part of this report and as such the road sensitivity for certain sections would remain a medium sensitivity, intersection sensitivity of intersections D and E would remain a low sensitivity and the intersection sensitivity of intersections B, C and F would remain a very low sensitivity.



FIGURE 2.3: SENSITIVE ROAD SECTIONS AND INTERSECTIONS INDICATING EXISTING SENSITIVE AREAS AND INTERSECTIONS WITHOUT THE PROPOSED PROJECT WITHOUT RECOMMENDED MITIGATING MEASURES



FIGURE 2.4: SENSITIVE ROAD SECTIONS AND INTERSECTIONS INDICATING EXISTING SENSITIVE AREAS AND INTERSECTIONS WITHOUT THE PROPOSED PROJECT WITH RECOMMENDED MITIGATING MEASURES

### 2.5 INFORMATION REQUESTED BY RELEVANT ROAD AUTHORITY

Input will be provided as part of the Detail Design Phase of the proposed project. All comments / approval from the relevant road authorities will be included as part of the applications for approval and detail design process as a separate document.

### 2.6 OTHER TRAFFIC-RELATED MATTERS

**Table 2.9** provides a summary of the following:

- a) Access related matters;
- b) Road safety;
- c) Non-motorised transport; and
- d) Public transport.

	TABLE 2.9	: SUMMARY OF OTHER TRAFFIC-RELATED M	ATTERS RELEVANT TO ALL PHASES	OF THE PROPOSED PROJECT
Item	Description of Element	General Comments	Specific Issues	Actions Required
1.	ACCESS RELATED MATTERS	3		
1.1	Access to the existing Impala	All access intersections are existing access intersections and	a) None.	a) None.
	Smelter	comply with all relevant road related requirements.		
2.	ROAD SAFETY MATTERS			
2.1	General road safety	<ul> <li>The following are typical elements related to the road network, which cause road safety problems in rural and urban areas and which need to be addressed on a continuous basis:</li> <li>a) Intersection layout, with specific reference to dedicated right turn lanes, where there is heavy vehicle movement;</li> <li>b) Pedestrian movements (road crossings);</li> <li>c) Intersection alignment, such as staggered intersections;</li> <li>d) Insufficient public transport facilities;</li> <li>e) Access control for vehicle movement;</li> <li>f) Fencing to control animal movement;</li> <li>g) Lack of or deterioration of reflective road studs for visibility during the night at strategic points;</li> <li>h) Lack of pedestrian walkways to separate pedestrian and vehicle movements at strategic points;</li> <li>i) Lack of provision and quality of road markings;</li> <li>j) Lack of provision and quality of road signs; and</li> <li>k) Improper road safety training for workers as well as adjacent communities.</li> </ul>	The following road safety concerns were observed at the relevant intersections adjacent to the Impala Smelter Complex (Intersections A, B, C and F):  a) No reflective road studs to improve intersection geometry visibility during night-time; b) Road markings are fading.	In general, the report was compiled to address the road safety issues as far as practically possible. Refer to Section 3.2 for the required and recommended intersection improvements.  Road safety assessment on roads adjacent the Impala Smelter Complex is recommended (Intersections A, B, C and F) to determine the exact need for:  a) Reflective road studs at the relevant intersections and roadways in between intersections; b) Updating and maintaining road markings which are fading; and c) Need for relevant road traffic signs where not present or are required.  Other recommended road safety measures for consideration are:  a) Provide Impala Smelter Complex workers and contractor workers with training on road safety; and b) Run road safety and awareness campaigns at the mine.
3.	NON-MOTORISED TRANSPO	RT		
3.1	Non-motorised transport	Non-mine related pedestrian activity around the relevant intersections under investigation was observed during the site visit.	<ul> <li>a) No pedestrian walkways are provided to split motorised and non-motorised traffic at most intersections under investigation.</li> <li>b) No pedestrian crossings are provided at the relevant intersections under investigation.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Impala in conjunction with other mining developments who also make use of Intersections A, B, and F, relevant road authority and municipality should provide:</li> <li>a) Paved pedestrian walkways to create a safe environment for pedestrians to move around at intersections A, B and F.</li> <li>b) Provide pedestrian crossings at intersections A, B and F.</li> </ul>
4.	PUBLIC TRANSPORT		\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	N A1
4.1	Public transport	<ul> <li>a) Two types of public transport commuters are relevant:         <ol> <li>i) Firstly, workers who are travel to and from the proposed mining development during all phases; and</li> <li>ii) Secondly, visitors to the development during all phases.</li> </ol> </li> <li>b) On site loading- and off-loading areas are provided where workers are loaded and off-loaded in a safe manner.</li> </ul>	a) None	a) None.

### Section 3

### FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Based on a site inspection of the existing road network adjacent to the site under investigation, traffic surveys, calculations and reference to the relevant traffic engineering guideline documents, the following findings and recommendations were made:

### 3.1 FINDINGS

The capacity calculations for the traffic impact assessment were conducted for the years 2020 and 2030 respectively. This time frame is in line with traffic engineering guidelines and practice and is determined by the expected number of vehicle trips that could potentially be generated during any specific peak hour by a specific development.

Although the proposed project is anticipated to be operational past the year 2030, anticipated vehicle traffic predictions past a 10 year scenario becomes unpredictable due to factors that are not know at the time of preparing this report, which include future developments in the area and potential road network changes.

The following are discussed in terms of the findings:

- a) Traffic impact during the respective phases
- b) Site accessibility; and
- c) Other traffic related matters.

### 3.1.1 TRAFFIC IMPACT WITHOUT THE PROPOSED PROJECT

**Table E-1** presented as part of **Appendix E** provides a summary of the impact ratings respectively without the proposed project. **Table E-1** of **Appendix E** was derived from **Tables F-1** to **F-3** of **Appendix F** of the report that provides the criteria used in terms of the assessments process.

It is possible to conclude from **Table E-1** that the existing conditions on the existing road network:

a) That the existing road network without the proposed project currently from a road capacity perspective have a low to medium consequence without recommended road capacity mitigating measures implemented, and that the implementation of the recommended mitigating measures would result in an improvement to a positive high consequence;

- b) That the existing road network without the proposed project currently from a road capacity perspective have a very low to medium significance without recommended road capacity mitigating measures implemented, and that the implementation of the recommended mitigating measures would result in an improvement to a positive high significance; and
- c) That the existing road network without the proposed project currently from a road safety perspective has an insignificant to low significance and that no road safety mitigating measures are required.

### 3.1.2 TRAFFIC IMPACT DURING THE RESPECTIVE PHASES WITH THE PROPOSED PROJECT

**Table E-2** presented as part of **Appendix E** provides a summary of the impact ratings respectively with the proposed project. **Table E-2** of **Appendix E** was derived from **Tables F-1** to **F-3** of **Appendix F** of the report that provides the criteria used in terms of the assessments process.

It is possible to conclude from **Table E-2** that in terms of the anticipated vehicle traffic to be generated by the proposed project:

- a) That the road related impact from a road capacity perspective would have a low to positive high consequence as long as the mitigating measures recommended without the proposed project is implemented and that no road capacity related mitigating measures would be required due to the proposed project;
- b) That the road related impact from a road capacity perspective would have a very low to positive high significance as long as the mitigating measures recommended without the proposed project is implemented and that no road capacity related mitigating measures would be required due to the proposed project;
- c) That the road related impact from a road safety perspective would have a low to medium consequence and that no road safety mitigating measures are required;
- d) That the road related impact from a road safety perspective would have a insignificant to low significance and that no road safety mitigating measures are required;

It is furthermore possible to conclude that owing to the type and nature of the proposed project, it is expected that the proposed project will have a manageable impact on vehicle traffic during all phases, provided that road infrastructure improvements are implemented as indicated in **Section 3.2**.

Key potential traffic related impacts include road vehicle capacity and public safety. From the investigation, calculations and intersection performance evaluations, Lefaragatlha Road, Luka Road and R565 are considered to have an acceptable level of service, therefore, the anticipated vehicle traffic to be generated by the proposed project would have an insignificant impact on the condition of the existing road network.

In terms of public safety (pedestrian and vehicle accidents), traffic accidents have the potential to injure people and/or animals. The use of the Lefaragatlha Road, Luka Road and Road R565 as part of the existing Impala operations already presents potential traffic safety risks. The

proposed project presents additional trucks transporting toll to the Smelter Complex along the Lefaragatlha Road.

This is considered to be a high significance in the unmitigated scenario, when considering the medium sensitivity of the road and the potential for traffic accidents to occur that could result in injury or death of people and/or animals. With the implementation of the recommendations as outlined in **Section 3.2**, the aim at improving key current intersections, the likelihood of traffic accidents occurring is reduces and as such significance of the impact reduces to medium. In terms of the proposed project, no additional geometric road improvements would be required provided that recommended road infrastructure improvements are implemented as part of existing conditions as indicated in Section 3.2.

### 3.1.3 SITE ACCESSIBILITY

The proposed new flash dryer will be installed on the property of the existing Impala Smelter and access would be gained by means of existing intersections. **Section 3.2** provides more information on the recommendations for geometric improvements.

### 3.2 RECOMMENDATIONS

The following are discussed in terms of the recommendations:

- a) Summary of recommended improvements without the proposed project activities;
- b) Detailed summary of recommended improvements without the proposed project activities;
- c) Summary of recommended improvements with the proposed project activities;
- d) Detailed summary of recommended improvements with the proposed project activities;
- e) Institutional arrangements; and
- f) Reasoned opinion for authorisation.

## 3.2.1 SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDED INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS WITHOUT THE PROPOSED PROJECT ACTIVITIES

**Table 3.1** provides a short summary of the intersection improvements recommended without the proposed project, and whether the improvements are required from an Intersection performance point of view (Technical / Capacity) or a road safety point of view.

### 3.2.2 DETAILED SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDED IMPROVEMENTS WITHOUT THE PROPOSED PROJECT

**Figure 3.1** provides a graphical presentation of the recommended intersection and road network improvements **WITHOUT** the proposed project while **Table 3.2** provides detailed information on Intersection improvements recommended **WITHOUT** the proposed project.

The TIA does not comment on pavement layer attributes in terms of the relevant road sections. The last-mentioned need to be based on recommendations to be made by a Pavement Design Specialist input.

## TABLE 3.1: SUMMARY OF INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS RECOMENDED IN TERMS OF ROAD / EARTH WORKS WITHOUT THE PROPOSED PROJECT ACTIVITIES

		PROPOSED PROJECT ACTIVITIES	paged activities
Point	Intersection Description	Intersection Performance	posed activities  Road Safety
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A	Intersection of Impala Smelter Complex Access Road, Road 1 and Road 2	No improvem	
В	Intersection of Road 2 and Road 3	<ul> <li>Provide 60-meter dedicated left-turn lane on western approach.</li> </ul>	None.
С	Intersection of Lefaragatlha Road, Freedom Park Road and Road 1	Provide 60 meters dedicated left-turn lane on northern approach.	None.
D	Intersection of Road R565 and Lefaragatlha Road	<ul> <li>Provide traffic light signal as intersection control.</li> </ul>	None.
E	Intersection of Road R565 and Luka Road	<ul> <li>Provide traffic light signal as intersection control.</li> </ul>	None.
F	Intersection of Luka Road and Road 3	<ul> <li>Provide 60 meters dedicated left-turn lane on eastern approach.</li> </ul>	None.

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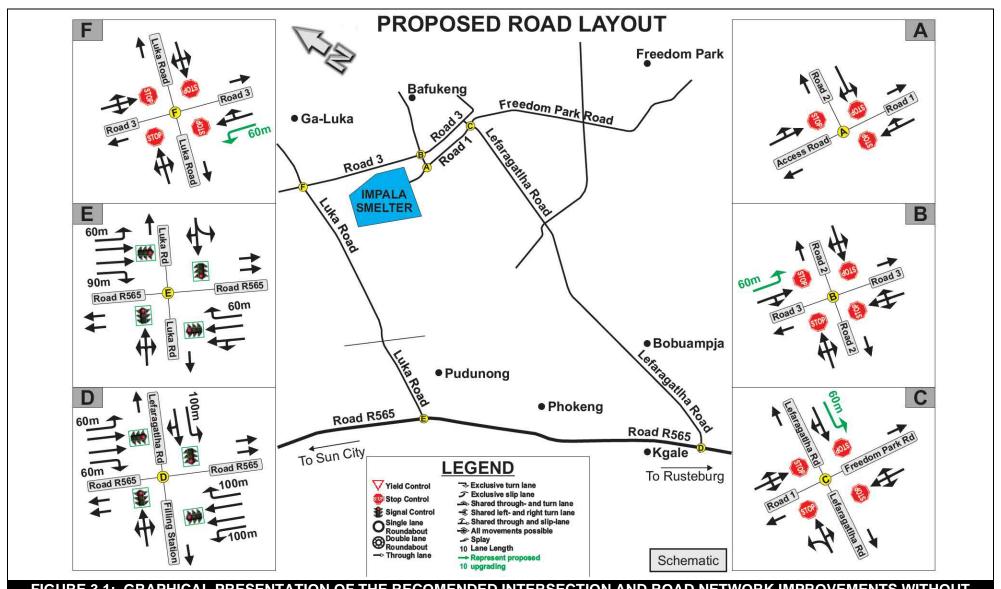


FIGURE 3.1: GRAPHICAL PRESENTATION OF THE RECOMENDED INTERSECTION AND ROAD NETWORK IMPROVEMENTS WITHOUT THE PROPOSED PROJECT ACTIVITIES

				TAB	LE 3.2:	RECO	MMEN	DED ROA	D NET\	WORK IMP			ITHOUT THE PRO	POSED P	ROJEC	CT ACT	IVITIES		
			Appr	oach Tr	raffic Co	ontrol		Ext	ra Lane	s Required									
POINT	INTERSECTION	APPROACH	Free-Flow	Stop	60m Radius Roundabout	Traffic Light System	Left-Turn Taper	Left-Turn Lane	Acceleration Lane	Acceleration Lane in Middle of Road	Dedicated Right- Turn Lane	Number of Extra Through Lanes	Improvements required from a Road Safety or intersection performance Perspective	Reflective Road Studs required at Intersection	Road Markings Required	Road Signs Required	Public Transport Loading and Off- Loading	Pedestrian Walkways	GEOMETRY DETERMINED BY MEANS OF SIDRA
	Intersection of	North (Road 2)	-	Yes	-	-							-		Yes	1	-	-	A
A	Impala Smelter Access Road, Road 1 and Road	East (Road 1)	-	Yes	-	-		No	improve	ments requir	ed.		-	Yes	Yes	-	-	-	Road A Road 1
	2	West (Access)	-	Yes	-	-							-		Yes	1	-	-	Access Road
		North (Road 2)	-	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		Yes	-	-	-	В
В	Intersection of Road 2 and Road	East (Road 3)	-	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	Yes	Yes	1	-	-	60m Road 3
	3	South (Road 2)	-	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	103	Yes	1	-	-	Road 3 Road 2
		West (Road 3)	-	Yes	-	-	-	Yes, 60m	-	-	-	-	Performance		Yes	1	-	-	H B +
		North (Lefaragatlha)	-	Yes	-	-	Yes, 60m	-	-	-	-	-	Performance		Yes	1	-	-	T least 1 least C
С	Intersection of Lefaragatlha Road, Freedom	East (Freedom Park)	-	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Yes	Yes	-	-	-	and a Report Roll Freedom Park Roll
	Park Road and Road 1	South (Lefaragatlha)	-	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	103	Yes	-	-	-	Road 1 600 leanada lina Re
		West (Road 1)	-	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		Yes	-	-	-	

			TAB	LE 3.2	: RECC	MMEN	DED R	OAD NET	WORK				JT THE PROPOSE	D PROJEC	CT ACT	IVITIES	6 (Contin	ue)	
			Appr	oach Tr	raffic Co	ontrol		Fxt	ra Lane	IMPROVE s Required		KECOMIM	ENDED						
POINT	INTERSECTION	APPROACH	Free-Flow	Stop	60m Radius Roundabout	Traffic Light System	Left-Turn Taper	Left-Turn Lane	Acceleration Lane	Acceleration Lane in Middle of Road	Dedicated Right-	Number of Extra Through Lanes	Improvements required from a Road Safety or intersection performance Perspective	Reflective Road Studs required at Intersection	Road Markings Required	Road Signs Required	Public Transport Loading and Off- Loading	Pedestrian Walkways	GEOMETRY DETERMINED BY MEANS OF SIDRA
		North (Lefaragatlha)	-	-	-	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	Performance		Yes	ı	-	-	D   100m   100m
D	Intersection of Road R565 and	East (Road R565)	-	-	-	Yes	-	-	-	-	•	-	Performance	Yes	Yes	1	-	-	60m Road R565
	Lefaragatlha Road	South (Lefaragatlha)	-	-	-	Yes	-	-	-	-	1	-	Performance	163	Yes	1	-	-	Road Roos
		West (Road R565)	-	-	-	Yes	-	-	-	-	1	-	Performance		Yes	-	-	-	Filling Station
		North (Luka Road)	-	-	-	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	Performance		Yes	1	-	-	60m - 1 = +++
E	Intersection of Road R565 and	East (Road R565)	-	-	-	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	Performance	Yes	Yes	1	-	-	90m Road R565
	Luka Road	South (Luka Road)	-	-	-	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	Performance	1.00	Yes	-	-	-	Road Roos 60m
		West (Road R565)	-	-	-	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	Performance		Yes	1	-	-	
		North (Luka Road)	-	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-		Yes	1	-	-	F Luka Road
F	Intersection of Luka Road and	East (Road 3)	-	Yes	-	-	-	Yes, 60m	-	-	-	-	Performance		Yes	-	-	-	Road 3
	Road 3	South (Luka Road)	-	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		Yes	1	-	-	Road 3 60m
		West (Road 3)	-	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		Yes	-	-	-	Luka Road

- 3.2.3 SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDED INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS WITH THE PROPOSED PROJECT
  - **Table 3.3** provides a short summary of the intersection improvements recommended with the proposed project, and whether the improvements are required from an Intersection performance point of view (Technical / Capacity) or a road safety point of view.
- 3.2.4 DETAILED SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDED IMPROVEMENTS WITH THE PROPOSED PROJECT
  - **Figure 3.2** provides a graphical presentation of the recommended intersection and road network improvements **WITH** the proposed project while **Table 3.4** provides detailed information on Intersection improvements recommended **WITH** the proposed project.

TABLE 3.3: SUMMARY OF INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS RECOMENDED IN TERMS OF ROAD / EARTH WORKS WITH THE PROPOSED PROJECT

		PROJECT <u>WITH propo</u>	psed project
Point	Intersection Description	Intersection Performance Perspective	Road Safety Perspective
A	Intersection of Impala Smelter Complex Access Road, Road 1 and Road 2	No additional impro	ovements required.
В	Intersection of Road 2 and Road 3	No additional impro	ovements required.
С	Intersection of Lefaragatlha Road, Freedom Park Road and Road 1	No additional impro	ovements required.
D	Intersection of Road R565 and Lefaragatlha Road	No additional impro	ovements required.
E	Intersection of Road R565 and Luka Road	No additional impro	ovements required.
F	Intersection of Luka Road and Road 3	No additional impro	ovements required.

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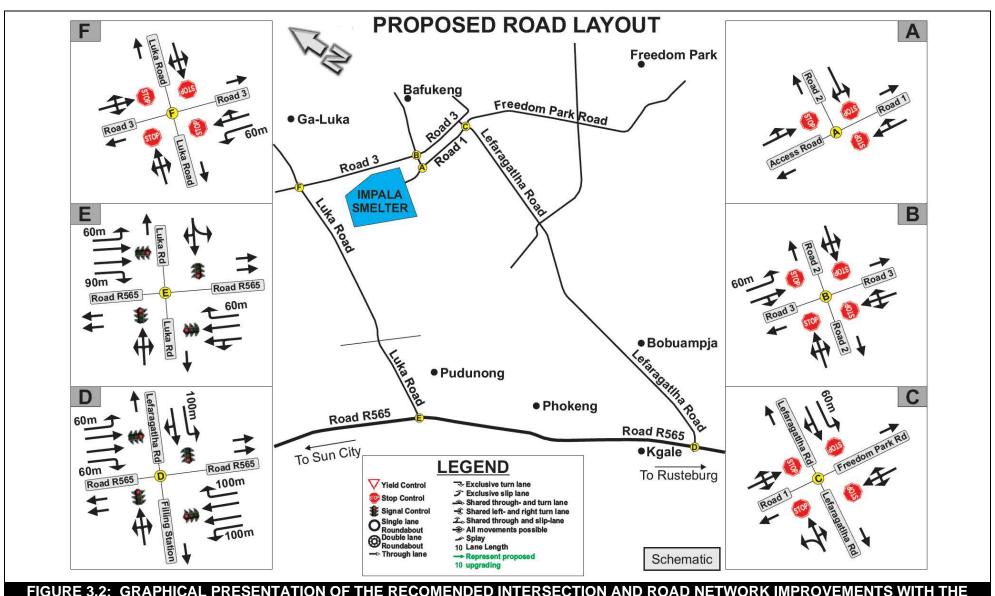


FIGURE 3.2: GRAPHICAL PRESENTATION OF THE RECOMENDED INTERSECTION AND ROAD NETWORK IMPROVEMENTS WITH THE PROPOSED PROJECT

					TA	BLE 3.4	4: RECC	MMEND	ED RO			ORK I					TH TH	IE PR	ROPO	SED	PRO	JECT			
POINT	INTERSECTION	APPROACH	Appr Free-Flow	oach T	raffic 60m Radius Roundabout	Traffic Light System	Left-Turn Taper	Ex Left-Turn Lane	Acceleration Lane		Acceleration Lane in Middle	E Turn Lane	Through Lanes	Number of Extra	Perspective	intersection	required from a Road Safety or	Improvements	Studs required at	Reflective Road	Road Markings	Road Signs Required	Loading and Off-	Pedestrian Walkways	GEOMETRY DETERMINED BY MEANS OF SIDRA
	Intersection of	North (Road 2)					<del>-</del>											_							A
A	Impala Smelter Complex Access Road, Road 1	East (Road 1)							1	No ad	dditior	nal imp	rovem	ents	requii	red.									Road 1
	and Road 2	West (Access)																			Access Road				
		North (Road 2)	_		No additional improvements required.																В				
В	Intersection of Road 2 and Road	East (Road 3)																			60m BRoad 3				
	3	South (Road 2)																			Road 3				
		West (Road 3)																							# 1014
		North (Lefaragatlha)	_																						TEN ALE
С	Intersection of Lefaragatlha Road, Freedom	East (Freedom Park)	-						1	No ad	dditior	nal imp	rovem	ents	requii	red.									A Freedom Park Rd
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POINT	INTERSECTION	APPROACH	Appr Free-Flow	stop	raffic Roundabout		Left-Turn Taper	ட் Left-Turn Lane	Acceleration Lane		Lar		Dedicated Right-	Number of Extra	performance Perspective	intersection	Improvements required from a	Studs required at Intersection	Reflective Road	Road Markings Required	Road Signs Required	Loading and Off- Loading	Walkways Public Transport	GEOMETRY DETERMINED BY MEANS OF SIDRA
		North (Lefaragatlha)			_		-		-				_					-				_	<u>-</u>	Lefaragatiha Rd
D	Intersection of Road R565 and	East (Road R565)								No	additic	nal im	rover	nents	requir	-ed								60m Road Ross
	Lefaragatlha Road	South (Lefaragatlha)			No additional improvements required.																			
		West (Road R565)																	Filling Station					
		North (Luka Road)																E 60m Tuka Rd						
E	Intersection of Road R565 and	East (Road R565)		No additional improvements required.													90m → Pand R565							
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		West (Road R565)																						<b>A B C C C C C C C C C C</b>
		North (Luka Road)																						F 1 E A
F	Intersection of Luka Road and	East (Road 3)								No	additio	nal imp	oroven	nents	requir	ed.								Road 3
	Road 3	South (Luka Road)														J								Road 3 60m
		West (Road 3)																						Luka Road

### 3.2.5 INSTITUTIONAL ARRANGEMENTS

The following recommendations are made in terms of the detailed design phase of roads for the existing Impala Smelter:

- a) Detailed investigations should be conducted in conjunction with the relevant road's authority in terms of the existing quality and potential life span of the existing road surface layers of the roads where consumables, ROM ore and workers will be transported; and
- b) A road maintenance plan should be prepared in conjunction with the relevant roads authority on public roads where trucks will operate as soon as the project has been approved in order to ensure that the consumables, ROM ore and workers can be transported at all times.

### 3.2.6 REASONED OPINION FOR AUTHORISATION

In conclusion of the findings as part of the investigations, Siyazi Limpopo Consulting Services (Pty) Ltd. is of the opinion that the proposed activities as part of the proposed project would have an insignificant impact for all phases on the relevant roads network as long as the mitigating measures are implemented as recommended as part of **Section 3** of this report and is therefore recommended to be granted authorisation.

### **APPENDIX A**

### INFORMATION RELATED TO STATUS QUO

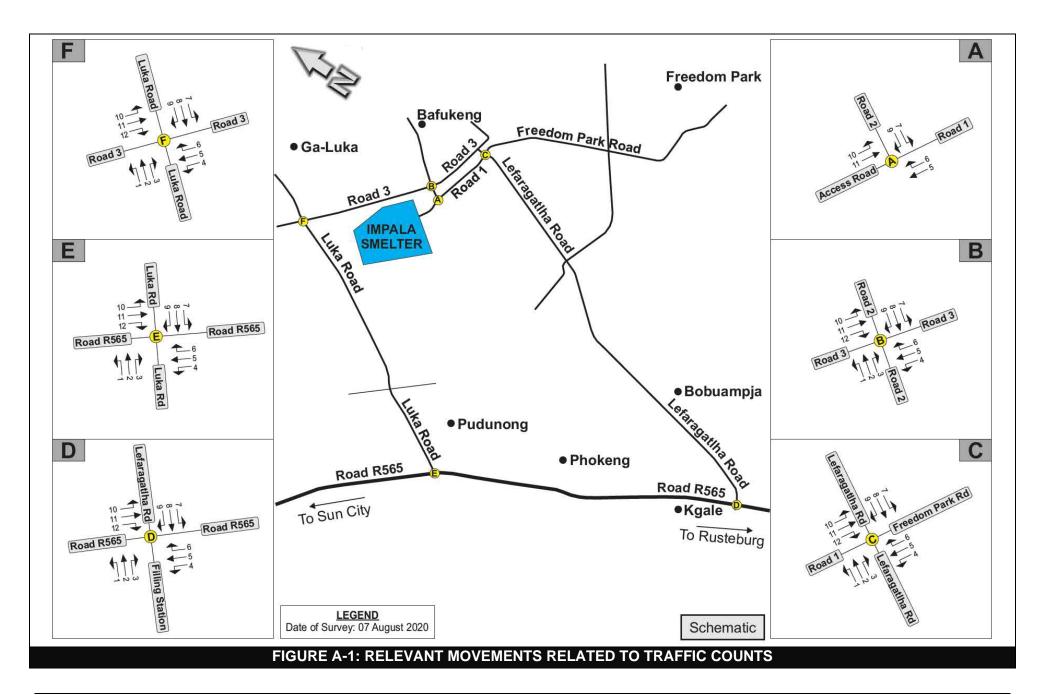


TABLE A-1: HOURLY TRAFFIC COUNTS FOR ALL VEHICLES SIMULTANEOUSLY AT THE INTERSECTION OF IMPALA SMELTER ACCESS ROAD, ROAD 1 AND ROAD 2 (POINT A)

(07 AUGUST 2020)

TIME				MOVEMENTS	3		
INTERVALS	5	6	7	9	10	11	TOTAL
06:00-07:00	236	58	22	107	53	359	835
06:15-07:15	240	70	34	107	57	335	843
06:30-07:30	207	78	48	98	49	264	744
06:45-07:45	164	74	54	76	56	181	605
07:00-08:00	113	65	55	56	47	106	442
07:15-08:15	70	56	54	48	48	50	326
07:30-08:30	44	56	47	45	46	31	269
07:45-08:45	33	67	47	50	43	37	277
08:00-09:00	30	68	49	44	40	49	280
08:15-09:15	36	66	47	45	41	51	286
08:30-09:30	39	62	48	41	53	51	294
08:45-09:45	36	58	44	38	51	50	277
09:00-10:00	36	64	44	38	54	51	287
09:15-10:15	28	81	42	38	54	50	293
09:30-10:30	33	87	39	43	44	47	293
09:45-10:45	35	84	47	42	46	45	299
10:00-11:00	34	83	47	51	45	38	298
10:15-11:15	37	87	55	45	45	36	305
10:30-11:30	30	92	62	35	53	38	310
10:45-11:45	39	96	54	38	52	40	319
11:00-12:00	41	90	58	32	53	47	321
11:15-12:15	43	75	58	40	46	58	320
11:30-12:30	44	58	71	47	45	62	327
11:45-12:45	44	50	98	50	42	68	352
12:00-13:00	40	50	116	46	39	71	362
12:15-13:15	43	45	126	42	47	71	374
12:30-13:30	46	52	131	44	45	74	392
12:45-13:45	56	53	126	49	44	72	400
13:00-14:00	72	51	119	62	43	60	407
13:15-14:15	76	55	118	62	45	56	412
13:30-14:30	79	49	109	63	51	58	409
13:45-14:45	60	47	110	46	60	64	387
14:00-15:00	46	48	114	36	75	92	411
14:15-15:15	36	39	118	30	90	132	445
14:30-15:30	31	45	112	19	100	192	499
14:45-15:45	28	45	97	17	109	258	554
15:00-16:00	24	44	78	16	107	273	542
15:15-16:15	27	46	62	18	88	237	478
15:30-16:30	26	45	54	19	66	173	383
15:45-16:45	26	47	45	19	46	91	274
16:00-17:00	24	48	43	16	26	41	198
16:15-17:15	16	41	40	11	19	33	160
16:30-17:30	12	37	40	11	17	32	149
16:45-17:45	12	35	40	13	12	37	149
17:00-18:00	14	29	37	10	11	41	142

TABLE A	-2: HO	URLY	TRAF	FIC C	TAUC	S FOR	ALL \	/EHIC	LES S	MULT	ANEO	USLY	AT THE
	INTER	SECT	ON O	F ROA	D 2 A	ND RC	AD 3	(POIN	TB) (0	7 AUC	SUST 2	2020)	
TIME							MOVE	MENTS					
INTERVALS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	TOTAL
06:00-07:00	55	50	3	2	14	106	26	102	46	59	25	57	545
06:15-07:15	56	71	3	4	18	145	36	99	74	73	30	68	677
06:30-07:30	49	76	3	6	22	130	45	87	71	76	37	67	669
06:45-07:45	48	80	1	5	22	106	42	66	68	62	39	51	590
07:00-08:00	33	75	2	6	22	84	43	48	61	52	37	39	502
07:15-08:15	29	65	2	5	23	65	49	52	41	31	33	27	422
07:30-08:30	25	71	2	3	20	57	50	47	34	27	24	29	389
07:45-08:45	25	81	1	3	23	53	56	51	30	24	27	32	406
08:00-09:00	23	80	1	2	26	44	59	58	26	20	25	27	391
08:15-09:15	20	84	1	1	28	42	54	60	27	24	24	27	392
08:30-09:30	28	81	3	1	25	53	54	63	26	22	25	24	405
08:45-09:45	33	75	3	2	16	57	55	56	24	22	19	24	386
09:00-10:00	42	73	2	3	11	72	53	51	27	22	19	27	402
09:15-10:15	54	74	2	3	7	66	53	45	27	20	15	26	392
09:30-10:30	58	69	0	5	11	65	52	47	26	22	19	25	399
09:45-10:45	61	62	1	4	18	57	52	53	27	21	21	28	405
10:00-11:00	65	63	1	4	26	47	50	54	24	22	26	36	418
10:15-11:15	76	58	1	5	29	44	60	54	26	26	30	39	448
10:30-11:30	89	57	1	2	28	43	62	50	36	35	39	43	485
10:45-11:45	94	53	1	2	34	40	67	46	38	37	38	43	493
11:00-12:00	86	52	4	1	32	46	70	46	32	34	45	42	490
11:15-12:15	71	51	4	2	36	44	68	53	23	28	49	40	469
11:30-12:30	56	47	5	5	36	38	86	62	18	23	49	42	467
11:45-12:45	45	50	6	8	37	50	95	88	15	20	59	44	517
12:00-13:00	42	50	3	11	41	41	96	103	21	22	56	41	527
12:15-13:15	43	50	3	9	38	40	116	113	20	19	53	44	548
12:30-13:30 12:45-13:45	42	52	2	9	42	35	117	123	16 16	15	56	49	558
13:00-14:00	40	48	1		33	24	119	113		19	57	59	538
13:15-14:15	42 45	45	3 6	9	29	22	143	103	11 19	18	58	74	557 501
13:30-14:30	57	43 42	6	11 8	26 25	21 19	146 145	98 93	18	21 21	77 74	78 70	591 578
13:45-14:45	69	39	6	6	23	14	146	84	16	17	71	64	555
14:00-15:00	85	38	4	3	20	13	139	96	15	14	65	46	538
14:15-15:15	98	35	1	1	24	16	129	95	9	12	51	44	515
14:30-15:30	106	31	1	2	26	14	124	81	8	11	44	40	488
14:45-15:45	117	33	1	1	25	14	133	78	7	13	38	31	491
15:00-16:00	119	28	2	1	23	15	120	62	10	15	34	28	457
15:15-16:15	108	23	2	1	21	10	107	50	7	11	28	23	391
15:30-16:30	90	23	2	0	18	11	88	45	6	10	28	24	345
15:45-16:45	72	20	1	0	22	11	60	35	7	6	25	21	280
16:00-17:00	53	19	0	0	21	10	49	29	4	5	29	23	242
16:15-17:15	39	18	1	0	16	9	47	28	11	11	27	18	225
16:30-17:30	32	19	1	0	14	9	44	25	11	10	31	20	216
16:45-17:45	26	18	1	0	10	12	47	24	14	14	35	24	225
17:00-18:00	26	16	1	0	13	9	45	24	15	14	32	21	216

# TABLE A-3: HOURLY TRAFFIC COUNTS FOR ALL VEHICLES SIMULTANEOUSLY AT THE INTERSECTION OF LEFARAGATLHA ROAD, FREEDOM PARK ROAD AND ROAD 1 (POINT C) (07 AUGUST 2020)

TIME					<u> </u>		MOVE	MENTS	<u>'</u>				
INTERVALS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	TOTAL
06:00-07:00	164	107	1	0	123	56	69	63	0	0	208	177	968
06:15-07:15	175	121	1	0	129	72	71	64	0	0	217	162	1012
06:30-07:30	165	116	1	1	123	74	74	57	1	0	190	129	931
06:45-07:45	136	93	0	1	100	70	62	36	1	0	151	91	741
07:00-08:00	105	66	0	1	63	62	55	31	1	0	102	64	550
07:15-08:15	68	45	0	1	47	42	57	24	1	0	57	42	384
07:30-08:30	53	34	0	1	33	36	55	21	0	0	43	33	309
07:45-08:45	51	31	0	1	40	33	53	23	0	0	42	39	313
08:00-09:00	42	27	0	3	48	31	58	18	1	0	43	51	322
08:15-09:15	49	25	0	3	48	31	54	21	1	0	38	58	328
08:30-09:30 08:45-09:45	47	26	0	4	56	30	57 57	21	2	0	35	58	335
09:00-10:00	44 48	22 20	0 1	2	53 55	30 33	57 51	22 23	1	0	43 42	58 56	335 332
09:00-10:00	52	19	1	2	59	37	49	23	2	0	44	53	339
09:30-10:30	52 51	22	1	1	65	43	49	27	2	0	42	53	347
09:45-10:45	46	21	1	1	69	47	44	26	1	0	32	53	341
10:00-11:00	43	27	0	1	72	46	47	29	1	0	37	49	352
10:15-11:15	36	29	0	1	82	47	53	38	0	0	41	47	374
10:30-11:30	37	31	0	0	82	50	75	38	1	0	48	46	408
10:45-11:45	46	33	0	1	83	51	80	38	1	0	48	43	424
11:00-12:00	47	29	0	1	78	55	86	41	1	0	46	56	440
11:15-12:15	47	26	0	1	66	59	90	52	1	0	48	64	454
11:30-12:30	47	21	0	2	52	56	98	62	0	0	46	85	469
11:45-12:45	48	27	1	1	48	57	114	76	0	0	58	111	541
12:00-13:00	45	28	3	1	48	53	117	77	0	0	63	124	559
12:15-13:15	47	25	3	1	46	44	125	76	0	0	72	129	568
12:30-13:30	43	23	4	3	54	42	131	71	0	0	79	130	580
12:45-13:45	42	13	3	4	59	34	123	74	0	0	74	122	548
13:00-14:00	46	8	1	4	62	32	132	93	0	0	68	106	552
13:15-14:15	49	9	4	9	67	32	139	100	0	0	65	102	576
13:30-14:30 13:45-14:45	56 46	9	3	6 7	61 56	27	121	112 107	0	0	63	95 104	553 542
14:00-15:00	35	8 9	4	7	56	27 26	120 99	107	0	0	63 75	126	542 541
14:15-15:15	25	13	1	3	47	25	81	100	0	0	80	166	542
14:30-15:30	19	13	1	4	51	25	77	93	1	0	90	211	585
14:45-15:45	18	12	0	3	44	22	68	97	2	0	110	241	617
15:00-16:00	19	13	0	4	41	19	66	84	2	0	108	237	593
15:15-16:15	23	10	0	3	40	20	58	73	2	0	97	196	522
15:30-16:30	25	10	0	3	38	21	47	66	1	0	78	140	429
15:45-16:45	27	12	0	2	36	28	37	50	0	0	47	81	320
16:00-17:00	33	13	0	4	34	29	34	40	0	0	27	52	266
16:15-17:15	31	13	0	4	25	24	39	33	0	0	21	46	236
16:30-17:30	28	13	0	3	17	23	44	31	0	0	25	45	229
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17:00-18:00	27	14	0	0	18	22	43	29	0	0	27	42	222

# TABLE A-4: HOURLY TRAFFIC COUNTS FOR ALL VEHICLES SIMULTANEOUSLY AT THE INTERSECTION OF ROAD R565 AND LEFARAGATLHA ROAD (POINT D) (07 AUGUST 2020)

#### TABLE A-5: HOURLY TRAFFIC COUNTS FOR ALL VEHICLES SIMULTANEOUSLY AT THE INTERSECTION OF ROAD R565 AND LUKA ROAD (POINT E) (07 AUGUST 2020) **MOVEMENTS** TIME **INTERVALS TOTAL** 06:00-07:00 06:15-07:15 06:30-07:30 06:45-07:45 07:00-08:00 07:15-08:15 07:30-08:30 07:45-08:45 08:00-09:00 08:15-09:15 08:30-09:30 08:45-09:45 09:00-10:00 09:15-10:15 09:30-10:30 09:45-10:45 10:00-11:00 10:15-11:15 10:30-11:30 10:45-11:45 11:00-12:00 11:15-12:15 11:30-12:30 11:45-12:45 12:00-13:00 12:15-13:15 12:30-13:30 12:45-13:45 13:00-14:00 13:15-14:15 13:30-14:30 13:45-14:45 14:00-15:00 14:15-15:15 14:30-15:30 14:45-15:45 15:00-16:00 15:15-16:15 15:30-16:30 15:45-16:45 16:00-17:00 16:15-17:15 16:30-17:30 16:45-17:45 17:00-18:00

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T	HE IN	TERSE	CTIO	N OF L	_UKA	ROAD	AND	ROAD	3 (PO	INT F)	(07 A	ugus <sup>-</sup>	Γ 2020)
TIME							MOVE	MENTS					
INTERVALS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	TOTAL
06:00-07:00	27	41	101	45	44	37	60	125	7	2	19	21	529
06:15-07:15	29	44	121	55	54	42	55	152	15	3	33	27	630
06:30-07:30	23	55	104	63	59	38	49	157	17	3	33	30	631
06:45-07:45	21	43	73	50	58	46	33	130	21	3	42	27	547
07:00-08:00	17	53	61	45	57	44	26	120	22	4	36	27	512
07:15-08:15	17	60	44	42	44	36	21	105	15	4	31	24	443
07:30-08:30	21	51	41	37	29	34	20	105	12	4	28	19	401
07:45-08:45	26	61	40	40	25	21	23	121	7	4	21	13	402
08:00-09:00	23	56	34	54	21	16	21	118	3	2	23	10	381
08:15-09:15	20	65	30	48	17	16	17	124	3	1	19	9	369
08:30-09:30	20	74	32	60	22	14	13	108	3	1	22	12	381
08:45-09:45	17	83	33	57	22	15	11	118	2	1	20	17	396
09:00-10:00	21	98	30	38	16	13	10	127	2	3	23	18	399
09:15-10:15	29	117	33	36	24	21	15	152	2	4	24	21	478
09:30-10:30	41	120	22	24	43	21	29	166	9	3	23	25	526
09:45-10:45	61	154	18	33	52	17	29	158	8	3	27	24	584
10:00-11:00	85	160	27	36	69	18	32	168	8	1	40	29	673
10:15-11:15	107	128	26	36	80	15	31	132	7	0	41	30	633
10:30-11:30	99	137	28	38	73	17	17	128	0	0	60	28	625
10:45-11:45	86	111	30	46	74	21	19	139	2	0	59	30	617
11:00-12:00	58	116	22	50	68	24	14	138	2	4	53	37	586
11:15-12:15	31	129	16	56	61	21	19	156	4	5	58	57	613
11:30-12:30	24	129	15	56	48	22	18	183	4	5	54	71	629
11:45-12:45	16	136	10	45	37	20	26	195	2	6	63	81	637
12:00-13:00	14	133	10	49	34	17	47	218	12	2	62	85	683
12:15-13:15	10	134	12	59	22	22	49	234	11	4	73	99	729
12:30-13:30 12:45-13:45	7	128	15	64	21 23	33	62	228	11	5 6	64	98	736
13:00-14:00		139	19	68		32	67	233	11		62	110	772
13:15-14:15	0	141	16	68	14	33	50	228	1	10	67	116	746
13:30-14:30	0	150 152	13 8	60 62	15 19	31 20	37	236 257	2	10 10	59 69	96 110	714 746
13:45-14:45	0	157	2	66	17	26	23	273	2	11	71	112	760
14:00-15:00	6	173	8	67	18	25	22	272	3	10	69	109	782
14:15-15:15	6	182	8	67	19	33	18	263	3	9	69	113	790
14:30-15:30	8	202	9	64	16	38	14	251	1	12	67	91	773
14:45-15:45	9	201	9	78	14	36	12	232	2	12	63	74	742
15:00-16:00	8	198	1	78	14	34	14	219	1	11	50	58	686
15:15-16:15	8	205	2	81	11	25	18	214	1	12	41	48	666
15:30-16:30	6	204	2	74	7	24	18	205	1	9	26	46	622
15:45-16:45	5	206	3	54	10	26	23	194	1	8	17	45	592
16:00-17:00	1	220	4	43	10	23	23	179	2	7	19	44	575
16:15-17:15	6	237	7	31	10	21	24	162	5	4	17	34	558
16:30-17:30	7	234	11	24	10	14	28	137	5	3	19	28	520
16:45-17:45	9	238	13	15	6	6	23	138	6	4	18	21	497
17:00-18:00	11	247	12	15	8	10	20	150	6	5	13	22	519

### **APPENDIX B**

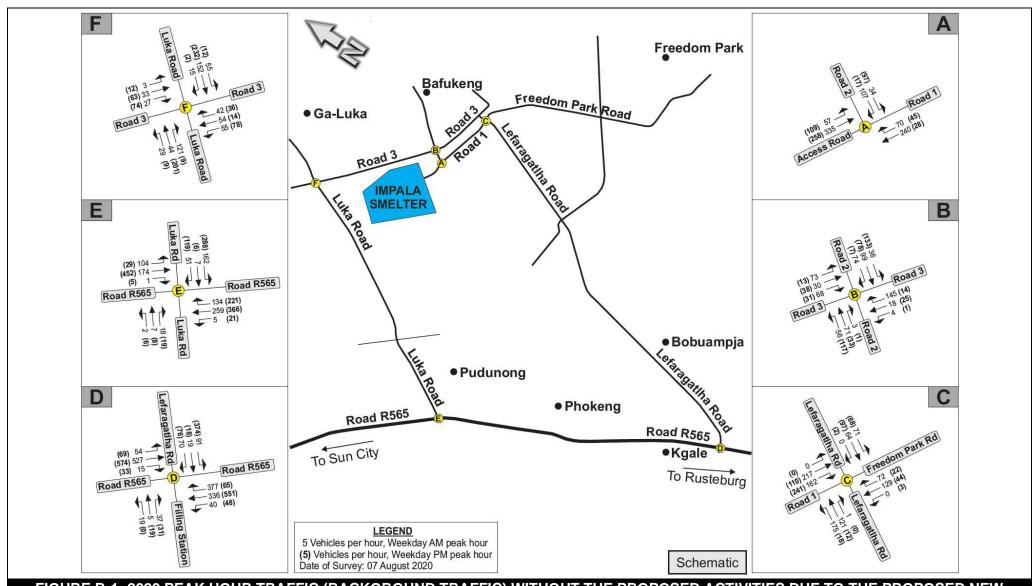


FIGURE B-1: 2020 PEAK HOUR TRAFFIC (BACKGROUND TRAFFIC) WITHOUT THE PROPOSED ACTIVITIES DUE TO THE PROPOSED NEW FLASH DRYER (SCENARIO 1)

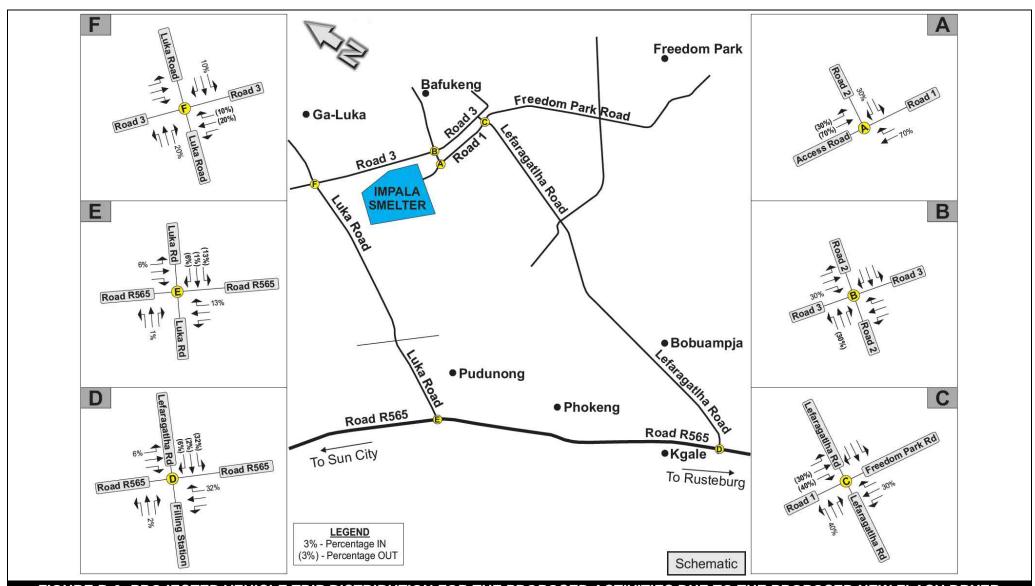


FIGURE B-2: PROJECTED VEHICLE TRIP DISTRIBUTION FOR THE PROPOSED ACTIVITIES DUE TO THE PROPOSED NEW FLASH DRYER (LIGHT VEHICLES)

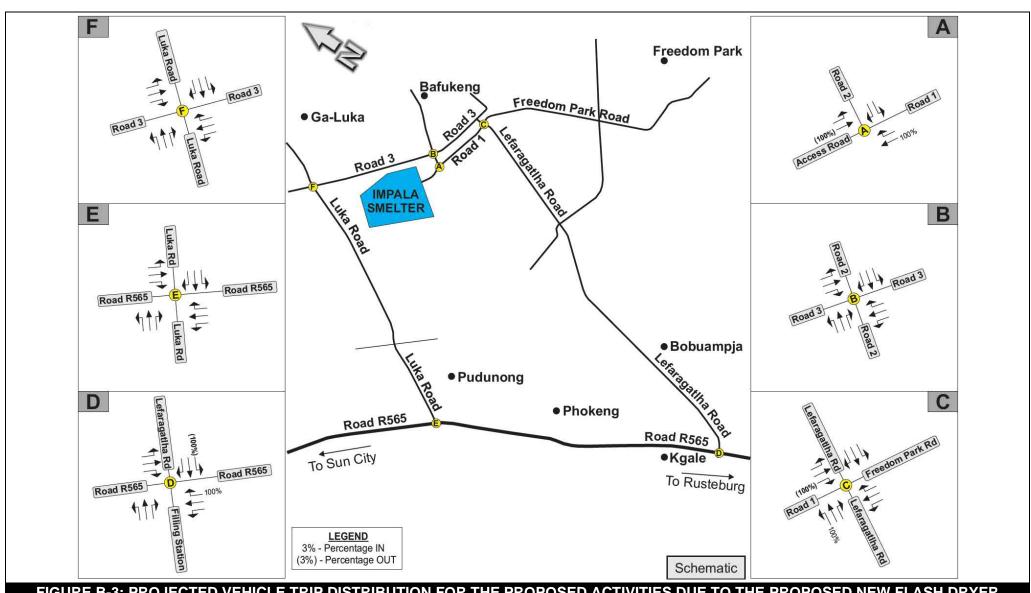


FIGURE B-3: PROJECTED VEHICLE TRIP DISTRIBUTION FOR THE PROPOSED ACTIVITIES DUE TO THE PROPOSED NEW FLASH DRYER (HEAVY VEHICLES)

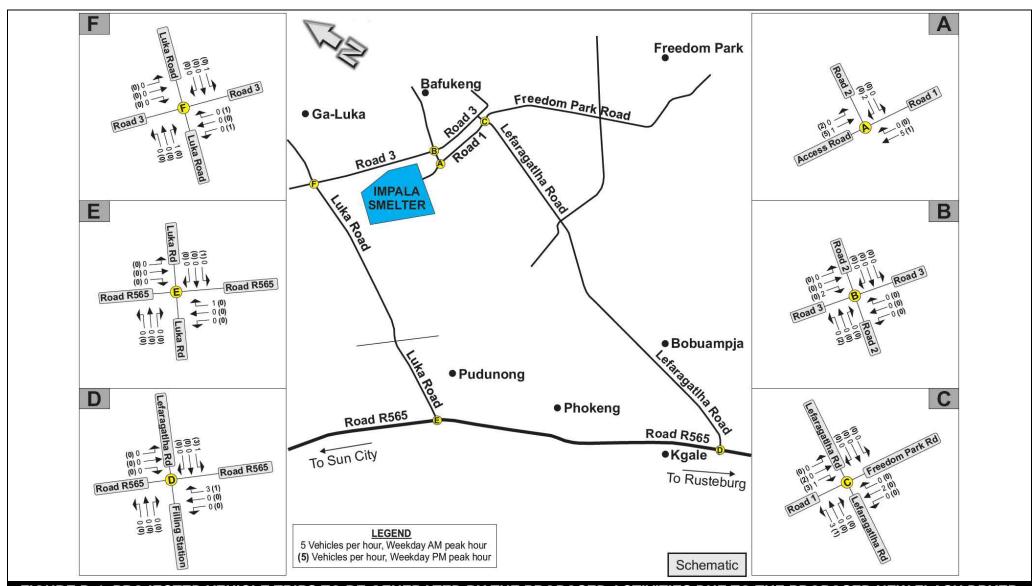


FIGURE B-4: PROJECTED VEHICLE TRIPS TO BE GENERATED BY THE PROPOSED ACTIVITIES DUE TO THE PROPOSED NEW FLASH DRYER (CONSTRUCTION PHASE)

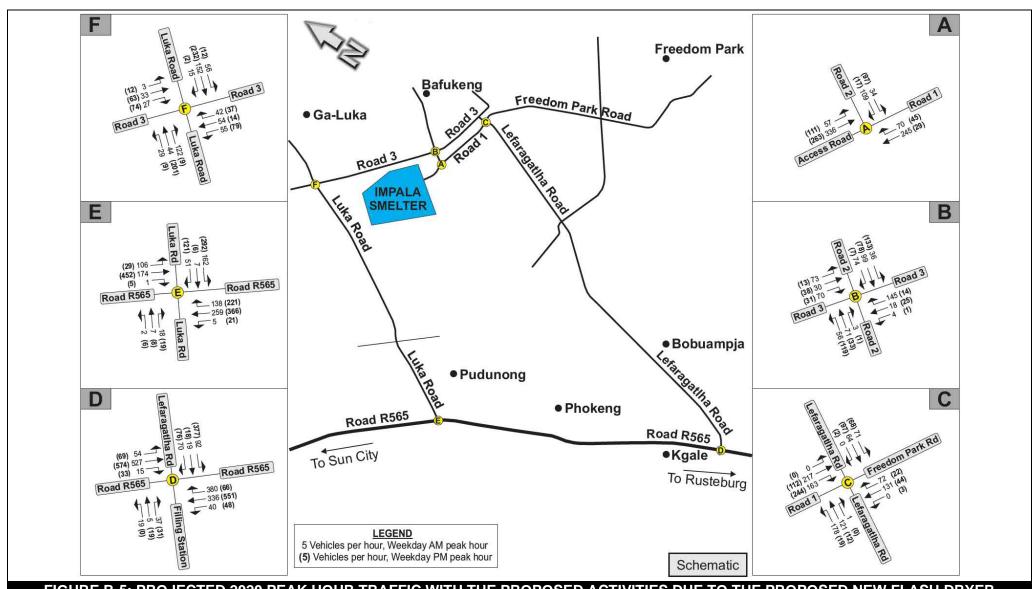


FIGURE B-5: PROJECTED 2020 PEAK HOUR TRAFFIC WITH THE PROPOSED ACTIVITIES DUE TO THE PROPOSED NEW FLASH DRYER (SCENARIO 2)

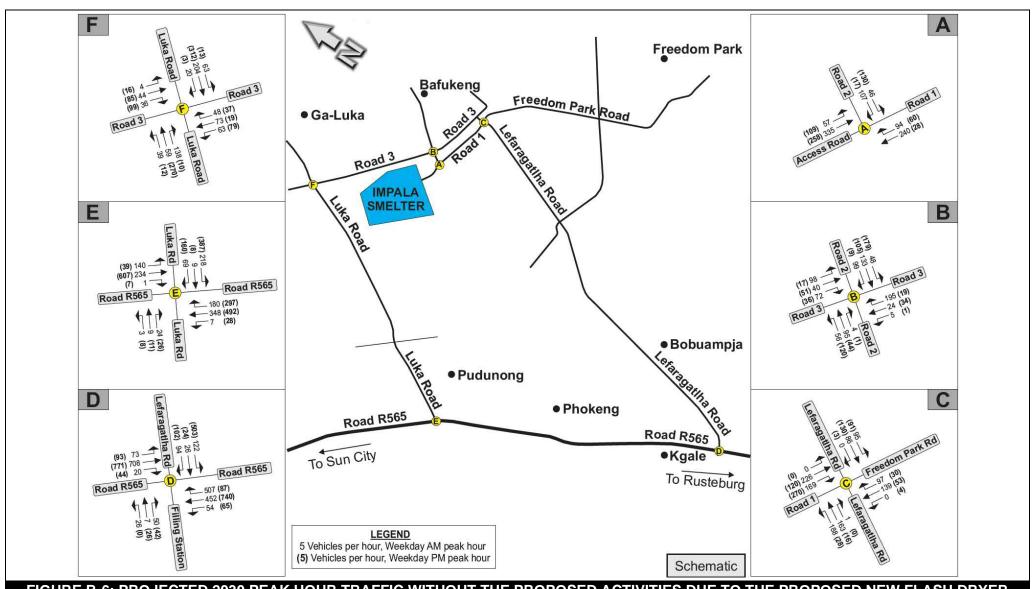


FIGURE B-6: PROJECTED 2030 PEAK HOUR TRAFFIC WITHOUT THE PROPOSED ACTIVITIES DUE TO THE PROPOSED NEW FLASH DRYER (SCENARIO 3)

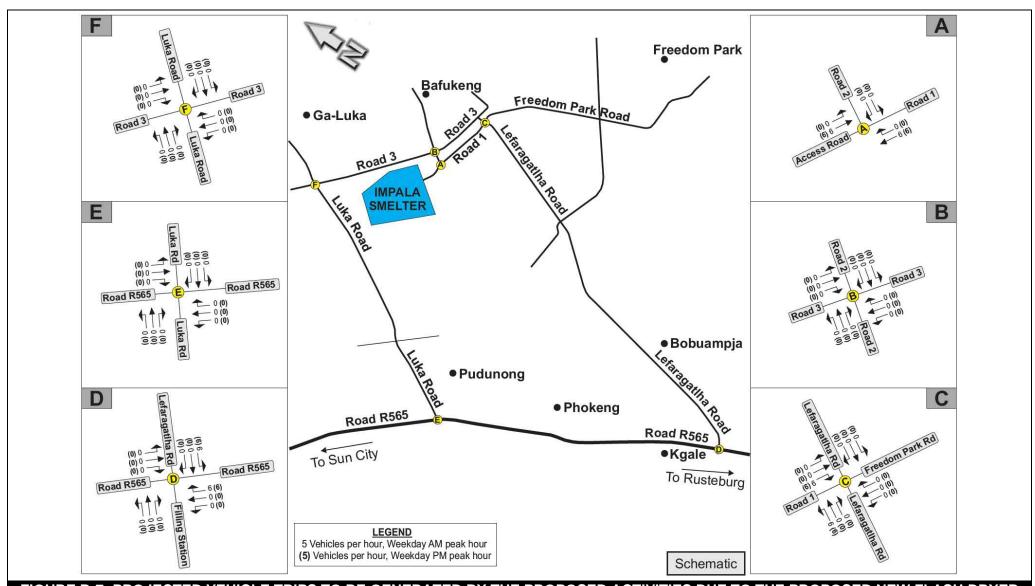


FIGURE B-7: PROJECTED VEHICLE TRIPS TO BE GENERATED BY THE PROPOSED ACTIVITIES DUE TO THE PROPOSED NEW FLASH DRYER (OPERATIONAL PHASE)

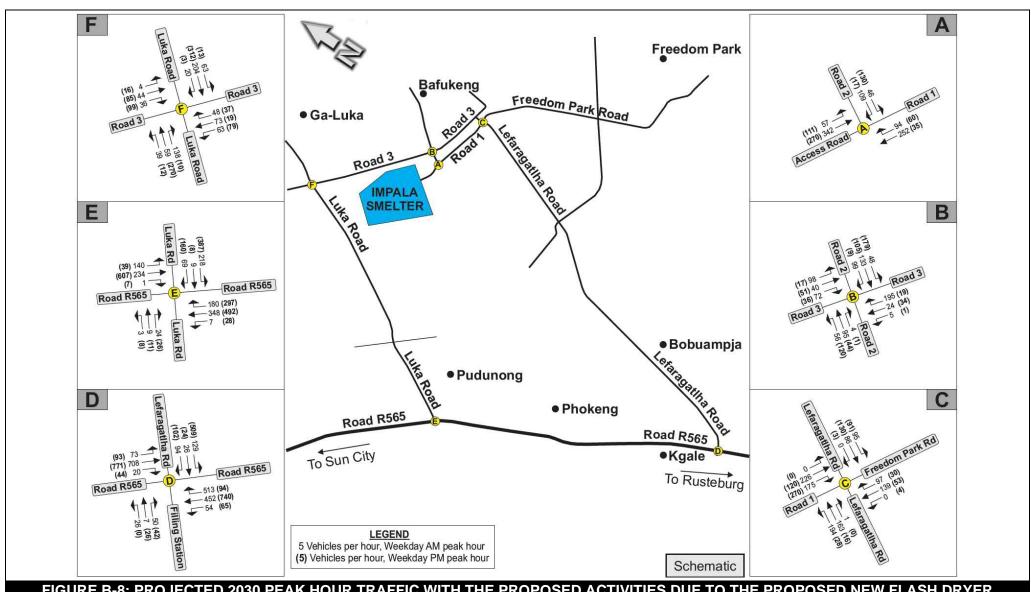


FIGURE B-8: PROJECTED 2030 PEAK HOUR TRAFFIC WITH THE PROPOSED ACTIVITIES DUE TO THE PROPOSED NEW FLASH DRYER (SCENARIO 4)

## **APPENDIX C**

## SIDRA CALCULATION RESULTS

### TABLE C-1: LEVELS OF SERVICE FOR VARIOUS APPROACHES FOR THE YEAR 2020 (BACKGROUND TRAFFIC) WITHOUT THE PROPOSED ACTIVITIES AS PART OF THE PROPOSED NEW FLASH DRYER (SCENARIO 1)

#### POINT A: Intersection of Impala Smelter Access Road, Road 1 and Road 2

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

#### Levels of Service acceptable

		FRIDAY (AM)	)		FRIDAY (PM)	RIDAY (PM)  Level of Service Saturation  C 0.283		
APPROACH	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	Delay		_		
North (Road 2)	24.8	С	0.450	17.8	С	0.283		
East (Road 1)	17.5	С	0.527	10.8	В	0.088		
West (Access)	27.1	D	0.730	13.5	В	0.457		
Intersection	23.2	D	0.730	14.1	В	0.457		

#### **POINT B**: Intersection of Road 2 and Road 3

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

	Levels of deliving disable								
		FRIDAY (AM	)		FRIDAY (PM)	Degree of Saturation 0.281 0.106 0.217			
APPROACH	Delay	Level of	Degree of	Delay	Level of	Degree of			
	Delay	Service	Saturation	Delay	Service	Saturation			
North (Road 2)	21.7	С	0.479	12.2	В	0.281			
East (Road 3)	17.6	С	0.373	16.1	С	0.106			
South (Road 2)	26.2	D	0.434	12.5	В	0.217			
West (Road 3)	46.2	Е	0.682	16.9	С	0.212			
Intersection	27.7	D	0.682	13.4	В	0.281			

#### POINT B: Intersection of Road 2 and Road 3

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

#### With intersection geometric improvements

Levels of Service acceptable							
	FRIDAY (AM	)		FRIDAY (PM)			
Dolay	Level of	Degree of	Dolay	Level of	Degree of		
Delay	Service	Saturation	Delay	Service	Saturation		
21.8	С	0.479	12.2	В	0.281		
23.3	С	0.469	19.9	С	0.141		
26.3	D	0.434	12.5	В	0.217		
23.4	С	0.421	14.5	В	0.225		
23.4	С	0.479	13.3	В	0.281		
	Delay 21.8 23.3 26.3 23.4	FRIDAY (AM   Level of   Service	FRIDAY (AM)           Delay         Level of Service         Degree of Saturation           21.8         C         0.479           23.3         C         0.469           26.3         D         0.434           23.4         C         0.421	FRIDAY (AM)           Delay         Level of Service         Degree of Saturation         Delay           21.8         C         0.479         12.2           23.3         C         0.469         19.9           26.3         D         0.434         12.5           23.4         C         0.421         14.5	FRIDAY (AM)         FRIDAY (PM)           Delay         Level of Service         Degree of Saturation         Delay         Level of Service           21.8         C         0.479         12.2         B           23.3         C         0.469         19.9         C           26.3         D         0.434         12.5         B           23.4         C         0.421         14.5         B		

# TABLE C-1: LEVELS OF SERVICE FOR VARIOUS APPROACHES FOR THE YEAR 2020 (BACKGROUND TRAFFIC) WITHOUT THE PROPOSED ACTIVITIES AS PART OF THE PROPOSED NEW FLASH DRYER (SCENARIO 1) (Continue...)

#### POINT C: Intersection of Lefaragatlha Road, Freedom Park Road and Road 1

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

#### Levels of Service Unacceptable

		FRIDAY (AM)			FRIDAY (PM)	Level of Service Saturation F 0.761		
APPROACH	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	Delay		_		
North (Lefaragatlha Rd)	24.7	C	0.430	63.1				
East (Freedom Park Rd)	16.2	С	0.360	15.2	С	0.143		
South (Lefaragatlha Rd)	21.9	С	0.526	18.3	С	0.089		
West (Road 1)	19.2	С	0.598	14.8	В	0.478		
Intersection	20.1	С	0.598	28.0	D	0.761		

#### POINT C: Intersection of Lefaragatlha Road, Freedom Park Road and Road 1

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

#### With intersection geometric improvements

#### Levels of Service acceptable

	Levels of Service acceptable								
APPROACH		FRIDAY (AM)			FRIDAY (PM)				
	Delay	Level of	Degree of	Delay Level of	Degree of				
	Delay	Service	Saturation	Delay	Service	Saturation			
North (Lefaragatlha Rd)	17.6	С	0.276	25.9	D	0.459			
East (Freedom Park Rd)	16.4	С	0.380	15.4	С	0.143			
South (Lefaragatlha Rd)	29.2	D	0.619	22.2	С	0.115			
West (Road 1)	19.2	С	0.598	14.8	В	0.478			
Intersection	21.3	С	0.619	18.2	С	0.478			

#### POINT D: Intersection of Road R565 and Lefaragatlha Road

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation
	Saturation	Delay	Service	Coturation
Г				Saturation
Г	0.804	700.4	F	1.907
F	1.097	56.5	F	0.885
F	1.070	20.4	С	0.172
F	0.981	63.5	F	0.910
F	1.097	220.2	F	1.907
	F	F 1.070 F 0.981	F 1.070 20.4 F 0.981 63.5	F 1.070 20.4 C F 0.981 63.5 F

# TABLE C-1: LEVELS OF SERVICE FOR VARIOUS APPROACHES FOR THE YEAR 2020 (BACKGROUND TRAFFIC) WITHOUT THE PROPOSED ACTIVITIES AS PART OF THE PROPOSED NEW FLASH DRYER (SCENARIO 1) (Continue...)

#### POINT D: Intersection of Road R565 and Lefaragatlha Road

Type of intersection control: Traffic Light Signal Controlled

#### With intersection control improvements

#### Levels of Service acceptable

		FRIDAY (AM)	)		FRIDAY (PM)	
APPROACH	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation
North (Lefaragatlha Rd)	22.3	С	0.342	16.2	В	0.747
East (Road R565)	11.2	В	0.778	11.5	В	0.623
South (Lefaragatlha Rd)	22.3	С	0.271	13.4	В	0.174
West (Road R565)	16.3	В	0.622	11.4	В	0.647
Intersection	14.8	В	0.778	12.7	В	0.747

#### POINT E: Intersection of Road R565 and Luka Road

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

Levels of Service Unacceptable								
		FRIDAY (AM	)		FRIDAY (PM)			
APPROACH	Delay	Level of	Degree of	Delay	Level of	Degree of		
	Delay	Service	Saturation	Delay	Service	Saturation		
North (Luka Road)	84.1	F	0.902	341.2	F	1.445		
East (Road R565)	15.3	С	0.388	27.6	D	0.653		
South (Luka Road)	22.0	С	0.110	27.2	D	0.167		
West (Road R565)	16.2	С	0.343	49.2	E	0.809		
Intersection	32.2	D	0.902	118.5	F	1.445		

#### POINT E: Intersection of Road R565 and Luka Road

Type of intersection control: Traffic Light Signal Controlled

#### With intersection control improvements

		FRIDAY (AM	)		FRIDAY (PM)	)
APPROACH	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation
North (Luka Road)	11.1	В	0.222	12.9	В	0.483
East (Road R565)	7.0	Α	0.227	7.9	Α	0.429
South (Luka Road)	21.6	С	0.107	21.9	С	0.136
West (Road R565)	15.1	В	0.221	14.5	В	0.458
Intersection	10.9	В	0.227	11.6	В	0.483

# TABLE C-1: LEVELS OF SERVICE FOR VARIOUS APPROACHES FOR THE YEAR 2020 (BACKGROUND TRAFFIC) WITHOUT THE PROPOSED ACTIVITIES AS PART OF THE PROPOSED NEW FLASH DRYER (SCENARIO 1) (Continue...)

### **POINT F: Intersection of Luka Road and Road 3**

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

Levels of Service Unacceptable								
		FRIDAY (AM)			FRIDAY (PM)	Level of Service Saturation C 0.428		
APPROACH	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	Delay		_		
North (Luka Road)	19.8	C	0.478	16.2	_			
East (Road 3)	43.0	E	0.629	29.3	D	0.470		
South (Luka Road)	13.5	В	0.309	15.2	С	0.378		
West (3)	20.1	С	0.208	17.6	С	0.641		
Intersection	23.5	С	0.629	18.4	С	0.470		

#### POINT F: Intersection of Luka Road and Road 3

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

#### With intersection geometric improvements

	Levels of Service acceptable							
		FRIDAY (AM	)		FRIDAY (PM)	)		
APPROACH	Dolov	Level of	Degree of	Delay Level of Deg	Degree of			
	Delay	Service	Saturation	Delay	Service	Saturation		
North (Luka Road)	19.9	С	0.478	16.2	С	0.428		
East (Road 3)	23.7	С	0.428	18.9	С	0.316		
South (Luka Road)	13.7	В	0.309	15.3	С	0.378		
West (3)	29.1	D	0.301	23.3	С	0.435		
Intersection	19.8	С	0.478	17.8	С	0.435		
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# TABLE C-2: LEVELS OF SERVICE FOR VARIOUS APPROACHES FOR THE YEAR 2030 (BACKGROUND TRAFFIC) WITHOUT THE PROPOSED ACTIVITIES AS PART OF THE PROPOSED NEW FLASH DRYER (SCENARIO 3)

#### POINT A: Intersection of Impala Smelter Access Road, Road 1 and Road 2

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

#### Levels of Service acceptable

		FRIDAY (AM)			FRIDAY (PM)	RIDAY (PM)  Level of Service Saturation  C 0.344		
APPROACH	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	Delay		_		
North (Road 2)	26.7	D	0.494	18.2				
East (Road 1)	17.2	С	0.494	10.2	В	0.106		
West (Access)	26.1	D	0.720	14.3	В	0.479		
Intersection	22.8	C	0.720	14.7	В	0.479		

### POINT B: Intersection of Road 2 and Road 3

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

With intersection geometric improvements from Scenario 1

#### Levels of Service acceptable

	FRIDAY (AM)			FRIDAY (PM)			
APPROACH	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	
North (Road 2)	28.1	D	0.641	13.2	В	0.378	
East (Road 3)	27.9	D	0.598	20.2	С	0.184	
South (Road 2)	28.8	D	0.509	12.8	В	0.242	
West (Road 3)	29.3	D	0.499	15.6	С	0.285	
Intersection	28.5	D	0.641	14.1	В	0.378	

#### POINT C: Intersection of Lefaragatlha Road, Freedom Park Road and Road 1

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

With intersection geometric improvements from Scenario 1

	FRIDAY (AM)			FRIDAY (PM)			
APPROACH	Delay	Level of	Degree of	Delay	Level of	Degree of	
	Delay	Service	Saturation		Service	Saturation	
North (Lefaragatlha Rd)	19.6	С	0.361	29.7	D	0.571	
East (Freedom Park Rd)	18.4	С	0.445	16.3	С	0.189	
South (Lefaragatlha Rd)	33.2	D	0.643	21.5	С	0.130	
West (Road 1)	24.0	С	0.683	17.0	С	0.557	
Intersection	24.9	С	0.683	21.0	С	0.571	

# TABLE C-2: LEVELS OF SERVICE FOR VARIOUS APPROACHES FOR THE YEAR 2030 (BACKGROUND TRAFFIC) WITHOUT THE PROPOSED ACTIVITIES AS PART OF THE PROPOSED NEW FLASH DRYER (SCENARIO 3) (Continue...)

#### POINT D: Intersection of Road R565 and Lefaragatlha Road

Type of intersection control: Traffic Light Signal Controlled

With intersection control improvements from Scenario 1

#### Levels of Service acceptable

	FRIDAY (AM)			FRIDAY (PM)			
APPROACH	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	
North (Lefaragatlha Rd)	33.4	С	0.662	19.3	В	0.819	
East (Road R565)	11.0	В	0.746	14.3	В	0.715	
South (Lefaragatlha Rd)	35.7	D	0.653	17.7	В	0.281	
West (Road R565)	21.5	С	0.707	14.4	В	0.741	
Intersection	18.4	В	0.746	15.7	В	0.819	

#### POINT E: Intersection of Road R565 and Luka Road

Type of intersection control: Traffic Light Signal Controlled

With intersection control improvements from Scenario 1

#### Levels of Service acceptable

	FRIDAY (AM)			FRIDAY (PM)			
APPROACH	Delay	Level of	Degree of	Delay	Level of	Degree of	
	Delay	Service	Saturation	Delay	Service	Saturation	
North (Luka Road)	11.4	В	0.300	13.8	В	0.658	
East (Road R565)	7.2	А	0.321	8.4	А	0.625	
South (Luka Road)	21.8	С	0.144	22.1	С	0.186	
West (Road R565)	15.4	В	0.298	15.4	В	0.615	
Intersection	11.1	В	0.321	12.4	В	0.658	

#### **POINT F:** Intersection of Luka Road and Road 3

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

With intersection geometric improvements from Scenario 1

	FRIDAY (AM)			FRIDAY (PM)			
APPROACH	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	
North (Luka Road)	23.4	С	0.600	19.2	С	0.565	
East (Road 3)	28.0	D	0.538	20.5	С	0.337	
South (Luka Road)	14.8	В	0.383	17.6	С	0.503	
West (3)	22.8	С	0.600	31.9	D	0.611	
Intersection	22.8	С	0.600	21.5	С	0.611	

# TABLE C-3: LEVELS OF SERVICE FOR VARIOUS APPROACHES FOR THE YEAR 2020 (BACKGROUND TRAFFIC) WITH THE PROPOSED ACTIVITIES AS PART OF THE PROPOSED NEW FLASH DRYER (SCENARIO 2)

#### POINT A: Intersection of Impala Smelter Access Road, Road 1 and Road 2

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

#### Levels of Service acceptable

	FRIDAY (AM)			FRIDAY (PM)			
APPROACH	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	
North (Road 2)	24.9	С	0.456	17.9	С	0.284	
East (Road 1)	17.7	С	0.537	10.8	В	0.089	
West (Access)	27.6	D	0.735	13.6	В	0.462	
Intersection	23.5	С	0.735	14.1	В	0.462	

#### **POINT B**: Intersection of Road 2 and Road 3

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

With intersection geometric improvements from Scenario 1

#### Levels of Service acceptable

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	FRIDAY (AM)			FRIDAY (PM)				
APPROACH	Dalass	Level of	Degree of	Delay	Level of	Degree of		
	Delay	Service	Saturation		Service	Saturation		
North (Road 2)	21.7	С	0.478	12.2	В	0.281		
East (Road 3)	23.4	С	0.466	19.9	С	0.414		
South (Road 2)	26.1	D	0.432	12.5	В	0.220		
West (Road 3)	23.5	С	0.428	14.5	В	0.225		
Intersection	23.4	С	0.428	13.3	В	0.281		

#### POINT C: Intersection of Lefaragatlha Road, Freedom Park Road and Road 1

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

With intersection geometric improvements from Scenario 1

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	FRIDAY (AM)			FRIDAY (PM)				
APPROACH	Delay	Level of	Degree of	Delay	Level of	Degree of		
	Delay	Service	Saturation	Delay	Service	Saturation		
North (Lefaragatlha Rd)	17.6	С	0.276	25.8	D	0.458		
East (Freedom Park Rd)	16.4	С	0.363	15.3	С	0.142		
South (Lefaragatlha Rd)	29.6	D	0.629	22.4	С	0.122		
West (Road 1)	19.1	С	0.598	14.8	В	0.483		
Intersection	21.5	С	0.629	18.2	С	0.483		
West (Road 1)	19.1	С	0.598	14.8	В	0.4		

# TABLE C-3: LEVELS OF SERVICE FOR VARIOUS APPROACHES FOR THE YEAR 2020 (BACKGROUND TRAFFIC) WITH THE PROPOSED ACTIVITIES AS PART OF THE PROPOSED NEW FLASH DRYER (SCENARIO 2) (Continue...)

#### POINT D: Intersection of Road R565 and Lefaragatlha Road

Type of intersection control: Traffic Light Signal Controlled

With intersection control improvements from Scenario 1

#### Levels of Service acceptable

	FRIDAY (AM)			FRIDAY (PM)			
APPROACH	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	
North (Lefaragatlha Rd)	25.9	С	0.395	16.3	В	0.753	
East (Road R565)	9.1	А	0.634	11.5	В	0.623	
South (Lefaragatlha Rd)	26.9	С	0.326	13.4	В	0.175	
West (Road R565)	17.5	В	0.587	11.4	В	0.647	
Intersection	14.8	В	0.634	12.7	В	0.753	

#### POINT E: Intersection of Road R565 and Luka Road

Type of intersection control: Traffic Light Signal Controlled

With intersection control improvements from Scenario 1

#### Levels of Service acceptable

	FRIDAY (AM)			FRIDAY (PM)			
APPROACH	Delay	Level of	Degree of	Delay	Level of	Degree of	
	Delay	Service	Saturation	Delay	Service	Saturation	
North (Luka Road)	11.2	В	0.227	12.9	В	0.491	
East (Road R565)	6.9	А	0.230	7.9	А	0.429	
South (Luka Road)	22.2	С	0.110	21.9	С	0.136	
West (Road R565)	14.8	В	0.212	14.5	В	0.458	
Intersection	10.8	В	0.230	11.6	В	0.491	

#### **POINT F:** Intersection of Luka Road and Road 3

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

With intersection geometric improvements from Scenario 1

	FRIDAY (AM)			FRIDAY (PM)			
APPROACH	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	
North (Luka Road)	19.9	С	0.480	16.2	С	0.429	
East (Road 3)	23.7	С	0.429	19.0	С	0.319	
South (Luka Road)	13.7	В	0.310	15.3	С	0.379	
West (3)	29.2	D	0.302	23.3	С	0.435	
Intersection	19.8	С	0.480	17.8	С	0.435	

# TABLE C-4: LEVELS OF SERVICE FOR VARIOUS APPROACHES FOR THE YEAR 2030 (BACKGROUND TRAFFIC) WITH THE PROPOSED ACTIVITIES AS PART OF THE PROPOSED NEW FLASH DRYER (SCENARIO 4)

#### POINT A: Intersection of Impala Smelter Access Road, Road 1 and Road 2

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

#### Levels of Service acceptable

	FRIDAY (AM)			FRIDAY (PM)			
APPROACH	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	
North (Road 2)	27.1	D	0.503	18.5	С	0.350	
East (Road 1)	17.7	С	0.560	10.9	В	0.114	
West (Access)	26.9	D	0.731	14.2	В	0.485	
Intersection	23.4	С	0.731	14.7	В	0.485	

#### **POINT B:** Intersection of Road 2 and Road 3

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

With intersection geometric improvements from Scenario 1

#### Levels of Service acceptable

		FRIDAY (AM	)	FRIDAY (PM)									
APPROACH	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	Delav		Degree of Saturation							
North (Road 2)	28.1	D	0.641	13.2	В	0.378							
East (Road 3)	27.9	D	0.598	20.2	С	0.184							
South (Road 2)	28.8	D	0.509	12.8	В	0.242							
West (Road 3)	29.3	D	0.499	15.6	С	0.285							
Intersection	28.5	D	0.641	14.1	В	0.378							

#### POINT C: Intersection of Lefaragatlha Road, Freedom Park Road and Road 1

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

With intersection geometric improvements from Scenario 1

	FRIDAY (AM)		FRIDAY (PM)					
Dolay	Level of	Degree of	Dolay	Level of	Degree of			
Delay	Service	Saturation	Delay	Service	Saturation			
19.7	С	0.361	28.4	D	0.557			
18.5	С	0.447	16.3	С	0.189			
34.2	D	0.665	22.2	С	0.165			
24.4	С	0.691	20.7	С	0.564			
25.4	D	0.691	20.7	С	0.564			
	19.7 18.5 34.2 24.4	Delay         Level of Service           19.7         C           18.5         C           34.2         D           24.4         C	Delay         Service         Saturation           19.7         C         0.361           18.5         C         0.447           34.2         D         0.665           24.4         C         0.691	Delay         Level of Service         Degree of Saturation         Delay           19.7         C         0.361         28.4           18.5         C         0.447         16.3           34.2         D         0.665         22.2           24.4         C         0.691         20.7	Delay         Level of Service         Degree of Saturation         Delay         Level of Service           19.7         C         0.361         28.4         D           18.5         C         0.447         16.3         C           34.2         D         0.665         22.2         C           24.4         C         0.691         20.7         C			

# TABLE C-4: LEVELS OF SERVICE FOR VARIOUS APPROACHES FOR THE YEAR 2030 (BACKGROUND TRAFFIC) WITH THE PROPOSED ACTIVITIES AS PART OF THE PROPOSED NEW FLASH DRYER (SCENARIO 4) (Continue...)

#### POINT D: Intersection of Road R565 and Lefaragatlha Road

Type of intersection control: Traffic Light Signal Controlled

With intersection control improvements from Scenario 1

#### Levels of Service acceptable

		FRIDAY (AM)	)	FRIDAY (PM)				
APPROACH	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation		
North (Lefaragatlha Rd)	31.4	С	0.640	19.7	В	0.828		
East (Road R565)	12.2	В	0.795	14.4	В	0.715		
South (Lefaragatlha Rd)	33.6	С	0.617	17.7	В	0.283		
West (Road R565)	20.8	С	0.716	14.4	В	0.741		
Intersection	18.4	В	0.716	15.8	В	0.828		

#### POINT E: Intersection of Road R565 and Luka Road

Type of intersection control: Traffic Light Signal Controlled

With intersection control improvements from Scenario 1

#### Levels of Service acceptable

		FRIDAY (AM)	)	FRIDAY (PM)				
APPROACH	Delay	Level of	Degree of	Delay	Level of	Degree of		
	Delay	Service	Saturation	Delay	Service	Saturation		
North (Luka Road)	11.4	В	0.300	13.8	В	0.658		
East (Road R565)	7.2	А	0.321	8.4	А	0.625		
South (Luka Road)	21.8	С	0.144	22.1	С	0.186		
West (Road R565)	15.4	В	0.298	15.4	В	0.615		
Intersection	11.1	В	0.321	12.4	В	0.658		

#### **POINT F:** Intersection of Luka Road and Road 3

Type of intersection control: Stop controlled on all approaches

With intersection geometric improvements from Scenario 1

		FRIDAY (AM)	)	FRIDAY (PM)				
APPROACH	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation	Delay	Level of Service	Degree of Saturation		
North (Luka Road)	23.4	С	0.600	19.2	С	0.565		
East (Road 3)	28.0	D	0.538	20.5	С	0.337		
South (Luka Road)	14.8	В	0.383	17.6	С	0.503		
West (3)	31.5	D	0.388	31.9	D	0.611		
Intersection	22.8	С	0.600	21.5	С	0.611		

## **APPENDIX D**

### LEVEL OF SERVICE CRITERIA DESCRIPTION

TABLE D-1: LEVEL OF SERVICE CRITERIA DESCRIPTION FOR UNSIGNALISED INTERSECTIONS											
LEVEL OF SERVICE	AVERAGE TOTAL DELAY (SEC/VEH)	PERFORMANCE EVALUATION									
A	<u>≤</u> 5	Excellent									
В	> 5 and <u>&lt;</u> 10	Very Good									
С	>10 and <u>&lt;</u> 20	Good									
D	>20 and <u>&lt;</u> 30	Average									
E	>30 and <u>&lt;</u> 45	Poor									
F	>45	Fail									

TABLE D-2: LEVEL OF SERVICE CRITERIA DESCRIPTION FOR SIGNALISED INTERSECTIONS											
LEVEL OF SERVICE	AVERAGE TOTAL DELAY (SEC/VEH)	PERFORMANCE EVALUATION									
A	<u>&lt;</u> 5	Excellent									
В	> 5 and <u>&lt;</u> 15	Very Good									
С	> 15 and <u>&lt;</u> 25	Good									
D	> 25 and <u>&lt;</u> 40	Average									
E	> 40 and <u>&lt;</u> 60	Poor									
F	> 60	Fail									

Level of Service criteria obtained from The Highway Capacity Manual (Special Report 2009)

## **APPENDIX E**

## **SUMMARY OF IMPACT RATINGS**

		T	ABLE E-1: IMPACT RAT													PROPOSED NEW FLASH DRYER
				I	BEFORE BACKGROUND MITIGATION						AFTER BACKGROUND MITIGATION					
RECEPTOR		ACTIVITY	IMPACT	Intensity	Duration	Spatial Scale	Consequence	Probability	Significance	Intensity	Duration	Spatial Scale	Consequence	Probability	Significance	Comments and Mitigation Measures
		Road C	Relevant road sections     (reconstructing/repairing     of roads)	7	H	M	Low	M	Very Low	7	Ħ	M	Low	M	Very Low	Road vehicle capacity is no problem. No existing improvements recommended.
		Capacity	Relevant intersections (need for additional lanes)	٧L	H	M	Low	۲	Insignific ant	VL	H	M	Low	VL	Insignific ant	Road vehicle capacity is no problem. No existing improvements recommended.
	Cons		Intersection (access)     spacing	VL	Н	M	Low	VL	Insignific ant	VL	Н	М	Low	VL	Insignific ant	Existing intersections. No existing improvements recommended.
Road and Traffic	Construction of		Vertical road alignment	VL	I	N N	Low	٧L	Insignific ant	VL	I	Z	Low	Ϋ́L	Insignific ant	Vertical road alignment acceptable. No existing improvements recommended.
d Traffic	of Infrastructure	Road Safety Matters	Available sight distance at existing intersections	٧L	Ι	Μ	Low	VL	Insignific ant	VL	Ħ	Μ	Low	VL	Insignific ant	Sight distances acceptable. No existing improvements recommended.
	ture	ty Matters	Relevant intersections     (need for dedicated left- and right-turn lanes)	M	I	M	Med	Μ	Low	M+	Ħ	Μ	High	M	Medium	Recommended improvements would create vehicle volume capacity at intersections.
			7. Pedestrian movements (with reference to access roads and intersections)	VL	Н	M	Low	VL	Insignific ant	VL	Н	М	Low	VL	Insignific ant	No existing improvements recommended.
			Public transport loading and off-loading	٧L	I	Z	Low	VL	Insignific ant	VL	Ι	Z	Low	٧L	Insignific ant	No existing improvements recommended.

			TABLE E-2: IMPACT RA													ROPOSED NEW FLASH DRYER
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RECEPTOR		ACTIVITY	IMPACT	Intensity	Duration	Spatial Scale	Consequence	Probability	Significance	Intensity	Duration	Spatial Scale	Consequence	Probability	Significance	Comments and Mitigation Measures
		Road Capacity	Relevant road sections     (reconstructing/repairing     of roads)	VL	H	M	Low	VL	Insignific ant			new ilash dryer as	No mitiga			Road vehicle capacity is no problem and anticipated vehicle trips by new flash dryer very low.
	Cons	apacity	Relevant intersections     (need for additional lanes)	VL	I	Z	Low	٧L	Insignific ant			a	tion required			Road vehicle capacity is no problem and anticipated vehicle trips by new flash dryer very low.
			Intersection (access)     spacing	VL	I	N N	Low	٧Ł	Insignific ant			n insignificar	or recomme			Existing intersections. No improvements recommended due to new flash dryer activities.
Road and Traffic	Construction of		Vertical road alignment	VL	I	Z	Low	٧٢	Insignific ant	ed or recommended due to the very low number of vehicles to an insignificant impact on the			Vertical road alignment acceptable. No improvements recommended due to new flash dryer activities.			
d Traffic	of Infrastructure	Road Safety Matters	Available sight distance at existing intersections	VL	I	Μ	Low	٧L	Insignific ant		proposed activities as part be generate is anticipated existing road network.	the proposiss to be gen			Sight distances acceptable. No improvements recommended due to new flash dryer activities.	
	ture	ty Matters	Relevant intersections     (need for dedicated left- and right-turn lanes)	VL	I	Μ	Low	VL	Insignific ant			activities			Anticipated vehicle trips by new flash dryer very low and would have an insignificant impact on vehicle volume capacity.	
			Pedestrian movements     (with reference to access     roads and intersections)	VL	I	Μ	Low	VL	Insignific ant			s part of the			No improvements recommended due to new flash dryer activities.	
			Public transport loading and off-loading	VL	Ħ	N	Low	VL	Insignific ant			and would nave	proposed			No improvements recommended due to new flash dryer activities.

## **APPENDIX F**

### **IMPACT RATINGS CRITERIA**

TABLE F-1: CRI	TERIA L	JSED IN THE ASSESSMENT OF IMPACTS – DEFINITIONS AND CRITERIA							
		PART A: DEFINITIONS AND CRITERIA*							
Definition of SIGNIFI	CANCE	Significance = consequence x probability							
Definition of CONSEC	QUENCE	Consequence is a function of intensity, spatial extent and duration							
Criteria for ranking of the INTENSITY of environmental	VH	Severe change, disturbance or degradation. Associated with severe consequences.  May result in severe illness, injury or death. Targets, limits and thresholds of concern continually exceeded. Substantial intervention will be required.  Vigorous/widespread community mobilization against project can be expected.							
impacts		May result in legal action if impact occurs.							
	Н	Prominent change, disturbance or degradation. Associated with real and substantial consequences. May result in illness or injury. Targets, limits and thresholds of concern regularly exceeded. Will definitely require intervention. Threats of community action. Regular complaints can be expected when the impact takes place.							
	М	Moderate change, disturbance or discomfort. Associated with real but not substantial consequences. Targets, limits and thresholds of concern may occasionally be exceeded. Likely to require some intervention. Occasional complaints can be expected.							
	L	Minor (Slight) change, disturbance or nuisance. Associated with minor consequences or deterioration. Targets, limits and thresholds of concern rarely exceeded. Require only minor interventions or clean-up actions.  Sporadic complaints could be expected.							
	VL	Negligible change, disturbance or nuisance. Associated with very minor consequences or deterioration. Targets, limits and thresholds of concern never exceeded. No interventions or clean-up actions required. No complaints anticipated.							
	VL+	Negligible change or improvement. Almost no benefits. Change not measurable/will remain in the current range.							
	L+	Minor change or improvement. Minor benefits. Change not measurable/will remain in the current range. Few people will experience benefits.							
	M+	Moderate change or improvement. Real but not substantial benefits. Will be within or marginally better than the current conditions. Small number of people will experience benefits.							
	H+	Prominent change or improvement. Real and substantial benefits. Will be better than current conditions. Many people will experience benefits. General community support.							
	VH+	Substantial, large-scale change or improvement. Considerable and widespread benefit. Will be much better than the current conditions. Favourable publicity and/or widespread support expected.							
Criteria for ranking	VL	Very short, always less than a year. Quickly reversible							
the DURATION of	L	Short term, occurs for more than 1 but less than 5 years. Reversible over time.							
impacts	М	Medium term, 5 to 10 years.							
	н	Long term, between 10 and 20 years. (Likely to cease at the end of the operational life of the activity.)							
	VH	Very long, permanent, +20 years. (Irreversible. Beyond closure)							
Criteria for ranking	VL	A part of the site/property.							
the EXTENT of	L	Whole site.							
impacts	М	Beyond the site boundary, affecting immediate neighbours.							
	Н	Local area, extending far beyond site boundary.							
	VH	Regional/National							
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## TABLE F-2: CRITERIA USED IN THE ASSESSMENT OF IMPACTS – DETERMINING CONSEQUENCE

#### PART B: DETERMINING CONSEQUENCE

#### INTENSITY = VL

	Very long	VH	Low	Low	Medium	Medium	High
	Long term	Н	Low	Low	Low	Medium	Medium
DURATION	Medium term	М	Very Low	Low	Low	Low	Medium
	Short term	L	Very low	Very Low	Low	Low	Low
	Very short	VL	Very low	Very Low	Very Low	Low	Low

#### INTENSITY = L

	Very long	VH	Medium	Medium	Medium	High	High
	Long term	Н	Low	Medium	Medium	Medium	High
DURATION	Medium term	М	Low	Low	Medium	Medium	Medium
	Short term	L	Low	Low	Low	Medium	Medium
	Very short	VL	Very low	Low	Low	Low	Medium

#### INTENSITY = M

	Very long	VH	Medium	High	High	High	
	Long term	Н	Medium	Medium	Medium	High	High
DURATION	Medium term	М	Medium	Medium	Medium	High	High
	Short term	L	Low	Medium	Medium	Medium	High
	Very short	VL	Low	Low	Low	Medium	Medium

#### INTENSITY = H

	Very long	VH	High	High	High		
	Long term	Н	Medium	High	High	High	
DURATION	Medium term	М	Medium	Medium	High	High	High
	Short term	L	Medium	Medium	Medium	High	High
	Very short	VL	Low	Medium	Medium	Medium	High

#### INTENSITY = VH

	Very long	VH	High	High			
	Long term	Н	High	High	High		
DURATION	Medium term	М	Medium	High	High	High	
	Short term	L	Medium	Medium	High	High	High
	Very short	VL	Low	Medium	Medium	High	High

VL	L	М	Н	VH
A part of the	Whole site	Beyond the	Extending far	Regional/
site/ property		site, affecting	beyond site	National
		neighbours	but localised	
		EXTENT		

TAB	LE F-3: CRIT	ERIA		ASSESSMEN GNIFICANCE	IT OF IMPACT	S – DETERMI	NING
			PART C: DET	ERMINING SIGNII	FICANCE		
PROBABILITY  (of exposure	Definite/ continuous	VH	Very Low	Low	Medium	High	Very High
to impacts)	Probable	Н	Very Low	Low	Medium	High	Very High
	Possible/ frequent	М	Very Low	Very Low	Low	Medium	High
	Conceivable	L	Insignificant	Very Low	Low	Medium	High
	Unlikely/ improbable	VL	Insignificant	Insignificant	Very Low	Low	Medium
			VL	L	М	Н	VVH
					CONSEQUENCE		

	PART D: INTERPRETATION OF SIGNIFICANCE
Significance	Decision guideline
Very High	Potential fatal flaw unless mitigated to lower significance.
High	It must have an influence on the decision. Substantial mitigation will be required.
Medium	It should have an influence on the decision. Mitigation will be required.
Low	Unlikely that it will have a real influence on the decision. Limited mitigation is likely
	to be required.
Very Low	It will not have an influence on the decision. Does not require any mitigation
Insignificant	Inconsequential, not requiring any consideration.

## **APPENDIX G**

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#### PERSONAL PARTICULARS

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Prof. Registration: 960547 - Professional Engineer

#### **ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS**

B Eng. (Civil Eng.) University of Pretoria, 1988

#### PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

Engineering Council of South Africa (ECSA)

#### **EMPLOYMENT RECORD**

01/2002 - Current: Traffic Engineer Technical Director to SIYAZI Group of Companies

01/2002 - Current: Office Manager for SIYAZI Limpopo (Pty) Ltd

01/2002 - Current: Director and shareholder, SIYAZI Holdings (Pty) Ltd, SIYAZI Limpopo, SIYAZI-Thula, SIYAZI

Gauteng and SIYAZI Free State

07/1996 – 12/2003: Office Manager for all SIYAZI activities in the Limpopo Province 07/1996 – 12/2003: Director and shareholder, SIYAZI Transportation & Services CC

11/1994 - 06/1996: Representative of Africon Consulting Engineers Inc., Transportation Planning Division in the

then Northern Province, based in Polokwane

08/1992 - 10/1994: Africon Consulting Engineers Inc., Transport Planning Division in Pretoria 06/1990 - 08/1992: Lexetran, Transport Planning Division of the then Van Wyk & Louw Group

Mr Roets has a total of 24 years experience. He is a Transport and Traffic Engineer with wide experience in transportation planning and modelling, data processing as well as Traffic Impact Studies.

MR ROETS COMPLETED A CONSIDERABLE NUMBER OF TRAFFIC IMPACT STUDIES FOR ALL TYPES OF DEVELOPMENTS, WHICH VARIES FROM BASIC RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENTS TO MAJOR SHOPPING CENTRE DEVELOPMENTS. THE FOLLOWING PROVIDES A SUMMARY OF SOME OF THE PROJECTS SPECIFICALLY RELATED TO MINE ACTIVITY:

Project	Client
Siyazi Transport & Technical and Liaison Assistance for Tripartite	Rustenburg Platinum Mine Limited-
Forum (Twickenham)	Mogalakwena Section
Mogalakwena Section Mine - Road Safety	Anglo American
Existing Aquarius Platinum Mine (Rustenburg) Transport Route	
Investigation (Proposed ROM Ore Transport by Road from K6 and	SLR Consulting Engineers (Metago)
Kwezi Shafts to AQPSA Kroondal Smelter)	
Twickenham Platinum Mines Integrated Transport Management	WarlayDaraana
Plan	WorleyParsons
7-day Electronic Counts for Two Rivers Platinum Mines	Two Rivers Platinum Mine
Proposed Scheiding Chrome Mine, Limpopo Province	Prime Resources (Pty) Ltd
Traffic Impact Assessment for Fumani Gold Mine	Ages (Pty) Ltd
Proposed CSP and PV Solar Power Plants near Jacobsdal, Free State	SLR Consulting Engineers
Proposed Siyanda Chrome Smelter, Northam, Limpopo	SLR Consulting Engineers
Traffic assessment for AQPSA, Rustenburg	SLR Consulting Engineers
Existing PPM mine near Pilanesberg, North West Province expansion	SLR Consulting Engineers
Proposed Musonoi Mine Situated near the Town of Kolwezi, Democratic Republic of Congo: Traffic Impact Assessment	Metago Environmental Engineers (PTY) ltd
Botswana Traffic Impact Assessment	SLR Consulting Engineers (Metago)
Proposed division of Road P50-1 near Pilanesberg	SLR Consulting Engineers (Metago)
Development of The Eastern Limb Mining Land Transport Strategy	
(ELM-LTS)	Steelpoort Valley Producers Forum
Proposed Kotulo Tsatsi Solar Park near Kenhardt, Northern Cape	Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd
Proposed Leeuw Mining Coral Mine: Utrecht KZN	SLR Consulting Engineers (Metago)
Proposed Moonlight Iron Ore Mining Development situated in the	
Waterberg District of the Limpopo Province: Traffic Impact Assessment	SLR Consulting Engineers (Metago)



Project	Client
Proposed Upgrading Kinsenda Copper Mine, Situated near the town of	
Likasi, in the DRC	SLR Consulting Engineers (Metago)
Traffic Impact Assessment for Intersection between Windhoek and	Metago Environmental Engineers (Pty) Ltd
Swakopmund	Wetago Environmental Engineers (1 ty) Eta
Traffic Impact Assessment: Proposed Hawerklip Railway Station	Metago Environmental Engineers (Pty) Ltd
Situated on the Farm Matjisgoedkuil 266-IR Near Delmas	Wetago Environmental Engineers (Fty) Eta
Road Safety Project for Road R555	Steelpoort Producers Forum
Road Safety Project for Road R37, between Olifantsrivier and	Steelpoort Producers Forum
Burgersfort	Steelpoolt Floudcers Forum
Kameni Product Transport Feasibility Study	Kameni
Proposed New PGM Mine Situated on the Farms Kalkfontein and	Metago Environmental Engineero (Ptv) I td
Buffelshoek in the Steelpoort Area	Metago Environmental Engineers (Pty) Ltd
Proposed New Manganese Mining Operation, NCMC: Traffic Impact	Matana Farina and Farina and (Pt.) Ltd.
Assessment, Kuruman	Metago Environmental Engineers (Pty) Ltd
Project Management Road N11, Road Safety Project	Economic Sector Forum
Twickenham Public Transport System	Twickenham Platinum Mine
Road Master Plan for Mines in the Sekhukhune District	Steelpoort Producers Forum
	Economic Sector Forum in conjunction with
Traffic Related Input for Realignment of Road N11	SANRAL
Access to the Polokwane Smelter (Road R37)	Economic Sector Forum
Greenfield Expansion Project, Traffic Impact Assessment for Lwala	
Smelter	Semancor
Road R37 upgrade in Burgersfort for SANRAL	Steelpoort Producers Forum
Road Master Plan for Burgersfort	Steelpoort Producers Forum
Application to upgrade the existing Access Road D4170 to Road R37	
(Modikwa Platinum Mine)	Steelpoort Producers Forum
New concentrator and smelter complex at Hernic's Bokfontein Chrome	
Mine on the farm Bokfontein 448 JQ near Brits in North West Province	Metago Environmental Engineers (Pty) Ltd
Proposed Development of a Manganese Mining Operation	Metago Environmental Engineers (Pty) Ltd
R555/Tweefontein Road Safety Project (Xtrata)	Xstrata Alloys Lion Ferrochrome
Traffic Related Input for Road R555	Steelpoort Producers Forum
Proposed Manganese Mining Operation On Portion	Steelpoolt Floudcers Foldin
1 Of The Farm Lehating 741 Near Hotazel, Northern	SLR Consulting Engineers (Metago)
Cape Province	SEIN Consulting Engineers (wetago)
Proposed Mokala Manganese Mine Situated Near Hotazel.	
Northern Cape Province	SLR Consulting Engineers (Metago)
Background Information on the Environmental Assessment for the	
proposed expansion of Eland Platinum Mine	Metago Environmental Engineers (Pty) Ltd
Development of an opencast and underground coal mining operation –	
Keaton Mine	Metago Environmental Engineers (Pty) Ltd
Mogalakwena Economic Sector, Transport related input for	
Mogalakwena Economic Sector	Economic Sector Forum
Traffic Counts Road R37	Steelpoort Producers Forum
Planning of multi modal facility for Burgersfort	Steelpoort Producers Forum
Provide input into traffic safety along Road R37	Steelpoort Producers Forum
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Input into the transport of workers (Dilokong corridor)	Steelpoort Froducers Forum
Strategy for Travel Demand Management for the Greater Tubatse	Steelpoort Producers Forum
Municipality and modelling for the R37 road	Mandilla va Mila a
Strategy to transport workers at the Modikwa Shaft	Modikwa Mine

### SOME OF MR ROETS' OTHER TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORT ENGINEERING EXPERTISE AND EXPERIENCE INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

- a) Shopping Centres that Range from 2 000 m<sup>2</sup> to 60 000 m<sup>2</sup>
- b) Various Filling Station Developments
- c) Integrated Transport Plans for Various Local and District Municipalities
  - Vhembe
  - Ba-Phalaborwa
  - Polokwane
  - Sekhukhune
  - Thulamela
  - Limpopo
  - Mogalakwena
- d) Public Transport Plans for Various Local and District Municipalities
  - Mopani
  - Vhembe
  - Tubatse
  - Capricorn
- e) Design and Layout of Traffic Light System
- f) Residential Development that vary from 100 to 12 000 stands

#### In conclusion the following are relevant:

The above-mentioned successful projects are a clear indication that Mr Roets is fully committed to sustainable development, and believes strongly in the following principles:

- a) Providing safe, secure and reliable traffic-related facilities
- b) Maintaining a balance between traffic engineering and the potential to create job opportunities. In other words, doing everything possible to take certain measures that would ensure the functionality of the proposed developments
- Acting as a link between the developer and the relevant authority to ensure that development takes place successfully
- Using his knowledge of local circumstances and conditions to the benefit of the local community, in order to stimulate job creation
- e) Using his expertise, experience and qualifications to best effect in the belief that these should serve as a catalyst for job creation as far as is practically possible.

Leon Roets has the distinct advantage of possessing profound knowledge of transport and traffic issues of engineering. This in-depth knowledge in various fields, combined with the extensive knowledge that Siyazi has gained and also his record of successful co-operation with transport-related role players, his knowledge of the road network and the transport environment, probably makes Leon Roets one of the best candidates to provide traffic-related input for this project.

SOME OF THE TRANSPORT PLANNING PROJECTS THAT LEON ROETS HAD BEEN INVOLVED IN THE LIMPOPO PROVINCE INCLUDE:	2	S F I S	₹	H	Ž	Ş		Ę		0	<u>₹</u>	¥ U	CLUD	نن
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Technical Advisor – Taxi Industry Polokwane Integrated Rapid Transit				H	H	L	>	>		>			>	2015-2011
										>				2012-1998
Greater Tubatse Municipality	>													2013-2003
Road R37 between Polokwane and Burgersfort (Dilokong Corridor)								>					>	2013-2003
Polokwane Intermodal Facilities, as part of Prism Consortium (Planning)									>					2013-2010
Thohoyandou Intermodal Facilities, as part of MCE Consortium									>					2013-2010
Giyani Intermodal Facility, Taxi Facilitation														2013-2010
Giyani, Makhado, Thohoyandou, Burgersfort, Special advisor for Intersite									٨					2013-2010
Vhembe District Municipality						≺								2010
Burgersfort, Road Master Network													٨	2009-2007
Mogalakwena Local Municipality	Y													2009-2006
Ba-Phalaborwa Local Municipality					_									2008
Mogalakwena Local Municipality					Υ									2008
Mogalakwena, Relocation and Road Safety of Road N11													<b>&gt;</b>	2008
Fetakgomo Local Municipality	>													2007-2005
Polokwane, 2010 Priority Statement (PTIS)							<b>\</b>							2007-2005
Polokwane Local Municipality				<b>&gt;</b>	<b>&gt;</b>									2007
Mogalakwena Local Municipality				<u> </u>										2007
Polokwane Local Municipality	>													2006-1997
Sekhukhune District Municipality	,	Y	<b>&gt;</b>	<b>→</b>	_									2006
Taxi Recapitalisation for Limpopo Department of Roads & Transport							>							2005-2004
Limpopo Department or Roads and Transport											>			2004
Part of team for Limpopo in Motion												>		2004
Greater Tubatse Municipality		<b>&gt;</b>	>	>	>									2003
Capricorn District Municipality		>												2003
Vhembe District Municipality		<b>≻</b>		>	<b>&gt;</b>									2003
Mopani District Municipality	_	<b>≻</b>		<b>&gt;</b>	_									2003
Pietersburg-Polokwane Transport Strategy					<b>&gt;</b>									2000
Polokwane, N1 Eastern bypass													>	2000
Diotambura Dalakusana Dublia Transport Otratasa						ĺ								