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PROJECT TITLE

Scoping and Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Processes for the Proposed Development of Nku Solar Photovoltaic (PV) Energy Facility, Northern Cape Province (PV1)

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Specialist Company Name:	Afrimage Photography (Pty) Ltd t/a Chris van Rooyen Consulting				
B-BBEE			Percentage Procurement recognition		
Specialist name:	Chris van Rooyen				
Specialist Qualifications:	BA LLB				
Professional affiliation/registration:	I work under the supervision of and in association with Albert Fronem Conservation Biology) (SACNASP Zoological Science Registration number 40 as stipulated by the Natural Scientific Professions Act 27 of 2003.				
Physical address:	6 Pladda Drive Plettenberg Ba	ay			
Postal address:	P.O Box 2676, Fourways				
Postal code:	2055				
Telephone:	0824549570				
E-mail:	Vanrooyen.chris@gmail.com				

2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST

I, Chris van Rooyen, declare that -

- I act as the independent specialist in this application;
- I will perform the work relating to the application in an objective manner, even if this results in views and findings
 that are not favourable to the applicant;
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 the competent authority; and the objectivity of any report, plan or document to be prepared by myself for
 submission to the competent authority;
- all the particulars furnished by me in this form are true and correct; and
- I realise that a false declaration is an offence in terms of regulation 48 and is punishable in terms of section 24F of the Act.

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Signature of the Specialist	
Afrimage Photography (Pty) Ltd t/a Chris van Rooyen Consulting	

Name of Company:

18 October 2021

Date

3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION

I, Chris van Rooyen , swear under oath / affin	rm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of
this application is true and correct.	
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Signature of the Specialist	
Afrimage Photography (Pty) Ltd	
Name of Company	
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B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1	1	Percenta	ge	100
	to 8 or non-compliant)		Procuren	nent	
			recognition	on	
Specialist name:	Werner Marais				
Specialist Qualifications:	MSc Biodiversity and Conservation				
Professional affiliation/registration:	Pr Sci Nati Zoological Science (SAUNASE)				
Physical address:					
Postal address:	6 Tudor Lodge, 25 Bakkerskloof road, Steynsrust, Somerset West,				
Postal code:	-			0 3316	
Telephone:		Fa	X:		
E-mail:	werner@animalia-consult.co.za	а			

2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST

_{I,} Werner Marais	, declare that –
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- I act as the independent specialist in this application;
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- all the particulars furnished by me in this form are true and correct; and
- I realise that a false declaration is an offence in terms of regulation 48 and is punishable in terms of section 24F of the Act.

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Signature of the Specialist		
Animalia Consultants (Pty) Ltd		
Name of Company:		

3 Oct 2021

Date

I, Werner Marais ______, swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct. Signature of the Specialist Animalia Consultants (Pty) Ltd Name of Company 3 Oct 2021 Date Signature of the Commissioner of Oaths

3.

Date

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B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1 to 8 or non-compliant)	5	Percentage Procurement recognition	80%
Specialist name:	D- David Hogre			
Specialist Qualifications:	Th D			
Professional	SACNASP (Pr Si N	int)		
affiliation/registration:		-		0
Physical address: Postal address:	4 Soctarring Aver	Tr.	15	not Predaya
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Postal code:	00 40	Cell:		3 284 5111
Telephone:	11	Fax:		State of the state
E-mail:	dhoare @ lantic. no			4.1
	THE SPECIALIST			

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- all the particulars furnished by me in this form are true and correct; and
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Signature of the	e Specialist	
Dav Name of Com	d Hoare Consulting (Pty) Ltd	
L9 Date	October 2021	

Details of Specialist, Declaration and Undertaking Under Oath

I. Dr David Hoare swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to I
submitted for the numbers of this application in true and annual the information submitted or to the numbers of this application in true and annual the information submitted or to the numbers of this application in true and annual the information submitted or to the numbers of this application in true and annual the information submitted or to the numbers of this application in true and annual the information submitted or to the numbers of this application in true and annual the information submitted or to the numbers of this application in true and annual the information submitted or to the numbers of this application in true and annual the information submitted or to the numbers of the
submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.
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Signature of the Specialist
David Hoare Consulting (Pty) Ltd
Name of Company
19 October 2021
Date
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Signature of the Commissioner of Oaths
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Specialist Company Name:	THE BIODIVERSITY	COMPA	NY		
B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1 to 8 or non-compliant)	4	Percentage Procurement recognition	100%	
Specialist name:	ANDREW HUSTED				
Specialist Qualifications:	MSC				
Professional affiliation/registration:	SACNASP Pr Sci		400213/11		
Physical address:		JUKSKEI	PARK		
Postal address:	AS ABOVE				2
Postal code:	2188	Cell:	081	319 1225	
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, Andrew	Husted	, declare that -
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Signature of the Specialist
THE BIODIVERSITY COMPANY
Name of Company:
30/10/2021 Date

3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION
I, Andrew Husked , swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.
Signature of the Specialist
THE BIODIVERSITY COMPANY Name of Company
20/10/2031 Date / , ,
Signature of the Commissioner of Oaths
20/10/2021 Date
Certified as a true copy of original

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Farai Shadreck Mbirimi

Minister of Religion / Commissioner of Oaths 391 11th Road, Erand, Midrand 1685



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B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1	10	Percentage	
	to 8 or non-compliant)	4	Procurement recognition	Olo
Specialist name:	NICHOLAS WILTSHIE	5		
Specialist Qualifications:	MSc Archaeology			
Professional	ASAFA # 359			
affiliation/registration:	ARHP # 0075			
Physical address:	34 HARRIES 5	T. PLUMS	TEAD, CAPET	own .
Postal address:	34 HALRIES ST	PLUMSTER	ad care Town	٥
Postal code:	7800	Cell:	084	3637870
Telephone:	0923037870	Fax:		•
E-mail:	nicomiltahire e	tsheritage	com	

2.	DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST	ī
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l,	NIC HOLAS	WILTSHIRE	, declare that -
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Signature of the Specialist

CTS HERITAGE

Name of Company:

13/10/2001

Date

3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION

I, NICHOLAS WILTS HIRE, swear under oath / affirm that all the information	submitted	or	to be
submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.			
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Signature of the Specialist			
CTS HERITAGE			
Name of Company			
3/10/2021	* •		
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Signature of the Commissioner of Oaths			
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Specialist Qualifications:	BSc, B Econ (Honours), MSc El			
Professional	IAIA	ivironmenta	Science	
affiliation/registration:				
Physical address:				
Postal address:	10 Firs Avenue, Claremont, Cap	e Town		
	10 Firs Avenue, Claremont, Can	e Town		
Postal code:	7708			
Telephone:	021-7971361	Cell:	0826008	3266
E-mail:	tony@tonybarbour.co.za	Fax:		

2. **DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST**

I, Tony Barbour, declare that -

- I act as the independent specialist in this application;
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Signature of the Specialist	
Tony Barbour Environmental Consulting Name of Company:	
26 August 2021	
Date	

3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION

I, Tony Barbour, swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of th application is true and correct.
application is true and correct.
Signature of the Specialist
Tony Barbour Environmental Consulting
Name of Company
26 August 2021
Signature of the Commissioner of Oaths
2021-08-26 Date

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B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1	_	Percentage		40 00/
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			recognition		
Specialist name:	lris Wink				
Specialist Qualifications:	MSc Eng (Civil)				
Professional					
affiliation/registration:	PrEng 20110156				
Physical address:	14 Central Square, Pi	nelands			
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2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST

_{I,} Iris Wink	, declare that –
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- I act as the independent specialist in this application;
- I will perform the work relating to the application in an objective manner, even if this results in views and findings that are not favourable to the applicant;
- I declare that there are no circumstances that may compromise my objectivity in performing such work;
- I have expertise in conducting the specialist report relevant to this application, including knowledge of the Act,
 Regulations and any guidelines that have relevance to the proposed activity;
- I will comply with the Act, Regulations and all other applicable legislation;
- I have no, and will not engage in, conflicting interests in the undertaking of the activity;
- I undertake to disclose to the applicant and the competent authority all material information in my possession that
 reasonably has or may have the potential of influencing any decision to be taken with respect to the application by
 the competent authority; and the objectivity of any report, plan or document to be prepared by myself for
 submission to the competent authority;
- all the particulars furnished by me in this form are true and correct; and
- I realise that a false declaration is an offence in terms of regulation 48 and is punishable in terms of section 24F of the Act.

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Signature of the Specialist	
JG Afrika (Pty) Ltd Name of Company:	
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Application for authorisation in terms of the National Environmental Management Act, Act No. 107 of 1998, as amended and the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations, 2014, as amended (the Regulations)

PROJECT TITLE

PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION OF THE NKU SOLAR PHOTOVOLTAIC (PV) ENERGY FACILITY, BATTERY ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEM (BESS) AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE LOCATED NEAR RICHMOND IN THE UBUNTU LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, PIXLEY KA SEME DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY IN THE NORTHERN CAPE PROVINCE OF SOUTH AFRICA.

Kindly note the following:

- 1. This form must always be used for applications that must be subjected to Basic Assessment or Scoping & Environmental Impact Reporting where this Department is the Competent Authority.
- This form is current as of 01 September 2018. It is the responsibility of the Applicant / Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) to ascertain whether subsequent versions of the form have been published or produced by the available templates are Departmental available The latest Authority. Competent https://www.environment.gov.za/documents/forms.
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