

BACKGROUND INFORMATION DOCUMENT FOR THE PROSPECTING RIGHT

**PROSPECTING RIGHT FOR DIAMOND (ALLUVIAL, GENERAL, KIMBERLITES) FOR KAY'S
COMMODITY & INSTRUMENTS TRADING CC ON FARMS VAALRAND 241 HO AND
KATDOORNKRAAL 249 HO WITHIN THE MAGISTRAL DISTRICT OF BLOEMHOF, LEKWA-
TEEMANE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY,
NORTH WEST PROVINCE.**

DMR REFERENCE NO.: NW 30/5/1/1/2/12037 EM

PURPOSE OF THIS DOCUMENT

This background Information Document (BID) has been prepared as part of the notification and consultation process required in terms of the Mineral and Petroleum Resource Development Act (Act 28 of 2002) (MPRDA). It describes the following

- Background information regarding the planning for this project
- Information about the site and the proposal being considered
- Public participation process
- An overview of the Department of Mineral Resources (DMR) application
- Suggestions on how you can participate on the process

APPOINTED OF ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT PRACTITIONERS

Kimopax (Pty) Ltd as an independent Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) has been appointed by Kay's Commodity & Instrument Trading CC to conduct Environmental Authorization process for Prospecting right application for Diamond (Alluvial, General, Kimberlites),

PROJECTION LOCATION.

The study area is located on Farms Vaalrand 241 HO and Katdoornkraal 249 HO within the Magisterial district of Bloemhof, Lekwa-Teemane Local Municipality, in North West Province.

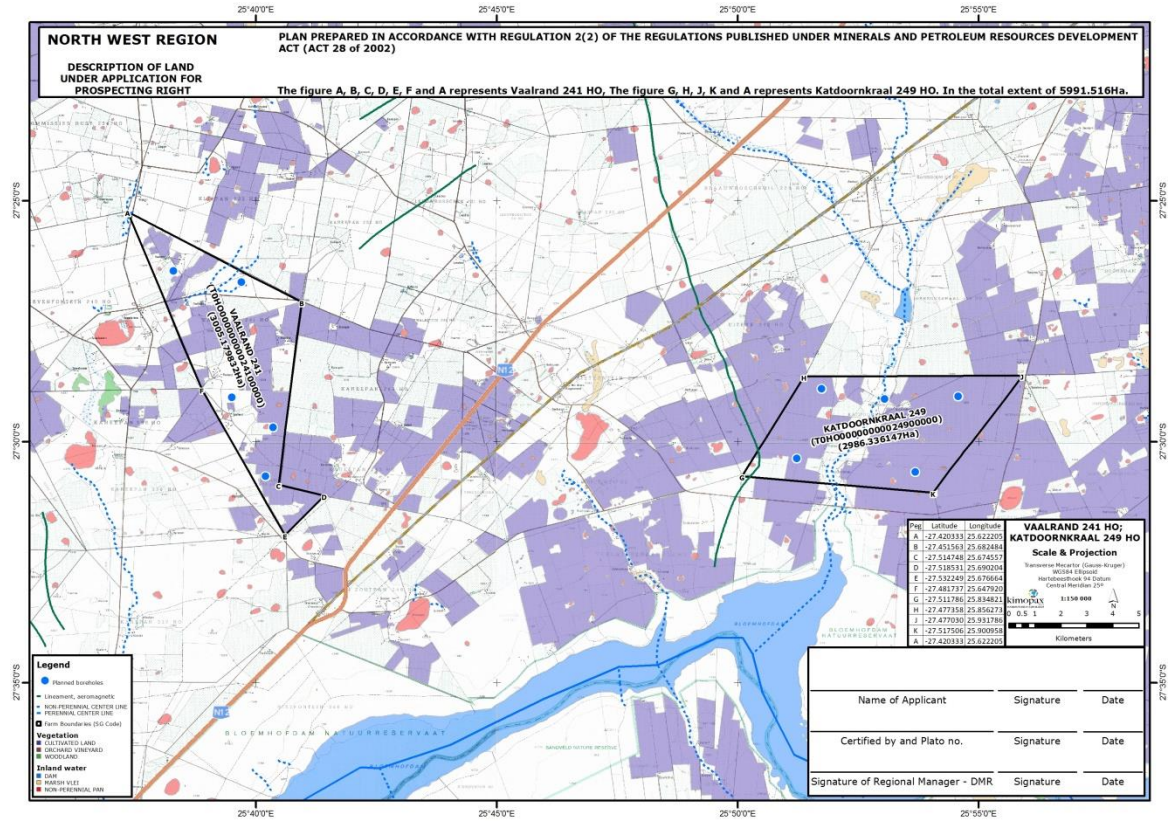


Figure 1: Locality Map

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The area for the Prospecting Right applied for is situated on Farms Vaalrand 241 HO and Katdoornkraal 249 HO within the magisterial district of Bloemhof, Lekwa-Teemane Local municipality, in North West Province. Kimopax Pty Ltd has been appointed by Kilolite Investments Pty Ltd as an independent environmental consultant to compile the Basic Assessment and Environmental Management Programme for the Prospecting Right Application and facilitate the PPP. The application includes prospecting activities for Diamond (Alluvial, Kimberlites General).

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS.

Public participation is an important legislated requirement of the mining right application process. The purpose of public consultation process is to enable land owners, lawful occupiers, directly affected individuals, and/or other interested and affected parties (I& APS) to raise any issues, concerns and or comments regarding the mining activities. A proof of consultation report will be developed and submitted to the Department of Mineral Resources (DMR). The proposed project requires Environmental Impact Assessment process. The assessment will be conducted in terms Section 16 of the Mineral and petroleum Resources Development Act, 28 of 2002 and the National Environmental Management Act.

Following step will be followed while conducting public participation.

- **Issuing of notification of this project to:**
 - Owners and occupiers of the farms as well as those adjacent to the site
 - Municipal Councilor
 - The municipality which has jurisdiction, and any organ of state having jurisdiction
- Placing an advert in a local newspaper
- Placing a notice on the site notice
- Meetings with landowners and key I&Aps, as required
- Public review of Draft Basic Assessment Report

PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT

Public involvement is an essential component of the process. It addresses the right of Interested and affected Parties (I&Aps) to be informed of the proposed activities.

All Interested and Affected parties (I&APS) are invited to submit their issues ,corner's and comments regarding the proposed Prospecting rights activities to Kimopax (Pty) Ltd via email, facsimile, registered post or telephonically. Form is made available below for you to fill in your personal details and comments, kindly do so and submit it back.

HOW TO OBTAIN FURTHER INFORMATION.

Registering as I&APs will ensure that you are placed on a data base to be informed of any progress regarding the project. You can do so by filling in the form below and return it to the relevant person listed below.

We encourage you to review the information presented to you in this Background Information Document (BID) and to register as and I&P for the attached respondent sheet and return it to us.

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I&AP Registration Form

I&AP Registration Form

Project Reference No.: NW 30/5/1/1/2/12037 PR

Name and Surname	
Physical Address	
Contact Details	Telephone No.: Fax No.: Cell No. : E-mail Address:
<i>Please indicate any issues, comments and concerns with regard to the proposed project</i>	
<i>Please indicate in which aspects you would require more information</i>	
<i>Please indicate any I&APs whom you think should be contacted</i>	
<p>In order to be registered as an I&AP for this project fax, mail, or e-mail the completed registration form to Mukondeleli Mphephu and Charles Chigurah at Telephone no: 011 312 9765; Fax: 011 312 9768</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Postal Address: P.O Box 4077, Halfway house, 1685; Email Address: mukondi@ugwa.co.za; Charles@ugwa.co.za</p>	