

**PROPOSED SPRINGBOK WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR SPRINGBOK,  
NORTHERN CAPE PROVINCE: APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT OF  
ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION (DEA REF NO: 12/12/20/1721).**

Addendum to Specialist Visual Impact Assessment, dated January 2017

**Specialist Visual Impact Assessment, 2014 and Addendum dated January 2017 refer.**

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KHLA was commissioned by Holland and Associates, Environmental Consultants, in November 2017, to undertake this short ADDENDUM study on behalf of the Applicant. This study has been based on the Terms of Reference, January 2017, and emailed information dated 07 November 2017 produced by Holland and Associates to support the application for amendment.

The Visual Impact Report dated January 2017 refers and it is noted that following concerns raised by the avifauna specialist, four of the proposed turbines should be reduced in height to mitigate potential fatalities, based on pre-construction flight data.

The turbines to be reduced in height are numbers 4, 8, 15, and 16; nrs 4 and 8 are in the 'south' group, 15 and 16 in the 'north group'. The turbine height would be reduced from 140m to 105m to ensure that the risks to avifauna are managed.

The proposed amendment would not result in an increased level, nature, or significance of the potential visual impact; there would be no change to the significance of the impact assessed in January 2017



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