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Dear Sir.

PROPOSED ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR THE OF THE FARM TOWNSHIP **ESTABLISHMENT** ON THE REMAINDER VANDERBIJLPARK 550 JQ AND A PART OF PORTION 12 OF THE FARM VYFFONTEIN 592 JQ, EMFULENI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

The above matter has reference.

This letter serves to inform you that this Department has approved the above Environmental Management Plan (EMP) compiled by Africa Geo-Environmental Services (Pty) Ltd, dated 14 July 2006, subject to the following conditions:

- 1. The appointed Environmental Control Officer (ECO) must ensure compliance with the EMP and the conditions of authorization. The name and contact details of the Environmental Control Officer (ECO) responsible for the monitoring of compliance to the EMP must be provided. The appointed ECO will be responsible for liaising with GDACE through submission of quarterly reports particularly during the construction phase and first year of operation of the development.
- 2. The appointed Environmental Control Officer (ECO) must ensure and oversee the fulfillment of the following responsibilities in terms of all the environmental aspects emanating from construction activities of the development:
 - a) Liaison with authorities
 - b) Liaison with contractors
 - c) Undertaking routine monitoring
- 3. Quarterly compliance reports to be submitted must report on compliance with the control and prevention plan included in table 3 of the EMP.
- 4. The proposed environmental rehabilitation measures must be effectively and efficiently implemented in accordance with the submitted EMP to this Department.

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Please further note that:

i. The EMP is binding on all managers and contractors working on site.

- ii. The EMP is considered as an extension of the Record of Decision (issued by this Department on the 12 April 2006) for the above-mentioned development. All recommendations contained in the Scoping Report must be considered as part of the EMP and must be made binding on all operators, contractors, labours and other users on site.
- iii. The EMP must be used as an on-site reference document during all phases of the development.
- iv. Auditing must take place on a monthly basis in order to determine compliance with the EMP.

The submission and this Department's approval of the above EMP were required as condition No. 1 (for every development a site specific Environmental Management Plan must be submitted and approved by this Department) of the Record of Decision dated 12 April 2006. You have thus complied with the preconstruction conditions of this authorisation and the construction of the proposed Masiza Township may therefore proceed as planned, subject to compliance with the conditions of the ROD and this letter.

Please contact this Department if you have any queries with regards to the contents of this letter.

Yours faithfully

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