# **COMMENTS AND RESPONSES REPORT**

SUPPORTING THE DRAFT APPLICATION TECHNICAL REPORT FOR THE PROPOSED SENWABARWANA SHOPPING COMPLEX, OFFICES AND FILLING STATION ON PORTION 6 OF THE FARM BORKUM NO 143 LS, SENWABARWANA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, LIMPOPO PROVINCE

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## **PREFACE**

Section 41 of Government Notice Regulation (GNR.) No. 982 in Government Gazette No. 38202 (04 December 2014) of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations, 2014, as amended, promulgated in terms of Section 24(5) and 44 of the of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No.107 of 1998), as amended [NEMA], comments from Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) should be recorded in reports and plans, and such written comments, including responses to such comments, are attached to the reports and plans that are submitted to the competent authorities [in this case, the Limpopo Economic Development Environment and Tourism (LEDET) and the Department of Water and Sanitation (DWS)].

This report constitutes the Comments and Responses Report (CRR) which captures the issues raised by stakeholders during the Environmental Authorisation (EA) and Water Use License (WUL) processes for the development of the Shopping complex, offices and filling station at Senwabarwana (formerly known as Bochum)

As part of the announcement, notification letters which append registration sheets are being sent to all identified I&APs. Two (2) site notices have been erected at places conspicuous to and accessible by the public along the proposed routes realignment and alterations One (1) newspaper advertisement will be placed in the Capricorn Voice Newspaper on Wednesday, **19 June 2019**. The notification documentation was sent/ published on 19 June 2019. Comments which will be received from stakeholders will be captured in the CRR as it is not a static document, but is however updated as and when comments are received. This report will be updated as application processes unfolds.

Table 1: Comments received on the review of the Draft Application Technical Report

COMMENT, ISSUES AND SUGGESTIONS RAISED BY STAKEHOLDERS	NAME AND ORGANISATION OF THE I&AP	RESPONSE	REPORT REFERENCE
How big is the proposed development? How old are the graves? If the graves have to be removed cos, they are old and no one knows anything about them, they can be removed	Mr. Ntsana Community Member	The proposed development is 8.2 ha in extend The graves look old, they could be older than most of us in the grave.	18 July 2019 During the public meeting
		The community is ecstatic about the proposed project as it will empower them and uplift their economic situation	