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Attention: Solomon Fataki

Dear Sir

## EIA/UNLISTED ACTIVITY: THE PROPOSED UPGRADING OF A PORTION OF MANTULI ROAD LOCATED IN WARD 8, NQUTHU LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

- 1. Your EIA Enquiry Form together with appended items dated 14 October 2016 regarding the abovementioned has reference.
- 2. This Department has studied the information provided in your correspondence and is of the opinion that the proposed project by Nquthu Local Municipality does not constitute an activity which is identified in terms of sections 24(2) and 24D of the National Environmental Management Act (Act 107 of 1998) (NEMA) and therefore does not require environmental authorization.
- The portion of Mantuli Road to be upgraded is located at the following coordinates: Start of road: 28° 14′ 16.19″ S; 30° 48′ 20.66″ E End of road: 28° 14′ 01.83″ S; 30° 48′ 53.22″ E
- 4. The developer is reminded of section 28 of NEMA and their duty regarding care and remediation of any environmental damage that may occur during the lifetime of the project.

Yours faithfully

for: Head of Department:

Department of Economic Development, Tourism & Environmental Affairs