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Dear Interested and/or Affected Party

ESTABLISHMENT OF A WIND ENERGY FACILITY SITUATED ON THE EASTERN PLATEAU (SOUTH) NEAR DE AAR, NORTHERN CAPE PROVINCE: PART 1 APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION: NOTIFICATION OF SUBMISSION OF FINAL AMENDMENT MOTIVATION REPORT AND UPDATED APPLICATION FORM FOR AMENDMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT

> DFFE REF No.: 12/12/20/2463/1/AM9) (DENC REF No. NC/BA/14/PIX/EMT/DEA5/2014)

Our correspondence of 2 December 2022 and 16 January 2023, refers.

The purpose of this letter is to inform registered Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) that the updated Application Form for Amendment of the Environmental Authorisation (EA) and Final Amendment Motivation Report for the De Aar 2 South Wind Energy Facility (WEF) were submitted to the Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment (DFFE) on 20 February 2023 for decision making, in terms of Part 1 of Chapter 5 of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations, 2014, as amended.

Kindy note that all comments submitted by I&APs during the I&AP comment period (for the draft Amendment Motivation Report) have been recorded and responded to in a "Comments and Response Trail Report (C&R)". The C&R Report was included in Annexure G6 of the Final Amendment Motivation Report that was submitted to DFFE for decision making. For your information, the Final Amendment Motivation Report, including the C&R Report, can be downloaded from the Holland & Associates Environmental Consultants website (www.hollandandassociates.net), for perusal.

Once the DFFE has issued their decision on the EA Amendment Application, all registered I&APs will be notified in writing of their decision.

Yours sincerely

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