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ENVIRONMENTAL

Project No: ERG2203

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ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION FOR THE PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF A PIPELINE FOR TREATED SEWERAGE WATER FROM THE RONDEBULT TREATMENT PLANT TO THE ELSBURG TAILINGS COMPLEX ON VARIOUS FARMS OF KLIPPOORTJIE 110 IR LEEUWPOORT 113 IR AND RONDEBULT 136 IR, EKURHULENI METROPOLITAN MUNICIPALITY
GDARD Ref No: GAUT002/14-15/0015

Dear Stakeholder,

The purpose of this letter is to notify you, as a registered Interested and Affected Party (I&AP), that the Gauteng Department of Agriculture and Rural Development (GDARD), granted environmental authorisation to Ergo Mining (Pty) Ltd, for the proposed construction of a pipeline for treated sewerage water from the Rondebult Treatment Plant to the Elsburg Tailings Complex. The Environmental Authorisation has been approved for the farms Klippoortjie 110 IR Leeuwpoort 113IR and Rondebult 136 IR; located within the Ekurhuleni Metropolitan Municipality.

You are advised that an appeal may be lodged against the MEC's decision in terms of Section 43 of the National Environmental Management Act, (Act 107 of 1998) (NEMA), read in conjunction with Chapter 7 of the EIA Regulations, GN R 543 of 18 June 2010.

Should a stakeholder intend to appeal, a notice of intention to appeal must be submitted within 20 days after the date of the decision (by 29 October 2014) to the MEC, the Gauteng Department of Agriculture and Rural Development by means of a fax by post, or by hand, as indicated below:

By Fax: (011) 240 3222

By Post: PO Box 8769 Johannesburg 2000;

By Hand: 11 Diagonal Street, Diamond Building, Newtown, Johannesburg

A copy of the authorisation letter can be obtained on request from Digby Wells Environmental, who is the independent Environmental Assessment Practitioner for the Basic Assessment undertaken in terms of NEMA.. Please refer to the contact details below.

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