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NEMA PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS - AVAILABILITY OF THE FINAL BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT -
PROPOSED LOW COST HOUSING DEVELOPMENTS, PORTION 18, FARM WITKOP 350, NOENIEPUT,
MIER MUNICIPALITY, NORTHERN CAPE
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURE CONSERVATION (D:ENC) REF NO: NC/BA/SIY/MIE/NOE/2012

Please note the Draft Basic Assessment Report for the above mentioned proposal (available for comment from **Friday 27 March 2015 to Friday 8 May 2015.**) has been updated to the Final Basic Assessment Report (FBAR) and will be submitted to the Department of Environment and Nature Conservation (Northern Cape) (DE&NC).

No comments were received during the Draft BAR commenting period. No substantial changes have been made to the draft Basic Assessment Report, except for a change of the preferred development layout and the updating of the public participation process section.

Your department has 21 days to comment on the Final BAR (as per DEA requirement). Should comments not be received within the prescribed timeframes, it would be assumed that no comments are forthcoming and DENC will continue to process the application in the absence of your department's comments. The commenting period closes on **09 October 2015**. If you would like a copy of the Final Basic Assessment Report, please feel free to contact the Environmental Consultant at the details below.

Comments are to be submitted to the:

Department of Environmental and Nature Conservation

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All comments are to be copied to the Environmental Assessment Practitioner – see details below:

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Should you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

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