

INTERESTED AND AFFECTED PARTY NOTIFICATION: ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION GRANTED FOR THE PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT AND OPERATION OF THE KROON'S HATCHERY ON PORTION 322 OF THE FARM HARTEBEESTFONTEIN 445 JQ, WITHIN THE MADIBENG LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, NORTH WEST PROVINCE

In terms of Regulation 4(2) of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations, 2014 as amended on 7 April 2017, as per the National Environmental Management Act (NEMA), 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998, as amended), the Holder of Authorisation instructed the Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) to notify all registered Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) within **14 days** of the North West Department of Economic Development, Environment, Conservation and Tourism (NWDEDECT) Decision to grant the Environmental Authorisation.

This correspondence represents the formal notification of I&APs of the Environmental Authorisation (EA) that was granted.

PROJECT REFERENCE: NWP/EIA/50/2019

HOLDER OF AUTHORISATION: Kroon Familie Trust

DATE OF ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION ISSUED: 9 March 2020

Environmental Authorisation was granted to Kroon Familie Trust for the development and operation of the Kroon's hatchery on Portion 322 of the Farm Hartebeestfontein 445 JQ, Madibeng Local Municipality, North West Province.

The approved activities as listed in the applicable regulations associated with the proposed development and operation of the hatchery are: Activities 5(iv), 8, 27 and 28(ii) of Listing Notice 1 (GNR 327) and Activities 12(h)(iv) and 18(h)(ii)(v) of Listing Notice 3 (GNR 324) of the 2014 Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations, as amended, promulgated in terms of Sections 24(2)(a) of the National Environmental Management Act (NEMA), 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998, as amended).

Kindly note the Department's reasons for the decision are set out in Annexure 1 of the Environmental Authorisation attached hereto.

Your attention is drawn to Chapter 2 of the National Appeal Regulations, 2014 which regulates the appeal process. Should you wish to appeal any aspect of the Decision, you must, *inter alia*, lodge an Appeal with the Member of the Executive Council (MEC), within **20 (twenty) days** from **16 March 2020**, by means of the following methods:

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