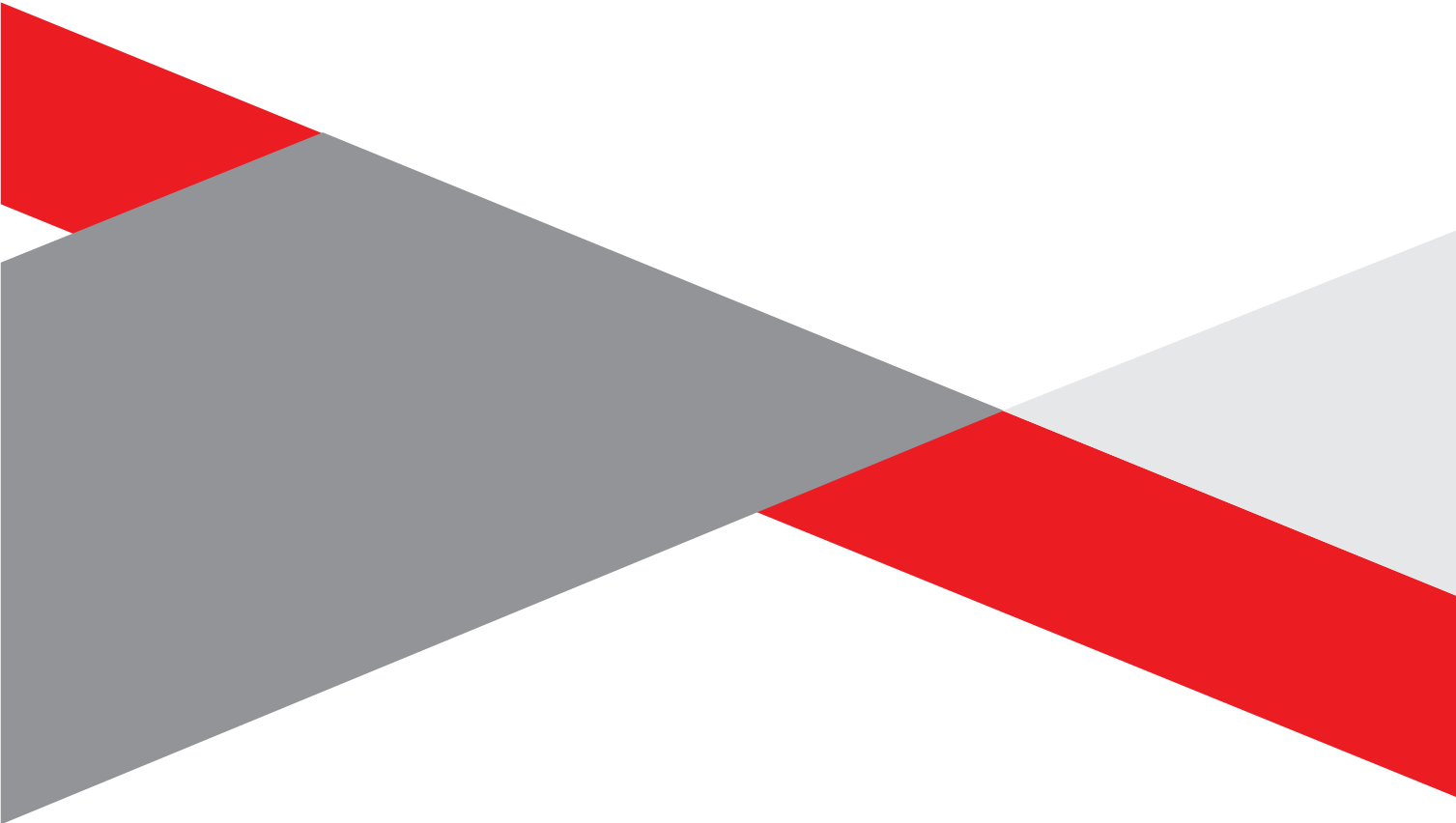


**APPENDIX C4**  
**CORRESPONDENCE – ORGANESE OF STATE**



ANNOUNCEMENT OF BASIC ASSESSMENT AND  
PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESSES

## Nicolene Venter

---

**From:** Savannah Environmental Public Process <publicprocess@savannahsa.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 21 June 2023 18:13  
**To:** Francois Strydom  
**Cc:** Nicolene Venter  
**Subject:** SE3654: FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY AND FE TANGO WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Processes  
**Attachments:** SE3654\_Kudu&Tango\_WEF\_BA\_Notification-FINAL.pdf; SE3654\_Kudu&Tango\_PVs\_Background\_Information\_Document.pdf; SE3654\_Kudu&Tango\_FVs\_Agtergrond\_Inligtings\_Dokument.pdf; SE3654\_Kudu&Tango\_PVs-Reg&Commment\_Form.pdf; SE3654\_Kudu&Tango\_PVs-Reg&Kommentaarvorm.pdf

**BASIC ASSESSMENTS FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY AND THE FE TANGO WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE  
(DFFE Reference Nos.: To be Issued)**

Dear Stakeholder and Interested & Affected Party,

The development of two separate wind energy facilities and associated infrastructure are proposed on sites located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The two wind farms are located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and are to be known as the FE Tango Wind Energy Facility and FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility. The projects are to be located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

The projects will aid in the diversification and stabilisation of the country's electricity supply, with the proposed wind energy facilities set to inject over 800MW into the national grid. Each wind energy facility will connect to the grid via a grid connection solution which will be subject to a separate application of Environmental Authorisation.

Please find attached the following documents for your perusal:

- Invitation letter to participate in the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Process for these two (2) Wind Energy Facilities.
- Background Information Document which will provide you with additional technical information regarding the proposed developments (ook beskikbaar in Afrikaans).
- Registration and Comment Form (ook beskikbaar in Afrikaans).

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require any additional information at this stage.

Kind regards,

[Unsubscribe this type of email](#)



t: 011 656 3237  
f: 086 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**  
Public Process

e: publicprocess@savannahsa.com  
c: +27 (0) 60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

21 June 2023

Dear Stakeholder and Interested & Affected Party,

## FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY AND FE TANGO WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

---

### NOTICE OF BASIC ASSESSMENT AND PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS

---

The development of two separate wind energy facilities and associated infrastructure are proposed on sites located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The two wind farms are located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and are to be known as the FE Tango Wind Energy Facility and FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility. The projects are to be located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality. The details of the projects are as follows:

Project Name	FE Tango Wind Energy Facility	FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility
Location	Portion 1 of Farm Klipstavel 72	Portion 2 of Farm Oorlogspoort 85
Applicant	FE Tango (Pty) Ltd	FE Kudu (Pty) Ltd
Contracted capacity	Up to 240MW	Up to 625MW
Number of turbines	~ 25 turbines	~ 80 turbines

The projects will aid in the diversification and stabilisation of the country's electricity supply, with the proposed wind energy facilities set to inject over 800MW into the national grid. Each wind energy facility will connect to the grid via a grid connection solution which will be subject to a separate application of Environmental Authorisation.

The infrastructure associated with each wind energy facility will include:

- » Wind turbines, turbine foundations and turbine hardstands
- » An on-site substation hub incorporating:
  - A132/33kV On-site substation
  - Switchyard with collector infrastructure
  - Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)

- » A balance of plant area incorporating:
  - Temporary laydown areas
  - A construction camp laydown and temporary concrete batching plant
  - Operation and Maintenance buildings
- » Cabling between the turbines, to be laid underground where practical.
- » Access roads to the site and between project components with a width up to 10m for primary access routes.

## **BASIC ASSESSMENT PROCESS**

In accordance with the EIA Regulations, 2014 (as amended) published in terms of the National Environmental Management Act (No 107 of 1998) (NEMA), the applicants will require environmental authorisation for the undertaking of the projects. In terms of Section 24(5) of NEMA, the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, (GNR 326), GNR 114 and Listing Notices (GNR 327, GNR 325, and GNR 324), as well as GNR 114 (the site is located within the Beaufort West REDZ), the two applications are subject to the completion of a Basic Assessment (BA) process based on the location of the project sites within a REDZ. Each application is required to be supported by comprehensive, independent environmental studies undertaken in accordance with the EIA Regulations, 2014 (as amended) and other relevant protocols and guidelines.

A Basic Assessment is an effective planning and decision-making tool. It allows for potential environmental consequences resulting from a proposed activity to be identified and appropriately managed during the construction, operation, and decommissioning phases of development. It also provides an opportunity for the project applicant to be forewarned of potential environmental issues and allows for the resolution of issue(s) identified and reported on as part of the BA process, as well as provides opportunity for dialogue with key stakeholders and Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs).

Savannah Environmental has been appointed as the independent environmental consultant responsible for managing the separate applications for EA and undertaking the supporting BA process required to identify and assess potential environmental impacts associated with each project, as well as propose appropriate mitigation and management measures to be contained within the Environmental Management Programmes (EMPrs). I&APs will be actively involved in the BA processes through the public participation process.

You and/or the organization / company, which you represent, have been identified as a stakeholder for the proposed projects as described above. The nature and extent of the wind energy facilities and the associated infrastructure are explored in more detail in the Background Information Document (BID) which is attached to this letter and is also available for download from the Savannah Environmental public participation platform on <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/>.

## **PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT PROCESS**

The public participation (PP) process will be undertaken in accordance with the requirements of Regulations 39 to 44 of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations, 2014, as amended, (GNR 326). The aim of the public participation process is primarily to ensure that:

- » information containing all relevant facts in respect of the proposed projects is made available to potential stakeholders and I&APs
- » participation by I&APs is facilitated in such a manner that all potential stakeholders and I&APs are provided with a reasonable opportunity to comment on the proposed projects; and
- » comments received from potential stakeholders and I&APs are recorded and incorporated into the BA process.

Savannah Environmental have established an online stakeholder engagement platform, where you are invited to register your interest in the project, and view project documentation. Please visit our website (link provided above).

Where I&APs do not have the applicable facilities or access to internet, alternative means for consultation and to facilitate comment on the projects will be made through the Ward Councilor and/or Ward Committee Members. I&APs are also able to make contact via the "Please call me" functionality available on our public participation mobile phone (060 978 8396).

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the projects. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the processes.

Kind regards



**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social Consultant

[Email: publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)

**Attached:** Background Information Document  
Registration and Comment Form

[Print](#)

# SE3654: FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY AND FE TANGO WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Processes (POE)

Date:  
Wednesday,  
21 June 2023  
Time: 18:16

Company	Last Name	First Name	
	Haywood	Chris	
	Van der Merwe	Roelof	
Agri Eastern Cape	Barkhuizen	Natasja	
Agri Eastern Cape	Martiz	Megan	
Agri Eastern Cape	McNamara	Brent	
Agri Eastern Cape	Pretorius	Gunther	
AgriSA	Rabie	Janse	
Air Traffic and Navigation Services (ATNS)	Masilela	Simphiwe	
Air Traffic and Navigation Services (ATNS)	Van Schalkwyk	Johan	
BirdLife South Africa	Ralston-Paton	Samantha	
CapeNature	Duffell-Canham	Alana	
Cell C	Everett	Roger	
Cell C	Joubert	Brian	
Cell C	Kasseepursad	Harish	
Cell C	Otto	Marius	
Central Karoo Black Business Development Forum	Van Wyk	Basie	
Commission on Restitution of Land Rights	Pityi	Zukile	
DC Smit Trust	Smit	JP	
Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment	Lekota	Seoka	
Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment	Nethononda	Thivhulawi	
Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment	Nkosi	Nyiko	
Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment	Rabothata	Mmatlala	
Department of Mineral Resources and Energy	Kubheka	Vusi	
Department of Mineral Resources and Energy	Nieuwoudt	Jasper	
Department of Mineral Resources and Energy	Thomson	Deidre	
Department of Water and Sanitation	Ackerman	Pieter	
Department of Water and Sanitation	Botha	Rens	
Department of Water and Sanitation: Eastern Cape	Makhanya	Portia	
Department of Water and Sanitation: Eastern Cape	Tshatshu	Portrait	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Arends	Benjamin	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Bezuidenhoudt	Daniel	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Fouche	Leonie	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Frazenburg	Yvonne	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Hermanus	Gwynynne	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Hoffman	Laughton	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Jacobs	Nathan	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Koeberg	Ntombizanele	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Loock	Ewald	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	MM Dr Beyers Info		
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Rankwana	EM	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Smith	Ricardo	

Dr Beyers Naudé Local Municipality	Camngca	Ndumiso	
Dr Beyers Naudé Local Municipality	Felix	Cheslin	
Dr Beyers Naudé Local Municipality	Ruiters	Eldrige	
Dr Beyers Naudé Local Municipality	Safers	W	
EarthLife Africa	Mokhine	Mabule	
Eastern Cape Development Corporation	Haschick	Rory	
EC - Khoi Council	Maarman	Johannes	
EC - SA San Council	Douw	Poetie	
EC Cooperative Governance & Traditional Affairs	Fani	Andile	
EC Cooperative Governance & Traditional Affairs	Hani	TM	
EC Cooperative Governance & Traditional Affairs	Jamjam	Nozibele	
EC Cooperative Governance & Traditional Affairs	Nkantsu	Mzwethemba	
EC Cooperative Governance & Traditional Affairs	Nqata	XE	
EC Department of Agriculture	Ngada	Lumkile	
EC Department of Agriculture	Pityi	Z	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	De Villiers	Div	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Els	Leon	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Gabula	Sizakele	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Govender	Dayalan	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Gqalangile	Siyabonga	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Gyan	Cecilia	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Makosonke	Mncedisi	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Mardon	Lyndon	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	McMaster	Alistair	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Mhlaba	Andiswa	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Monyonga	Ncumisa	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Pienaar	Garry	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Southwood	Alan	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Stegmann	Robert	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Struwig	Andries	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Swepu	Xola	
EC Department of Public Works & Infrastructure	Manda	Thandolwethu	
EC Department of Public Works & Infrastructure	McLachlan	Craig	
EC Department of Rural Development and Agrarian Reform	Boqwana	Cheryl	
EC Department of Rural Development and Agrarian Reform	Kholekile	Sonjica	
EC Department of Rural Development and Agrarian Reform	Matsheketwa	Yvonne	
EC Department of Rural Development and Agrarian Reform	Nyakana	Them bani	
EC Department of Rural Development and Agrarian Reform	Thomas	Glen	
EC Department of Rural Development and Agrarian Reform	Xotyeni	Tanuxolo	
EC Dept of Economic Development, Environment & Tourism	Pamla	Avela	
EC Parks & Tourism Agency	Erlank	Wayne	
EC Parks & Tourism Agency	Gertze	Shane	
EC Parks & Tourism Agency	Sontsele	Asanda	
EC Provincial Heritage Resources Authority	Lingile	Thandoxola	



EC Provincial Heritage Resources Authority	Maxongo	Africa	
EC Provincial Heritage Resources Authority	Mokhanya	Sello	
EC Provincial Heritage Resources Authority	Zote	ML	
Endangered Wildlife Trust	Gibbons	Bradley	
Endangered Wildlife Trust	Hoogstad	Constant	
EnviroAgri	Pretorius	Dirk	
Eskom Aberdeen Wind Farm	Blou	Isaac	
Eskom Aberdeen Wind Farm	Skinner	Tom	
Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd	Geeringh	John	
Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd	Hector	Ambrose	
Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd	Mosima	Annah	
Independent Communications Authority of South Africa (ICASA)	Lewis	Charley	
Independent Communications Authority of South Africa (ICASA)	Ruplal	Praneel	
Independent Ratepayers Association of South Africa	Kleinhans	Tania	
Karoo Plan Town & Regional Planners	Terblanche	Etienne	
Max Kroon CC	McNaughton	Philip	
MTN	Administrator		
Mvelaphande Trading	Gabaitumele	Mantwa	
Mvelaphande Trading	Martins	Mothobi	
Mvelaphande Trading	Schutte	Gert	
National Department of Agriculture	Collett	Anneliza	
SANParks: National	Cheney	Chad	
SANParks: National	Howard	Esther	
SANParks: National	Maze	Kristal	
SANParks: National	Slayen	Mike	
SANRAL	Botha	Victoria	
SANRAL	Makoa	Mpati	
SANRAL	Songxaba	Nenekazi	
SANRAL Eastern Cape	Mboniswa	Amanda	
SANRAL Eastern Cape	Mgadi	Unathi	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Bender	Clarissa	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Bendle	Michael	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Daniels	Unati	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	De Vos	Deon	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Kekana	Juzwa	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Kekana	Khunjuzwa	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Magxwalisa	Duma	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Mkhatswa	S	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Njadayi	Nzimkhulu	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Peterson	Natasha	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Pillay	Ted	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Somi	Zoleka	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Tom	Siphokazi	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Trichardt	Francois	
Sentech Ltd	Finnis	Marlon	
Sentech Ltd	Koegelenberg	Johan	
Sentech Ltd	Mannel	Zane	
Sentech Ltd	Motlhake	Serame	
Sentech Ltd	Venter	Marius	
South African Bat Assessment Association	Lotter	Caroline	
South African Bat Assessment Association	MacEwan	Kate	
South African Bat Assessment Association	Richardson	Eleanor	
South African Bat Assessment Association	Richardson	Kate	
South African Civil Aviation Authority (CAA)	Stroh	Lizelle	
South African Civil Aviation Authority (CAA)	Vilakazi	Zwelithini	
South African National Defense Force	Kenny	JR	
South African National Defense Force	Strydom	Francois	

South African National Defense Force	Zondi	Lt. Col. Kebasenosi	
South African Radio Astronomy Observatory (SARAO)	Nape	Thato	
South African Radio Astronomy Observatory (SARAO)	Sithole	Busang	
South African Radio Astronomy Observatory (SARAO)	Tiplady	Adrian	
South African San Institute	Schippers	Meryl-Joy	
South African Weather Services	Jardine	Rydall	
South African Weather Services	Petlane	Bernard	
Telkom SOC Limited	Bester	Amanda	
Telkom SOC Limited	Macaskill	Roy	
Telkom SOC Limited	Schutte	Chris	
The Green Connection	Arkert	Jan	
The Green Connection	Arkert	Linda	
The Green Connection	Van Rooy	Neville	
Transnet SOC Limited	Fakude	Thulani	
Transnet SOC Limited	Keswa	Vuyo	
Transnet SOC Limited	Yende	Sphumelele	
Transvaal Agricultural Union SA (TLU SA)	Botha	Drickus	
Transvaal Agricultural Union SA (TLU SA)	Du Plessis	Danie	
Transvaal Agricultural Union SA (TLU SA)	Du Plessis	DJ	
Transvaal Agricultural Union SA (TLU SA)	Helm	Erika	
Transvaal Agricultural Union SA (TLU SA)	Raath	Jannie	
Transvaal Agricultural Union SA (TLU SA)	Uys	Neels	
Transvaal Agricultural Union SA (TLU SA)	Van Zyl	Bennie	
Transvaal Agricultural Union SA (TLU SA)	Vermaak	Steve	
Vodacom	Adraanse	Junior	
Vodacom	Barnard	Hennie	
Vodacom	Barnes	Craig	
Vodacom	Fourie	Nico	
Vodacom	Geldenuys	Christien	
Vodacom	Human	Wessel	
Vodacom	Naude	Ono	
Vodacom	Theron	Johan	
Vodacom	Tobi	Joseph	
Vodacom tower Company (Pty) Ltd	Mvuxi	Fufu	
WESSA Eastern Cape	Gon	Jenny	
Wildlife Ranching South Africa	York	Richard	

Totals:

---

NOTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF BASIC  
ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

## Nicolene Venter

---

**From:** Savannah Environmental Public Process <publicprocess@savannahsa.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 04 October 2023 16:25  
**To:** Francois Strydom  
**Cc:** Nicolene Venter  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)  
**Attachments:** SE3654\_Kudu\_BAR\_Notification-FINAL.pdf

### **BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE (DFFE Reference No.: TBC)**

Dear Stakeholder and Interested & Affected Party,

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

Our letter and e-mail dated 21 June 2023 in which you were informed of the commencement of the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Process, has reference.

Please find attached the notification letter providing information regarding the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and the availability of the BA Report for review and comment.

#### **AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT**

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform you and/your Department/Organisation that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023 to 03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website: [CLICK HERE](#).

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards,

[Unsubscribe this type of email](#)



t: 011 656 3237  
f: 086 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**  
Public Process

e: publicprocess@savannahsa.com  
c: +27 (0) 60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

04 October 2023

Dear Stakeholder and Interested & Affected Party,

## FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

### NOTIFICATION OF BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND AVAILABILITY FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality. The details of the project are as follows:

<b>Project Name</b>	FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility
<b>Location</b>	Portion 2 of Farm Oorlogspoort 85
<b>Applicant</b>	FE Kudu (Pty) Ltd
<b>Contracted capacity</b>	Up to 600MW
<b>Number of turbines</b>	Up to 80 wind turbines

The infrastructure associated with the wind energy facility will include:

- » Up to 80 wind turbines, turbine foundations and turbine hardstands
- » An on-site substation hub incorporating:
  - A 132kV on-site facility substation
  - Switchyard with collector infrastructure
  - Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)
  - Operation and Maintenance buildings
- » A balance of plant area incorporating:
  - Temporary laydown areas
  - A construction camp laydown and temporary concrete batching plant
- » Power lines internal to the wind farm, trenched and located adjacent to internal access roads, where feasible<sup>1</sup>.
- » Access roads to the site and between project components with a width up to 8m for primary access routes.

<sup>1</sup> The intention is for internal project cabling to follow the internal roads.

## AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform you and/your Department/Organisation that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website: <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>. An electronic copy of the BA Report can also be made available via file transfer services such as WeTransfer or Dropbox upon request. The due date for written comment is **03 November 2023**.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards



**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social Consultant

Email: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)

[Print](#)

# FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654) (POE)

Date:  
Wednesday,  
04 October  
2023  
Time: 16:34

Company	Last Name	First Name	
	Hayward	Chris	
	Hayward	John	
	Marx	Heinrich	
	Petterson	Warren	
	Van der Merwe	Izak	
	Van der Merwe	Roelof	
African Clean Energy Development (ACED)	Rameetse	Kholofelo	
African Clean Energy Developments (ACED)	De Vos	Steyn	
AgriSA	Grobler	Japie	
AgriSA	Rabie	Janse	
AgriSA Eastern Cape	Barkhuizen	Natasja	
AgriSA Eastern Cape	Martiz	Megan	
AgriSA Eastern Cape	Mathews	Sharlene	
AgriSA Eastern Cape	Matthews	Sharlene	
AgriSA Eastern Cape	McNamara	Brent	
AgriSA Eastern Cape	Pretorius	Gunther	
Air Traffic and Navigation Services (ATNS)	Masilela	Simphiwe	
Air Traffic and Navigation Services (ATNS)	Morobane	Johanna	
Air Traffic and Navigation Services (ATNS)	Van Schalkwyk	Johan	
Atlantic Renewable Energy Partners (Pty) Ltd	Hill	Amy	
BirdLife South Africa	AhShene	Carolyn	
BirdLife South Africa	Ralston-Paton	Samantha	
CapeNature	Duffell-Canham	Alana	
Cell C	Everett	Roger	
Cell C	Joubert	Brian	
Cell C	Kasseepursad	Harish	
Cell C	Otto	Marius	
Central Karoo Black Business Development Forum	Van Wyk	Basie	
Commission on Restitution of Land Rights	Pityi	Zukile	
DC Smit Trust	Smit	JP	
Department of Agriculture, Land Reform and Rural Development	Land Claims		
Department of Agriculture, Land Reform and Rural Development	Ntlokwana	Mpume	
Department of Agriculture: National	Buys	JH	
Department of Communications & Digital Technologies	Jordan-Dyani	Nonquebela	
Department of Communications & Digital Technologies	Nevhutshena	Rudzani	
Department of Communications & Digital Technologies	Pillay	Pari	
Department of Communications & Digital Technologies	Ramokopelwa	Charles	
Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment	Buys	Hettie	
Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment	Lekota	Seoka	
Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment	Marubini	Mashudu	
Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment	Nethononda	Thivhulawi	
Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment	Nkosi	Nyiko	

Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment	Rabothata	Mmatlala	
Department of Mineral Resources and Energy	Barnard	Wolsey Otto	
Department of Mineral Resources and Energy	Kubheka	Vusi	
Department of Mineral Resources and Energy	Masipa	Pheladi	
Department of Mineral Resources and Energy	Nieuwoudt	Jasper	
Department of Mineral Resources and Energy	Thomson	Deidre	
Department of Rural Development and Land Reform	Masemola	Samuel	
Department of Water and Sanitation	Ackerman	Pieter	
Department of Water and Sanitation	Botha	Rens	
Department of Water and Sanitation	Jona	Avukonke	
Department of Water and Sanitation	Starkey	A	
Department of Water and Sanitation: Eastern Cape	Visagie	Hammond	
Department of Water and Sanitation: Eastern Cape	Makhanya	Portia	
Department of Water and Sanitation: Eastern Cape	Tshatshu	Portrait	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Arends	Benjamin	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Bezuidenhoudt	Daniel	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Fouche	Leonie	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Fourie	Helen	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Frazenburg	Yvonne	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Hermanus	Gewynne	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Hoffman	Laughton	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Jacobs	Nathan	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Koeberg	Ntombizanele	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Looock	Ewald	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Rankwana	EM	
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality	Smith	Ricardo	
Dr Beyers Naudé Local Municipality	Camngca	Ndumiso	
Dr Beyers Naudé Local Municipality	Felix	Cheslin	
Dr Beyers Naudé Local Municipality	Langbooi	Sonwabo	
Dr Beyers Naudé Local Municipality	Ruiters	Eldrige	
Dr Beyers Naudé Local Municipality	Safers	W	
EarthLife Africa	Mokhine	Mabule	
Eastern Cape Development Corporation	Haschick	Rory	
Eastern Cape Provincial Heritage Resources Authority: Heritage Officer	Mokhanya	Sello	
EC - Khoi Council	Maarman	Johannes	
EC - SA San Council	Douw	Poetie	
EC Cooperative Governance & Traditional Affairs	Fani	Andile	
EC Cooperative Governance & Traditional Affairs	Hani	TM	
EC Cooperative Governance & Traditional Affairs	Jamjam	Nozibele	
EC Cooperative Governance & Traditional Affairs	Nkantsu	Mzwethemba	
EC Cooperative Governance & Traditional Affairs	Nqata	XE	
EC Department of Agriculture	Ngada	Lumkile	
EC Department of Agriculture	Pityi	Z	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	De Villiers	Div	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Els	Leon	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Gabula	Sizakele	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Govender	Dayalan	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Gqalangile	Siyabonga	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Gyan	Cecilia	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Makosonke	Mncedisi	



EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Mardon	Lyndon	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	McMaster	Alistair	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Mhlaba	Andiswa	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Monyonga	Ncumisa	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Mzazi	Phumla	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Pienaar	Garry	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Somdaka	Khuthala	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Southwood	Alan	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Stegmann	Robert	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Struwig	Andries	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Swepu	Xola	
EC Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism	Tyali	Thembinkosi	
EC Department of Public Works & Infrastructure	De Villiers	Marie	
EC Department of Public Works & Infrastructure	Manda	Thandolwethu	
EC Department of Public Works & Infrastructure	McLachlan	Craig	
EC Department of Public Works & Infrastructure	Tele	Unathi	
EC Department of Rural Development and Agrarian Reform	Boqwana	Cheryl	
EC Department of Rural Development and Agrarian Reform	Kholekile	Sonjica	
EC Department of Rural Development and Agrarian Reform	Matsheketwa	Yvonne	
EC Department of Rural Development and Agrarian Reform	Ndudane	Sophokazi	
EC Department of Rural Development and Agrarian Reform	Nyakana	Thembani	
EC Department of Rural Development and Agrarian Reform	Thomas	Glen	
EC Department of Rural Development and Agrarian Reform	Xotyeni	Tanuxolo	
EC Dept Economic Development, Environmental Affairs & Tourism	Bulumko		
EC Dept Economic Development, Environmental Affairs & Tourism	Majogile	Angie	
EC Dept of Economic Development, Environment & Tourism	Pamla	Avela	
EC Dept. of Roads and Transport: District Roads Engineer	Moore	Randall	
EC Parks & Tourism Agency	Erlank	Wayne	
EC Parks & Tourism Agency	Gertze	Shane	
EC Parks & Tourism Agency	Jilimane	Londeka	
EC Parks & Tourism Agency	Koali-Lebona	Malaika	
EC Parks & Tourism Agency	Mpolweni	Irene	
EC Parks & Tourism Agency	Sontsele	Asanda	
EC Provincial Heritage Resources Agent	Mncwabe-Mama	Ayanda	
EC Provincial Heritage Resources Authority	Lingile	Thandoxola	
EC Provincial Heritage Resources Authority	Maxongo	Africa	
EC Provincial Heritage Resources Authority	Mokhanya	Sello	
EC Provincial Heritage Resources Authority	Zote	ML	
Endangered Wildlife Trust	Gibbons	Bradley	
Endangered Wildlife Trust	Hoogstad	Constant	
Endangered Wildlife Trust	Little	Ian	
Endangered Wildlife Trust	Tate	Gareth	
EnviroAgri	Pretorius	Dirk	
Eskom Aberdeen Wind Farm	Blou	Isaac	
Eskom Aberdeen Wind Farm	Skinner	Tom	
Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd	Geeringh	John	
Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd	Hector	Ambrose	
Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd	Mosima	Annah	

Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd: Eastern Cape (Dx)	Songcaka	Xolisa	
Independent Communications Authority of South Africa (ICASA)	Lewis	Charley	
Independent Communications Authority of South Africa (ICASA)	Ruplal	Praneel	
Independent Ratepayers Association of South Africa	Kleinhans	Tania	
JC Gouws Familie Trust	Gouws	Hannes	
JC Gouws Familie Trust	Gouws	JC	
Karoo Plan Town & Regional Planners	Terblanche	Etienne	
Karoo Secrets Guest House	Administrator		
Max Kroon CC	McNaughton	Philip	
MTN	Administrator		
MTN	Bouwer	Marius	
MTN	Durrheim	Kelvin	
MTN	Harmse	Johann	
MTN	Meyer	Denzil	
MTN	Myburgh	Carel	
Mvelaphande Trading	Gabaitumele	Mantwa	
Mvelaphande Trading	Martins	Mothobi	
Mvelaphande Trading	Schutte	Gert	
National Department of Agriculture	Collett	Anneliza	
National Energy Regulator of South Africa (NERSA)	Gxasheka	Andile	
National Energy Regulator of South Africa (NERSA)	Hlebela	Charles	
National Energy Regulator of South Africa (NERSA)	Hore	Tamai	
National Energy Regulator of South Africa (NERSA)	Khumalo	Siphiwe	
SANParks: Addo Elephant National Park	Adendorff	John	
SANParks: National	Alant	Maretha	
SANParks: National	Cheney	Chad	
SANParks: National	Funda	Nicholus	
SANParks: National	Howard	Esther	
SANParks: National	Maze	Kristal	
SANParks: National	Slayen	Mike	
SANParks: National	Theart	Marthan	
SANParks: National	van der Westhuizen	Marne	
SANRAL	Abrahams	Nicole	
SANRAL	Barkhuizen	Ria	
SANRAL	Botha	Victoria	
SANRAL	Makoa	Mpati	
SANRAL	Oliver	Jan	
SANRAL	Songxaba	Nenekazi	
SANRAL	Tsolekile-Njingana	Chumisa	
SANRAL	Yorke-Hart	Michael	
SANRAL Eastern Cape	Mboniswa	Amanda	
SANRAL Eastern Cape	Mgadi	Unathi	
SANRAL Eastern Region (Eastern Cape)	Sewnarain	Logashri	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Bender	Clarissa	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Bendle	Michael	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Daniels	Unati	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	De Vos	Deon	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Kekana	Juzwa	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Kekana	Khunjuzwa	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Magxwalisa	Duma	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Mkhatswa	S	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Njadayi	Nzimkhulu	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Peterson	Natasha	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Pillay	Ted	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Somi	Zoleka	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Tom	Siphokazi	
Sarah Baartman District Municipality	Trichardt	Francois	
Sarelsrivier Trust	Van Schalkwyk	Dirk	

Sentech Ltd	Finnis	Marlon	
Sentech Ltd	Koegelenberg	Johan	
Sentech Ltd	Mannel	Zane	
Sentech Ltd	Mothake	Serame	
Sentech Ltd	Venter	Marius	
South African Bat Assessment Association	Lotter	Caroline	
South African Bat Assessment Association	MacEwan	Kate	
South African Bat Assessment Association	Richardson	Eleanor	
South African Bat Assessment Association	Richardson	Kate	
South African Civil Aviation Authority (CAA)	Stroh	Lizelle	
South African Civil Aviation Authority (CAA)	Vilakazi	Zwelithini	
South African Heritage Resources Agency	Higgitt	Natasha	
South African National Defense Force	Kenny	JR	
South African National Defense Force	Strydom	Francois	
South African National Defense Force	Zondi	Lt. Col. Kebasenosi	
South African Radio Astronomy Observatory (SARAO)	Matlhane	Selaelo	
South African Radio Astronomy Observatory (SARAO)	Nape	Thato	
South African Radio Astronomy Observatory (SARAO)	Sithole	Busang	
South African Radio Astronomy Observatory (SARAO)	Tiplady	Adrian	
South African San Institute	Schippers	Meryl-Joy	
South African Weather Services (SAWS)	Jardine	Rydall	
South African Weather Services (SAWS)	Petlane	Bernard	
Telkom SOC Limited	Bester	Amanda	
Telkom SOC Limited	Macaskill	Roy	
Telkom SOC Limited	Schutte	Chris	
Telkom SOC Limited	Shaw	Leonard	
The Green Connection	Arkert	Jan	
The Green Connection	Arkert	Linda	
The Green Connection	Van Rooy	Neville	
TLU SA	Gibbon	Retha	
Transnet Properties: Johannesburg	Matshediso	Dingaen	
Transnet SOC Limited	Abrahams	Anel	
Transnet SOC Limited	Fakude	Thulani	
Transnet SOC Limited	Keswa	Vuyo	
Transnet SOC Limited	Selwane	Philisiwe	
Transnet SOC Limited	Yende	Sphumelele	
Transvaal Agricultural Union SA (TLU SA)	Botha	Drickus	
Transvaal Agricultural Union SA (TLU SA)	Du Plessis	Danie	
Transvaal Agricultural Union SA (TLU SA)	Du Plessis	DJ	
Transvaal Agricultural Union SA (TLU SA)	Helm	Erika	
Transvaal Agricultural Union SA (TLU SA)	Pretorius	Hugo	
Transvaal Agricultural Union SA (TLU SA)	Raath	Jannie	
Transvaal Agricultural Union SA (TLU SA)	Uys	Neels	
Transvaal Agricultural Union SA (TLU SA)	Van Zyl	Bennie	
Transvaal Agricultural Union SA (TLU SA)	Vermaak	Steve	
Vodacom	Adraanse	Junior	
Vodacom	Barnard	Hennie	
Vodacom	Barnes	Craig	
Vodacom	Fourie	Nico	
Vodacom	Geldenhuys	Christien	
Vodacom	Human	Wessel	
Vodacom	Naude	Ono	
Vodacom	Theron	Johan	
Vodacom	Tobi	Joseph	
Vodacom tower Company (Pty) Ltd	Muller	Willem	
Vodacom tower Company (Pty) Ltd	Mvuxi	Fufu	
WESSA Eastern Cape	Gon	Jenny	

WESSA: National	Griffiths	Morgan	
Wildlife Ranching South Africa	York	Richard	

Totals:

---

## Savannah Public Process

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 04 October 2023 17:18  
**To:** simphiwem@atns.co.za  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - .kmz File (SE3654)  
**Attachments:** Kudu Project Site.kmz

Dear Mr Masilela,

Please find attached the .kmz file for ease of reference.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

### Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2023 4:29 PM  
**To:** simphiwem@atns.co.za  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)

### **BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE (DFFE Reference No.: TBC)**

Dear Mr Masilela,

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

Our letter and e-mail dated 21 June 2023 in which you were informed of the commencement of the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Process, has reference.

Please find attached the notification letter providing information regarding the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and the availability of the BA Report for review and comment.

## AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform Company that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

### Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

04 October 2023

Mr Simphiwe Masilela  
Obstacle Evaluator  
Air Traffic and Navigation Services

E-mail: [simphiwem@atns.co.za](mailto:simphiwem@atns.co.za)

Dear Mr Masilela,

## FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

### NOTIFICATION OF BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND AVAILABILITY FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality. The details of the project are as follows:

<b>Project Name</b>	FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility
<b>Location</b>	Portion 2 of Farm Oorlogspoort 85
<b>Applicant</b>	FE Kudu (Pty) Ltd
<b>Contracted capacity</b>	Up to 600MW
<b>Number of turbines</b>	Up to 80 wind turbines

The infrastructure associated with the wind energy facility will include:

- » Up to 80 wind turbines, turbine foundations and turbine hardstands
- » An on-site substation hub incorporating:
  - A 132kV on-site facility substation
  - Switchyard with collector infrastructure
  - Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)
  - Operation and Maintenance buildings
- » A balance of plant area incorporating:
  - Temporary laydown areas
  - A construction camp laydown and temporary concrete batching plant
- » Power lines internal to the wind farm, trenched and located adjacent to internal access roads, where feasible<sup>1</sup>.
- » Access roads to the site and between project components with a width up to 8m for primary access routes.

<sup>1</sup> The intention is for internal project cabling to follow the internal roads.

## **AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT**

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform you and/your Department/Organisation that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website: <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>. An electronic copy of the BA Report can also be made available via file transfer services such as WeTransfer or Dropbox upon request. The due date for written comment is **03 November 2023**.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards



**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social Consultant

Email: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)



## Savannah Public Process

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 04 October 2023 17:19  
**To:** mmoffice@bnlm.gov.za  
**Cc:** langboois@bnlm.gov.za  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - .kmz File (SE3654)  
**Attachments:** Kudu Project Site.kmz

Dear Dr Rankwana,

Please find attached the .kmz file for ease of reference.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

### Processing of personal information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2023 4:56 PM  
**To:** mmoffice@bnlm.gov.za  
**Cc:** 'langboois@bnlm.gov.za' <langboois@bnlm.gov.za>  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)

### **BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE (DFFE Reference No.: TBC)**

Dear Dr Rankwana,

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

Our letter and e-mail dated 21 June 2023 in which you were informed of the commencement of the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Process, has reference.

Please find attached the notification letter providing information regarding the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and the availability of the BA Report for review and comment.

## AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform your Municipality that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

### Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

04 October 2023

Dr EM Rankwana  
Municipal Manager  
Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality

Per e-mail: [mmoffice@bnlm.gov.za](mailto:mmoffice@bnlm.gov.za)

Dear Dr Rankwana

## FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

### NOTIFICATION OF BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND AVAILABILITY FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality. The details of the project are as follows:

<b>Project Name</b>	FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility
<b>Location</b>	Portion 2 of Farm Oorlogspoort 85
<b>Applicant</b>	FE Kudu (Pty) Ltd
<b>Contracted capacity</b>	Up to 600MW
<b>Number of turbines</b>	Up to 80 wind turbines

The infrastructure associated with the wind energy facility will include:

- » Up to 80 wind turbines, turbine foundations and turbine hardstands
- » An on-site substation hub incorporating:
  - A 132kV on-site facility substation
  - Switchyard with collector infrastructure
  - Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)
  - Operation and Maintenance buildings
- » A balance of plant area incorporating:
  - Temporary laydown areas
  - A construction camp laydown and temporary concrete batching plant
- » Power lines internal to the wind farm, trenched and located adjacent to internal access roads, where feasible<sup>1</sup>.
- » Access roads to the site and between project components with a width up to 8m for primary access routes.

<sup>1</sup> The intention is for internal project cabling to follow the internal roads.

## **AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT**

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform you and/your Department/Organisation that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website: <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>. An electronic copy of the BA Report can also be made available via file transfer services such as WeTransfer or Dropbox upon request. The due date for written comment is **03 November 2023**.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards



**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social Consultant

Email: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)

## Savannah Public Process

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 04 October 2023 17:20  
**To:** BC Admin  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - .kmz File (SE3654)  
**Attachments:** Kudu Project Site.kmz

Dear Mr Lekota,

Please find attached the .kmz file for ease of reference.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

### Processing of personal information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2023 4:57 PM  
**To:** BC Admin <bcadmin@dffe.gov.za>  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)

### **BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE (DFFE Reference No.: TBC)**

Dear Mr Lekota,

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

Our letter and e-mail dated 21 June 2023 in which you were informed of the commencement of the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Process, has reference.

Please find attached the notification letter providing information regarding the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and the availability of the BA Report for review and comment.

## AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform your Directorate that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023 to 03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

### Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

04 October 2023

Mr Seoka Lekota  
Deputy Director: Biodiversity Conservation  
DFFE

**Per e-mail:** BCAdmin@dffe.gov.za

Dear Mr Lekota,

## FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

### NOTIFICATION OF BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND AVAILABILITY FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality. The details of the project are as follows:

<b>Project Name</b>	FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility
<b>Location</b>	Portion 2 of Farm Oorlogspoort 85
<b>Applicant</b>	FE Kudu (Pty) Ltd
<b>Contracted capacity</b>	Up to 600MW
<b>Number of turbines</b>	Up to 80 wind turbines

The infrastructure associated with the wind energy facility will include:

- » Up to 80 wind turbines, turbine foundations and turbine hardstands
- » An on-site substation hub incorporating:
  - A132kV on-site facility substation
  - Switchyard with collector infrastructure
  - Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)
  - Operation and Maintenance buildings
- » A balance of plant area incorporating:
  - Temporary laydown areas
  - A construction camp laydown and temporary concrete batching plant
- » Power lines internal to the wind farm, trenched and located adjacent to internal access roads, where feasible<sup>1</sup>.
- » Access roads to the site and between project components with a width up to 8m for primary access routes.

<sup>1</sup> The intention is for internal project cabling to follow the internal roads.

## **AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT**

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform you and/your Department/Organisation that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website: <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>. An electronic copy of the BA Report can also be made available via file transfer services such as WeTransfer or Dropbox upon request. The due date for written comment is **03 November 2023**.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards



**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social Consultant

Email: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)



## Savannah Public Process

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 04 October 2023 17:20  
**To:** Thivhulawi Nethononda  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - .kmz File (SE3654)  
**Attachments:** Kudu Project Site.kmz

Dear Mr Nethononda,

Please find attached the .kmz file for ease of reference.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

### Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2023 4:58 PM  
**To:** Thivhulawi Nethononda <[Tnethononda@dffe.gov.za](mailto:Tnethononda@dffe.gov.za)>  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)

### **BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE (DFFE Reference No.: TBC)**

Dear Mr Nethononda,

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

Our letter and e-mail dated 21 June 2023 in which you were informed of the commencement of the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Process, has reference.

Please find attached the notification letter providing information regarding the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and the availability of the BA Report for review and comment.

## AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform your Directorate that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023 to 03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

### Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

04 October 2023

Mr Thivhulawi Nethononda  
Deputy Director: Protected Areas, Planning & Management Effectiveness  
DFFE

Per e-mail: [Tnethononda@dffe.gov.za](mailto:Tnethononda@dffe.gov.za)

Dear Mr Nethononda,

## FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

### NOTIFICATION OF BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND AVAILABILITY FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality. The details of the project are as follows:

<b>Project Name</b>	FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility
<b>Location</b>	Portion 2 of Farm Oorlogspoort 85
<b>Applicant</b>	FE Kudu (Pty) Ltd
<b>Contracted capacity</b>	Up to 600MW
<b>Number of turbines</b>	Up to 80 wind turbines

The infrastructure associated with the wind energy facility will include:

- » Up to 80 wind turbines, turbine foundations and turbine hardstands
- » An on-site substation hub incorporating:
  - A132kV on-site facility substation
  - Switchyard with collector infrastructure
  - Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)
  - Operation and Maintenance buildings
- » A balance of plant area incorporating:
  - Temporary laydown areas
  - A construction camp laydown and temporary concrete batching plant
- » Power lines internal to the wind farm, trenched and located adjacent to internal access roads, where feasible<sup>1</sup>.
- » Access roads to the site and between project components with a width up to 8m for primary access routes.

<sup>1</sup> The intention is for internal project cabling to follow the internal roads.

## **AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT**

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform you and/your Department/Organisation that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website: <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>. An electronic copy of the BA Report can also be made available via file transfer services such as WeTransfer or Dropbox upon request. The due date for written comment is **03 November 2023**.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards



**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social Consultant

Email: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)

## Savannah Public Process

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 04 October 2023 17:22  
**To:** siphokazi.ndudane@drdar.gov.za; nosiphiwo.mlamlamla@drdar.gov.za  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - .kmz File (SE3654)  
**Attachments:** Kudu Project Site.kmz

Dear Ms Ndudane,

Please find attached the .kmz file for ease of reference.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

### Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2023 5:01 PM  
**To:** siphokazi.ndudane@drdar.gov.za; nosiphiwo.mlamlamla@drdar.gov.za  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)

### **BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE (DFFE Reference No.: TBC)**

Dear Ms Ndudane,

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

Our letter and e-mail dated 21 June 2023 in which you were informed of the commencement of the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Process, has reference.

Please find attached the notification letter providing information regarding the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and the availability of the BA Report for review and comment.

## AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform Company that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

### Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

04 October 2023

Ms Sophokazi Ndudane  
Head of Department  
Eastern Cape Department of Rural Development  
and Agrarian Reform: Agriculture

Per e-mail: [siphokazi.ndudane@drdar.gov.za](mailto:siphokazi.ndudane@drdar.gov.za) / [nosiphiwo.mlamlala@drdar.gov.za](mailto:nosiphiwo.mlamlala@drdar.gov.za)

Dear Ms Ndudane,

## FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

### NOTIFICATION OF BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND AVAILABILITY FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality. The details of the project are as follows:

<b>Project Name</b>	FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility
<b>Location</b>	Portion 2 of Farm Oorlogspoort 85
<b>Applicant</b>	FE Kudu (Pty) Ltd
<b>Contracted capacity</b>	Up to 600MW
<b>Number of turbines</b>	Up to 80 wind turbines

The infrastructure associated with the wind energy facility will include:

- » Up to 80 wind turbines, turbine foundations and turbine hardstands
- » An on-site substation hub incorporating:
  - A 132kV on-site facility substation
  - Switchyard with collector infrastructure
  - Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)
  - Operation and Maintenance buildings
- » A balance of plant area incorporating:
  - Temporary laydown areas
  - A construction camp laydown and temporary concrete batching plant
- » Power lines internal to the wind farm, trenched and located adjacent to internal access roads, where feasible<sup>1</sup>.
  - Access roads to the site and between project components with a width up to 8m for primary access routes.

<sup>1</sup> The intention is for internal project cabling to follow the internal roads.

## **AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT**

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform you and/your Department/Organisation that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website: <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>. An electronic copy of the BA Report can also be made available via file transfer services such as WeTransfer or Dropbox upon request. The due date for written comment is **03 November 2023**.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards



**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social Consultant

[Email: publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)



## Savannah Public Process

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 04 October 2023 17:23  
**To:** Siyabonga Gqalangile  
**Cc:** Div DeVilliers; Dayalan Govender; Lyndon Mardon; Alistair McMaster; Cecilia Gyan  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - .kmz File (SE3654)  
**Attachments:** Kudu Project Site.kmz

Dear Mr Gqalangile,

Please find attached the .kmz file for ease of reference.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

### Processing of personal information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2023 5:03 PM  
**To:** Siyabonga Gqalangile <Siyabonga.Gqalangile@dede.gov.za>  
**Cc:** Div DeVilliers <Div.DeVilliers@dede.gov.za>; Dayalan Govender <Dayalan.Govender@dede.gov.za>; Lyndon Mardon <Lyndon.Mardon@dede.gov.za>; Alistair McMaster <Alistair.McMaster@dede.gov.za>; Cecilia Gyan <cecilia.gyan@dede.gov.za>  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)

### **BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE (DFFE Reference No.: TBC)**

Dear Mr Gqalangile,

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

Our letter and e-mail dated 21 June 2023 in which you were informed of the commencement of the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Process, has reference.

Please find attached the notification letter providing information regarding the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and the availability of the BA Report for review and comment.

#### **AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT**

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform your Department, as the Provincial Commenting Official, that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

#### **Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance**

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

04 October 2023

Mr Siyabonga Gqalangile  
 Eastern Cape Department of Economic Development,  
 Environmental Affairs and Tourism

**Per e-mail:** Siyabonga.Gqalangile@dedea.gov.za

Dear Mr Gqalangile,

## FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

---

### NOTIFICATION OF BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND AVAILABILITY FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

---

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality. The details of the project are as follows:

<b>Project Name</b>	FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility
<b>Location</b>	Portion 2 of Farm Oorlogspoort 85
<b>Applicant</b>	FE Kudu (Pty) Ltd
<b>Contracted capacity</b>	Up to 600MW
<b>Number of turbines</b>	Up to 80 wind turbines

The infrastructure associated with the wind energy facility will include:

- » Up to 80 wind turbines, turbine foundations and turbine hardstands
- » An on-site substation hub incorporating:
  - A 132kV on-site facility substation
  - Switchyard with collector infrastructure
  - Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)
  - Operation and Maintenance buildings
- » A balance of plant area incorporating:
  - Temporary laydown areas
  - A construction camp laydown and temporary concrete batching plant
- » Power lines internal to the wind farm, trenched and located adjacent to internal access roads, where feasible<sup>1</sup>.
- » Access roads to the site and between project components with a width up to 8m for primary access routes.

<sup>1</sup> The intention is for internal project cabling to follow the internal roads.

## AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform you and/your Department/Organisation that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website: <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>. An electronic copy of the BA Report can also be made available via file transfer services such as WeTransfer or Dropbox upon request. The due date for written comment is **03 November 2023**.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards



**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social Consultant

Email: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)

**CC:** Mr Div de Villiers: [Div.DeVilliers@dedea.gov.za](mailto:Div.DeVilliers@dedea.gov.za)  
Mr Dayalan Govender: [ayalan.govender@dedea.gov.za](mailto:ayalan.govender@dedea.gov.za)  
Mr Lyndon Mardon: [lyndon.mardon@dedea.gov.za](mailto:lyndon.mardon@dedea.gov.za)  
Mr Alistair McMaster: [Alistair.McMaster@dedea.gov.za](mailto:Alistair.McMaster@dedea.gov.za)

## Savannah Public Process

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 04 October 2023 17:22  
**To:** Makhanya Portia (KWT)  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - .kmz File (SE3654)  
**Attachments:** Kudu Project Site.kmz

Dear Ms Makhanya,

Please find attached the .kmz file for ease of reference.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

### Processing of personal information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2023 4:59 PM  
**To:** Makhanya Portia (KWT) <MakhanyaP@dws.gov.za>  
**Subject:** KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)

### **BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE (DFFE Reference No.: TBC)**

Dear Ms Makhanya,

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

Our letter and e-mail dated 21 June 2023 in which you were informed of the commencement of the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Process, has reference.

Please find attached the notification letter providing information regarding the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and the availability of the BA Report for review and comment.

## AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform your Department that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023 to 03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

### Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

04 October 2023

Ms Portia Makhanya  
Chief Director: Eastern Cape  
Department of Waer and Sanitation

**Per e-mail:** MakhanyaP@dws.gov.za

Dear Ms Makhanya,

## FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

### NOTIFICATION OF BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND AVAILABILITY FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality. The details of the project are as follows:

<b>Project Name</b>	FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility
<b>Location</b>	Portion 2 of Farm Oorlogspoort 85
<b>Applicant</b>	FE Kudu (Pty) Ltd
<b>Contracted capacity</b>	Up to 600MW
<b>Number of turbines</b>	Up to 80 wind turbines

The infrastructure associated with the wind energy facility will include:

- » Up to 80 wind turbines, turbine foundations and turbine hardstands
- » An on-site substation hub incorporating:
  - A132kV on-site facility substation
  - Switchyard with collector infrastructure
  - Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)
  - Operation and Maintenance buildings
- » A balance of plant area incorporating:
  - Temporary laydown areas
  - A construction camp laydown and temporary concrete batching plant
- » Power lines internal to the wind farm, trenched and located adjacent to internal access roads, where feasible<sup>1</sup>.
- » Access roads to the site and between project components with a width up to 8m for primary access routes.

<sup>1</sup> The intention is for internal project cabling to follow the internal roads.

## **AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT**

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform you and/your Department/Organisation that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website: <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>. An electronic copy of the BA Report can also be made available via file transfer services such as WeTransfer or Dropbox upon request. The due date for written comment is **03 November 2023**.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards



**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social Consultant

Email: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)



## Savannah Public Process

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 04 October 2023 17:24  
**To:** 'John Geeringh'; 'john.geeringh@eskom.co.za'  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - .kmz File (SE3654)  
**Attachments:** Kudu Project Site.kmz

Dear Mr Geeringh,

Please find attached the .kmz file for ease of reference.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

### Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2023 5:04 PM  
**To:** John Geeringh <GeerinJH@eskom.co.za>; john.geeringh@eskom.co.za  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)

### **BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE (DFFE Reference No.: TBC)**

Dear Mr Geeringh,

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

Our letter and e-mail dated 21 June 2023 in which you were informed of the commencement of the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Process, has reference.

Please find attached the notification letter providing information regarding the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and the availability of the BA Report for review and comment.

## AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform your Company that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023 to 03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

### Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

04 October 2023

Mr John Geeringh  
 Senior Environmental Advisor  
 Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd

E-mail: [john.geeringh@eskom.co.za](mailto:john.geeringh@eskom.co.za) & [GeerinJH@eskom.co.za](mailto:GeerinJH@eskom.co.za)

Dear Mr Geeringh,

## FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

---

### NOTIFICATION OF BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND AVAILABILITY FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

---

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality. The details of the project are as follows:

<b>Project Name</b>	FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility
<b>Location</b>	Portion 2 of Farm Oorlogspoort 85
<b>Applicant</b>	FE Kudu (Pty) Ltd
<b>Contracted capacity</b>	Up to 600MW
<b>Number of turbines</b>	Up to 80 wind turbines

The infrastructure associated with the wind energy facility will include:

- » Up to 80 wind turbines, turbine foundations and turbine hardstands
- » An on-site substation hub incorporating:
  - A 132kV on-site facility substation
  - Switchyard with collector infrastructure
  - Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)
  - Operation and Maintenance buildings
- » A balance of plant area incorporating:
  - Temporary laydown areas
  - A construction camp laydown and temporary concrete batching plant
- » Power lines internal to the wind farm, trenched and located adjacent to internal access roads, where feasible<sup>1</sup>.
- » Access roads to the site and between project components with a width up to 8m for primary access routes.

<sup>1</sup> The intention is for internal project cabling to follow the internal roads.

## AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform you and/your Department/Organisation that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website: <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>. An electronic copy of the BA Report can also be made available via file transfer services such as WeTransfer or Dropbox upon request. The due date for written comment is **03 November 2023**.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards



**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social Consultant

Email: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)

## Savannah Public Process

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 04 October 2023 17:24  
**To:** 'obstacles@caa.co.za'; 'obstacles@atns.co.za'; 'simphiwem@atns.co.za'  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - .kmz File (SE3654)  
**Attachments:** Kudu Project Site.kmz

Dear Mrs Ströh & Mr Masilela,

Please find attached the .kmz file for ease of reference.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

### Processing of personal information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2023 5:06 PM  
**To:** obstacles@caa.co.za; obstacles@atns.co.za; simphiwem@atns.co.za  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)

### **BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE (DFFE Reference No.: TBC)**

Dear Mrs Ströh & Mr Masilela,

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

Our letter and e-mail dated 21 June 2023 in which you were informed of the commencement of the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Process, has reference.

Please find attached the notification letter providing information regarding the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and the availability of the BA Report for review and comment.

## AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform your Company that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023 to 03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

### Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

04 October 2023

Mr Simphiwe Masilela  
Obstacle Evaluator  
Air Traffic and Navigation Services

E-mail: [simphiwem@atns.co.za](mailto:simphiwem@atns.co.za)

Dear Mr Masilela,

## FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

### NOTIFICATION OF BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND AVAILABILITY FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality. The details of the project are as follows:

<b>Project Name</b>	FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility
<b>Location</b>	Portion 2 of Farm Oorlogspoort 85
<b>Applicant</b>	FE Kudu (Pty) Ltd
<b>Contracted capacity</b>	Up to 600MW
<b>Number of turbines</b>	Up to 80 wind turbines

The infrastructure associated with the wind energy facility will include:

- » Up to 80 wind turbines, turbine foundations and turbine hardstands
- » An on-site substation hub incorporating:
  - A 132kV on-site facility substation
  - Switchyard with collector infrastructure
  - Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)
  - Operation and Maintenance buildings
- » A balance of plant area incorporating:
  - Temporary laydown areas
  - A construction camp laydown and temporary concrete batching plant
- » Power lines internal to the wind farm, trenched and located adjacent to internal access roads, where feasible<sup>1</sup>.
- » Access roads to the site and between project components with a width up to 8m for primary access routes.

<sup>1</sup> The intention is for internal project cabling to follow the internal roads.

## **AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT**

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform you and/your Department/Organisation that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website: <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>. An electronic copy of the BA Report can also be made available via file transfer services such as WeTransfer or Dropbox upon request. The due date for written comment is **03 November 2023**.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards



**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social Consultant

Email: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)



04 October

Mrs Lizell Ströh  
Obstacle Specialist  
Aviation Obstacle and GIS  
South African Civil Aviation Authority

E-mail: [obstacles@caa.co.za](mailto:obstacles@caa.co.za)

Dear Mrs Ströh,

## FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

### NOTIFICATION OF BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND AVAILABILITY FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality. The details of the project are as follows:

<b>Project Name</b>	FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility
<b>Location</b>	Portion 2 of Farm Oorlogspoort 85
<b>Applicant</b>	FE Kudu (Pty) Ltd
<b>Contracted capacity</b>	Up to 600MW
<b>Number of turbines</b>	Up to 80 wind turbines

The infrastructure associated with the wind energy facility will include:

- » Up to 80 wind turbines, turbine foundations and turbine hardstands
- » An on-site substation hub incorporating:
  - A 132kV on-site facility substation
  - Switchyard with collector infrastructure
  - Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)
  - Operation and Maintenance buildings
- » A balance of plant area incorporating:
  - Temporary laydown areas
  - A construction camp laydown and temporary concrete batching plant
- » Power lines internal to the wind farm, trenched and located adjacent to internal access roads, where feasible<sup>1</sup>.
- » Access roads to the site and between project components with a width up to 8m for primary access routes.

<sup>1</sup> The intention is for internal project cabling to follow the internal roads.

## AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform you and/your Department/Organisation that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website: <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>. An electronic copy of the BA Report can also be made available via file transfer services such as WeTransfer or Dropbox upon request. The due date for written comment is **03 November 2023**.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards



**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social Consultant

Email: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)

## Savannah Public Process

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 04 October 2023 17:10  
**To:** dfacmiem@gmail.com; Francois Strydom  
**Cc:** dwfopsmiem@gmail.com; kebasenosi@yahoo.com  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)  
**Attachments:** SE3654 Kudu BAR Notification SANDF 04.10.2023 NV.pdf; Kudu Project Site.kmz

### **BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE (DFFE Reference No.: TBC)**

Dear Maj Kenny,

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

Our letter and e-mail dated 21 June 2023 in which you were informed of the commencement of the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Process, has reference.

Please find attached the notification letter providing information regarding the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and the availability of the BA Report for review and comment.

#### **AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT**

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform your Department that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023 to 03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>

**NOTE:** Please find attached the .kmz file for ease of reference.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

04 October 2023

Major RJ Kenny  
 Chief of Logistics: Renewable Energy Applications  
 South African National Defence Force

E-mail: [dfacmiem@gmail.com](mailto:dfacmiem@gmail.com) & [Francois.Strydom@dod.mil.za](mailto:Francois.Strydom@dod.mil.za)

Dear Major Kenny,

## FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

---

### NOTIFICATION OF BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND AVAILABILITY FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

---

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality. The details of the project are as follows:

<b>Project Name</b>	FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility
<b>Location</b>	Portion 2 of Farm Oorlogspoort 85
<b>Applicant</b>	FE Kudu (Pty) Ltd
<b>Contracted capacity</b>	Up to 600MW
<b>Number of turbines</b>	Up to 80 wind turbines

The infrastructure associated with the wind energy facility will include:

- » Up to 80 wind turbines, turbine foundations and turbine hardstands
- » An on-site substation hub incorporating:
  - A 132kV on-site facility substation
  - Switchyard with collector infrastructure
  - Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)
  - Operation and Maintenance buildings
- » A balance of plant area incorporating:
  - Temporary laydown areas
  - A construction camp laydown and temporary concrete batching plant
- » Power lines internal to the wind farm, trenched and located adjacent to internal access roads, where feasible<sup>1</sup>.
- » Access roads to the site and between project components with a width up to 8m for primary access routes.

<sup>1</sup> The intention is for internal project cabling to follow the internal roads.

## **AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT**

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform you and/your Department/Organisation that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website: <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>. An electronic copy of the BA Report can also be made available via file transfer services such as WeTransfer or Dropbox upon request. The due date for written comment is **03 November 2023**.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards



**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social Consultant

Email: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)

## Savannah Public Process

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 04 October 2023 17:11  
**To:** Nicholus Funda  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)  
**Attachments:** SE3654 Kudu BAR Notification SANParks 04.10.2023 NV.pdf; Kudu Project Site.kmz

### **BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE (DFFE Reference No.: TBC)**

Dear Mr Funda,

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

Our letter and e-mail dated 21 June 2023 in which you were informed of the commencement of the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Process, has reference.

Please find attached the notification letter providing information regarding the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and the availability of the BA Report for review and comment.

#### **AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT**

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform your Organisation that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>

**NOTE:** Please find attached the .kmz file for ease of reference.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

#### **Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance**

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted

to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean



04 October 2023

Mr Nicholus Funda  
Environmental Management: National Coordinator  
SANParks

E-mail: Nicholus.Funda@sanparks.org

Dear Mr Funda,

## FE TANGO WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

### NOTIFICATION OF BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND AVAILABILITY FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

The development of the FE Tango Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality. The details of the project is as follows:

<b>Project Name</b>	FE Tango Wind Energy Facility
<b>Location</b>	Portion 1 of Farm Klipstavel 72
<b>Applicant</b>	FE Tango (Pty) Ltd
<b>Contracted capacity</b>	Up to 150MW
<b>Number of turbines</b>	Up to 18 wind turbines

The infrastructure associated with the wind energy facility will include:

- » Up to 18 wind turbines, turbine foundations and turbine hardstands
- » An on-site substation hub incorporating:
  - A 132kV on-site facility substation
  - Switchyard with collector infrastructure
  - Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)
  - Operation and Maintenance buildings
- » A balance of plant area incorporating:
  - Temporary laydown areas
  - A construction camp laydown and temporary concrete batching plant

## AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform you and/your Department/Organisation that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website: <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>. An electronic copy of the BA Report can also be made available via file transfer services such as WeTransfer or Dropbox upon request. The due date for written comment is **03 November 2023**.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards



**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social Consultant

Email: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)

## Savannah Public Process

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 04 October 2023 17:13  
**To:** Nicole Abrahams (WR)  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)  
**Attachments:** SE3654 Kudu BAR Notification SANRAL 04.10.2023 NV.pdf; Kudu Project Site.kmz

### **BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE (DFFE Reference No.: TBC)**

Dear Ms Abrahams,

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

Our letter and e-mail dated 21 June 2023 in which you were informed of the commencement of the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Process, has reference.

Please find attached the notification letter providing information regarding the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and the availability of the BA Report for review and comment.

#### **AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT**

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform your Department that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023 to 03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>

**NOTE:** Please find attached the .kmz file for ease of reference.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

#### **Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance**

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted

to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

04 October 2023

Ms Nicole Abrahams  
 Environmental Coordinator: Western Region  
 South African National Roads Agency

E-mail: [Abrahamsn@nra.co.za](mailto:Abrahamsn@nra.co.za)

Dear Ms Abrahams,

## FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

---

### NOTIFICATION OF BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND AVAILABILITY FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

---

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality. The details of the project are as follows:

<b>Project Name</b>	FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility
<b>Location</b>	Portion 2 of Farm Oorlogspoort 85
<b>Applicant</b>	FE Kudu (Pty) Ltd
<b>Contracted capacity</b>	Up to 600MW
<b>Number of turbines</b>	Up to 80 wind turbines

The infrastructure associated with the wind energy facility will include:

- » Up to 80 wind turbines, turbine foundations and turbine hardstands
- » An on-site substation hub incorporating:
  - A 132kV on-site facility substation
  - Switchyard with collector infrastructure
  - Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)
  - Operation and Maintenance buildings
- » A balance of plant area incorporating:
  - Temporary laydown areas
  - A construction camp laydown and temporary concrete batching plant
- » Power lines internal to the wind farm, trenched and located adjacent to internal access roads, where feasible<sup>1</sup>.
- » Access roads to the site and between project components with a width up to 8m for primary access routes.

---

<sup>1</sup> The intention is for internal project cabling to follow the internal roads.

## **AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT**

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform you and your Department that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website: <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>. An electronic copy of the BA Report can also be made available via file transfer services such as WeTransfer or Dropbox upon request. The due date for written comment is **03 November 2023**.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards



**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social Consultant

Email: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)

## Savannah Public Process

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 04 October 2023 17:14  
**To:** Rydall Jardine; Bernard Petlane  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)  
**Attachments:** SE3654 Kudu BAR Notification SAWS 04.10.2023 NV.pdf; Kudu Project Site.kmz

### **BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE (DFFE Reference No.: TBC)**

Dear Mr Jardine,

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

Our letter and e-mail dated 21 June 2023 in which you were informed of the commencement of the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Process, has reference.

Please find attached the notification letter providing information regarding the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and the availability of the BA Report for review and comment.

#### **AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT**

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform your Company that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023 to 03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>

**NOTE:** Please find attached the .kmz file for ease of reference.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

#### **Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance**

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted

to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean



04 October 2023

Mr Rydall Jardine  
South African Weather Services

E-mail: [rydall.jardine@weathersa.co.za](mailto:rydall.jardine@weathersa.co.za) & [Bernard.Petlane@weathersa.co.za](mailto:Bernard.Petlane@weathersa.co.za)

Dear Mr Jardine,

## FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

### NOTIFICATION OF BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND AVAILABILITY FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality. The details of the project are as follows:

<b>Project Name</b>	FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility
<b>Location</b>	Portion 2 of Farm Oorlogspoort 85
<b>Applicant</b>	FE Kudu (Pty) Ltd
<b>Contracted capacity</b>	Up to 600MW
<b>Number of turbines</b>	Up to 80 wind turbines

The infrastructure associated with the wind energy facility will include:

- » Up to 80 wind turbines, turbine foundations and turbine hardstands
- » An on-site substation hub incorporating:
  - A 132kV on-site facility substation
  - Switchyard with collector infrastructure
  - Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)
  - Operation and Maintenance buildings
- » A balance of plant area incorporating:
  - Temporary laydown areas
  - A construction camp laydown and temporary concrete batching plant
- » Power lines internal to the wind farm, trenched and located adjacent to internal access roads, where feasible<sup>1</sup>.
- » Access roads to the site and between project components with a width up to 8m for primary access routes.

<sup>1</sup> The intention is for internal project cabling to follow the internal roads.

## AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform you and/your Department/Organisation that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website: <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>. An electronic copy of the BA Report can also be made available via file transfer services such as WeTransfer or Dropbox upon request. The due date for written comment is **03 November 2023**.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards



**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social Consultant

Email: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)

## Savannah Public Process

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 04 October 2023 17:15  
**To:** 'unati@sbdm.co.za'  
**Subject:** FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)  
**Attachments:** SE3654 Kudu BAR Notification SBDM 04.10.2023 NV.pdf; Kudu Project Site.kmz

### **BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE (DFFE Reference No.: TBC)**

Dear Ms Daniëls,

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

Our letter and e-mail dated 21 June 2023 in which you were informed of the commencement of the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Process, has reference.

Please find attached the notification letter providing information regarding the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and the availability of the BA Report for review and comment.

#### **AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT**

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform your Municipality that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>

**NOTE:** Please find attached the .kmz file for ease of reference.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

#### **Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance**

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted

to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

04 October 2023

Ms Unati Daniëls  
Municipal Manager  
Sarah Baartman District Municipality

Per e-mail: [unati@sbdm.co.za](mailto:unati@sbdm.co.za)

Dear Ms Daniëls,

## FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

### NOTIFICATION OF BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AND AVAILABILITY FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

The development of the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality. The details of the project are as follows:

<b>Project Name</b>	FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility
<b>Location</b>	Portion 2 of Farm Oorlogspoort 85
<b>Applicant</b>	FE Kudu (Pty) Ltd
<b>Contracted capacity</b>	Up to 600MW
<b>Number of turbines</b>	Up to 80 wind turbines

The infrastructure associated with the wind energy facility will include:

- » Up to 80 wind turbines, turbine foundations and turbine hardstands
- » An on-site substation hub incorporating:
  - A 132kV on-site facility substation
  - Switchyard with collector infrastructure
  - Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)
  - Operation and Maintenance buildings
- » A balance of plant area incorporating:
  - Temporary laydown areas
  - A construction camp laydown and temporary concrete batching plant
- » Power lines internal to the wind farm, trenched and located adjacent to internal access roads, where feasible<sup>1</sup>.
- » Access roads to the site and between project components with a width up to 8m for primary access routes.

<sup>1</sup> The intention is for internal project cabling to follow the internal roads.

## AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, this letter serves to inform your Municipality that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the wind energy facility application will be available for review and comment from **04 October 2023** to **03 November 2023**.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website: <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/>. An electronic copy of the BA Report can also be made available via file transfer services such as WeTransfer or Dropbox upon request. The due date for written comment is **03 November 2023**.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards



**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social Consultant

Email: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)

SAVANNAH ENVIRONMENTAL WEBSITE

Proof to be included in final BA Report



SAHRIS

Proof to be included in final BA Report

## CORRESPONDENCE

Eastern Cape Department of Economic  
Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism

## Nicolene Venter

---

**From:** Nicolene Venter  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 03 October 2023 11:37  
**To:** Siyabonga.Gqalangile@dedea.gov.za  
**Cc:** Andries Struwig; Alistair.McMaster@dedea.gov.za; Dayalan Govender; Lyndon Mardon  
**Subject:** RE: Protocol/Process: Scheduling of a Focus Group Meeting: FE Tango Wind Energy Facility & FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility

Dear Siyabonga,

Thank you for taking my call a few minutes ago.

As requested, I will give you a call at 14h00.

The purpose of the call is to discuss the request for a virtual meeting on **Thursday, 05 October 2023** – see below.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

### Nicolene Venter

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [nicolene@savannahsa.com](mailto:nicolene@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)83 449 3875

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

#### Processing of personal information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

---

**From:** Nicolene Venter  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 26, 2023 4:24 PM  
**To:** 'Siyabonga.Gqalangile@dedea.gov.za' <Siyabonga.Gqalangile@dedea.gov.za>  
**Cc:** Andries Struwig <Andries.Struwig@dedea.gov.za>; 'Alistair.McMaster@dedea.gov.za' <Alistair.McMaster@dedea.gov.za>; Dayalan Govender <Dayalan.Govender@dedea.gov.za>; Lyndon Mardon <Lyndon.Mardon@dedea.gov.za>  
**Subject:** Protocol/Process: Scheduling of a Focus Group Meeting: FE Tango Wind Energy Facility

**BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE FE TANGO WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE  
(DFFE Reference No.: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2835)**

**BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE  
(DFFE Reference No.: To be Issued)**

Dear Siyabonga,

I hope that you are keeping well!

The development of the FE Tango Wind Energy Facility and FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and its associated infrastructure are proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

Our letter dated 18 September 2023 has reference.

I would like to confirm that you are still the contact person at the Eastern Cape Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism to arrange / secure a virtual meeting date and time with, and that the calendar invitation to the virtual Focus Group Meeting, once arranged, will be forwarded to the relevant commenting Officials within your Department.

Is this protocol / procedure still in place?

We would also enquire whether **Thursday, 5 October 2023** would be a suitable date to hold the virtual meeting. Your Department can indicate what time would be a convenient time to hold the virtual meeting.

Just as a reminder that the BA Report for the FE Tango Wind Energy Facility has been made available for your Department's review and comment on 18 September 2023. The review and comment period is ending on **20 October 2023**, and the BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website: <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/tango-wind-energy-facility/>

Please note that the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility BA Report will be available for download from Savannah Environmental website: <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/> from **Wednesday, 04 October 2023**.

The team will be presenting both these project's at the virtual meeting.

Looking forward to your response.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**  
Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [nicolene@savannahsa.com](mailto:nicolene@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)83 449 3875

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

#### Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

## Nicolene Venter

---

**From:** Nicolene Venter  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 03 October 2023 14:51  
**To:** Siyabonga Gqalangile  
**Cc:** Andries Struwig; Alistair McMaster; Dayalan Govender; Lyndon Mardon  
**Subject:** Request for Meeting: FE Tango Wind Energy Facility & FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility  
**Attachments:** RE: Protocol/Process: Scheduling of a Focus Group Meeting: FE Tango Wind Energy Facility & FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility

**Importance:** High

Dear Siyabonga,

Thank you for taking my call shortly after 14h00 – it is appreciated.

As requested, please find attached the e-mail in which we requested the availability of the various Officials to attend a Focus Group Meeting to present the above-mentioned two projects and a summary of the key environmental findings as documented in the BA Report.

I believe this week Thursday would be too short notice and it would be appreciated if a date and time next week can be presented to us.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [nicolene@savannahsa.com](mailto:nicolene@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)83 449 3875

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

### Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

## Nicolene Venter

---

**From:** Nicolene Venter  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 26 September 2023 16:24  
**To:** 'Siyabonga.Gqalangile@dedea.gov.za'  
**Cc:** Andries Struwig; 'Alistair.McMaster@dedea.gov.za'; Dayalan Govender; Lyndon Mardon  
**Subject:** Protocol/Process: Scheduling of a Focus Group Meeting: FE Tango Wind Energy Facility  
**Attachments:** SE3654 Tango BAR Notification EC DEDEAT.pdf

**BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE FE TANGO WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE  
(DFFE Reference No.: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2835)**

**BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE  
(DFFE Reference No.: To be Issued)**

Dear Siyabonga,

I hope that you are keeping well!

The development of the FE Tango Wind Energy Facility and FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility and its associated infrastructure are proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

Our letter dated 18 September 2023 has reference.

I would like to confirm that you are still the contact person at the Eastern Cape Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism to arrange / secure a virtual meeting date and time with, and that the calendar invitation to the virtual Focus Group Meeting, once arranged, will be forwarded to the relevant commenting Officials within your Department.

Is this protocol / procedure still in place?

We would also enquire whether **Thursday, 5 October 2023** would be a suitable date to hold the virtual meeting. Your Department can indicate what time would be a convenient time to hold the virtual meeting.

Just as a reminder that the BA Report for the FE Tango Wind Energy Facility has been made available for your Department's review and comment on 18 September 2023. The review and comment period is ending on **20 October 2023**, and the BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website: <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/tango-wind-energy-facility/>

Please note that the FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility BA Report will be available for download from Savannah Environmental website: <https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/kudu-wind-energy-facility/> from **Wednesday, 04 October 2023**.

The team will be presenting both these project's at the virtual meeting.

Looking forward to your response.

Kind regards,





t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [nicolene@savannahsa.com](mailto:nicolene@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)83 449 3875

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

**Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance**

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

Eastern Cape Provincial Heritage Resources  
Agency

## Savannah Public Process

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 19 September 2023 17:05  
**To:** 'Ayanda Mncwabe-Mama'  
**Subject:** FE Tango WEF & Kudu WEF: SAHRIS CaseIDs

Dear Ayanda,

Below are the links to the cases created on SAHRIS for your information:

Tango WEF - Case ID 22409: <https://sahris.sahra.org.za/cases/proposed-development-tango-wind-energy-facility-near-aberdeen-eastern-cape>

Kudu WEF - Case ID 22410: <https://sahris.sahra.org.za/cases/proposed-development-kudu-wind-energy-facility-near-aberdeen-eastern-cape>

The relevant application fees will soon be made.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**  
Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

### Processing of personal information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 19, 2023 4:31 PM  
**To:** 'Ayanda Mncwabe-Mama' <ayanda.mncwabe-mama@ecsrac.gov.za>  
**Subject:** RE: FE TANGO WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)

Dear Ayanda,

Please let me know whether I need to send you the BA Report & Appendices via WeTransfer.

When is the upcoming ECPHRA meeting?

Kind regards,

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

**Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance**

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

---

**From:** Ayanda Mncwabe-Mama <[ayanda.mncwabe-mama@ecsrac.gov.za](mailto:ayanda.mncwabe-mama@ecsrac.gov.za)>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 19, 2023 4:29 PM  
**To:** Savannah Public Process <[publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)>  
**Subject:** RE: FE TANGO WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)

Thank you,  
The case is noted for our upcoming ECPHRA meeting.

**Best Regards,**

**Ayanda Mncwabe-Mama**

*Archaeologist: Museums & Heritage*

Tel: (043) 492 1370

Address: No. 5 Eales Street | Qonce | 5600

*"Once you've made an observation,  
you have an obligation"- MK Asante Jnr*



---

**From:** Savannah Environmental Public Process <[publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)>  
**Sent:** Monday, September 18, 2023 5:16 PM  
**To:** Ayanda Mncwabe-Mama <[ayanda.mncwabe-mama@ecsrac.gov.za](mailto:ayanda.mncwabe-mama@ecsrac.gov.za)>  
**Subject:** FE TANGO WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)

**BASIC ASSESSMENTS FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY AND THE FE TANGO WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR  
ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE  
(DFFE Reference No.: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2835)**

Dear Stakeholder and Interested & Affected Party,

The development of the FE Tango Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

Our letter and e-mail dated 21 June 2023 in which you were informed of the commencement of the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Process has reference.

Please find attached the notification letter providing information regarding the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the FE Tango Wind Energy Facility and the availability of the BA Report for review and comment.

#### **AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT**

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, you are informed that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report is available for review and comment from 18 September 2023 to 20 October 2023.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website [CLICK HERE](#).

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards,

[Unsubscribe this type of email](#)



t: 011 656 3237  
f: 086 684 0547

**Public Participation  
Consultant**

Public Process

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

## Savannah Public Process

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Thursday, 21 September 2023 12:29  
**To:** 'Ayanda Mncwabe-Mama'  
**Subject:** RE: FE Tango WEF & Kudu WEF: SAHRIS CaseIDs

Dear Ayanda,

Thank you – feedback much appreciated.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

### Processing of personal information / POPIA compliance

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

---

**From:** Ayanda Mncwabe-Mama <[ayanda.mncwabe-mama@ecsrac.gov.za](mailto:ayanda.mncwabe-mama@ecsrac.gov.za)>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 20, 2023 1:20 PM  
**To:** Savannah Public Process <[publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)>  
**Subject:** RE: FE Tango WEF & Kudu WEF: SAHRIS CaseIDs

Thank you so much Nicolene!

I had downloaded the documents from your website link but did not have the Kudu docs.

Much appreciated!

Our next meeting is just a day before your comments deadline...19 October.

I will do my best to get your comment in time!

Best Regards  
Ayanda

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process <[publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 19, 2023 5:05 PM  
**To:** Ayanda Mncwabe-Mama <[ayanda.mncwabe-mama@ecsrac.gov.za](mailto:ayanda.mncwabe-mama@ecsrac.gov.za)>  
**Subject:** FE Tango WEF & Kudu WEF: SAHRIS CaseIDs

Dear Ayanda,

Below are the links to the cases created on SAHRIS for your information:

Tango WEF - Case ID 22409: <https://sahris.sahra.org.za/cases/proposed-development-tango-wind-energy-facility-near-aberdeen-eastern-cape>

Kudu WEF - Case ID 22410: <https://sahris.sahra.org.za/cases/proposed-development-kudu-wind-energy-facility-near-aberdeen-eastern-cape>

The relevant application fees will soon be made.

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

**Processing of personal information / POPIA compliance**

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process

**Sent:** Tuesday, September 19, 2023 4:31 PM

**To:** 'Ayanda Mncwabe-Mama' <[ayanda.mncwabe-mama@ecsrac.gov.za](mailto:ayanda.mncwabe-mama@ecsrac.gov.za)>

**Subject:** RE: FE TANGO WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)

Dear Ayanda,

Please let me know whether I need to send you the BA Report & Appendices via WeTransfer.

When is the upcoming ECPHRA meeting?

Kind regards,



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

**Processing of personal information / POPIA compliance**

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our

website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

---

**From:** Ayanda Mncwabe-Mama <[ayanda.mncwabe-mama@ecsrac.gov.za](mailto:ayanda.mncwabe-mama@ecsrac.gov.za)>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 19, 2023 4:29 PM  
**To:** Savannah Public Process <[publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)>  
**Subject:** RE: FE TANGO WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)

Thank you,  
The case is noted for our upcoming ECPHRA meeting.

**Best Regards,**

**Ayanda Mncwabe-Mama**  
*Archaeologist: Museums & Heritage*  
Tel: (043) 492 1370  
Address: No. 5 Eales Street | Qonce | 5600  
*"Once you've made an observation,  
you have an obligation"- MK Asante Jnr*



---

**From:** Savannah Environmental Public Process <[publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)>  
**Sent:** Monday, September 18, 2023 5:16 PM  
**To:** Ayanda Mncwabe-Mama <[ayanda.mncwabe-mama@ecsrac.gov.za](mailto:ayanda.mncwabe-mama@ecsrac.gov.za)>  
**Subject:** FE TANGO WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of Basic Assessment Report available for Review and Comment (SE3654)

**BASIC ASSESSMENTS FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY AND THE FE TANGO WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE  
(DFFE Reference No.: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2835)**

Dear Stakeholder and Interested & Affected Party,

The development of the FE Tango Wind Energy Facility and associated infrastructure is proposed on a site located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The wind energy facility is located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

Our letter and e-mail dated 21 June 2023 in which you were informed of the commencement of the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Process has reference.



Please find attached the notification letter providing information regarding the Basic Assessment (BA) Report for the FE Tango Wind Energy Facility and the availability of the BA Report for review and comment.

#### **AVAILABILITY OF THE BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT**

In terms of Regulation 43(2) of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, you are informed that the Basic Assessment (BA) Report is available for review and comment from 18 September 2023 to 20 October 2023.

The BA Report can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website [CLICK HERE](#).

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project. Our team welcomes your participation and look forward to your involvement throughout the process.

Kind regards,

[Unsubscribe this type of email](#)



t: 011 656 3237  
f: 086 684 0547

**Public Participation  
Consultant**  
Public Process

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd

## Savannah Public Process

---

**From:** Savannah Public Process  
**Sent:** Thursday, 13 July 2023 09:02  
**To:** John Geeringh; john.geeringh@eskom.co.za  
**Cc:** Karen Jodas; Chantelle Geyer  
**Subject:** SE3654: FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY AND FE TANGO WIND ENERGY FACILITY - Notification of the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Processes  
**Attachments:** SE3654\_Kudu&Tango\_WEF\_BA\_Notification-FINAL.pdf; SE3654\_Kudu&Tango\_PVs\_Background\_Information\_Document.pdf; SE3654\_Kudu&Tango\_FVs\_Agtergrond\_Inligtings\_Dokument.pdf; SE3654\_Kudu&Tango\_PVs-Reg&Commment\_Form.pdf; SE3654\_Kudu&Tango\_PVs-Reg&Kommentaarvorm.pdf; Kudu Project Site.kmz; Tango Project Site.kmz; Kudu & Tango Locality Map 16.04.pdf

**Importance:** High

<b>Tracking:</b>	<b>Recipient</b>	<b>Delivery</b>
	John Geeringh	
	john.geeringh@eskom.co.za	
	Karen Jodas	Delivered: 2023/07/13 09:02
	Chantelle Geyer	Delivered: 2023/07/13 09:02

### **BASIC ASSESSMENTS FOR THE FE KUDU WIND ENERGY FACILITY AND THE FE TANGO WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR ABERDEEN, EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE (DFFE Reference Nos.: To be Issued)**

Dear John, ,

The development of two separate wind energy facilities and associated infrastructure are proposed on sites located west of Aberdeen in the Eastern Cape Province. The two wind farms are located within the Beaufort West Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) and are to be known as the FE Tango Wind Energy Facility and FE Kudu Wind Energy Facility. The projects are to be located within the Dr Beyers Naude Local Municipality and the greater Sarah Baartman District Municipality.

The projects will aid in the diversification and stabilisation of the country's electricity supply, with the proposed wind energy facilities set to inject over 800MW into the national grid. Each wind energy facility will connect to the grid via a grid connection solution which will be subject to a separate application of Environmental Authorisation.

Please find attached the following documents for your perusal:

- Invitation letter to participate in the Basic Assessment and Public Participation Process for these two (2) Wind Energy Facilities.
- Background Information Document which will provide you with additional technical information regarding the proposed developments (ook beskikbaar in Afrikaans).
- Registration and Comment Form (ook beskikbaar in Afrikaans).
- .kmz File with projects boundaries.
- Locality Maps

We kindly request that Eskom provide us with comments regarding these projects.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require any additional information at this stage.

Kind regards,

[Unsubscribe this type of email](#)



t: +27 (0)11 656 3237  
f: +27 (0) 86 684 0547

**Nicolene Venter**

Public Participation and Social  
Consultant

e: [publicprocess@savannahsa.com](mailto:publicprocess@savannahsa.com)  
c: +27 (0)60 978 8396

SAWEA Award for Leading Environmental Consultant on Wind Projects in 2013 & 2015

**Processing of personal Information / POPIA compliance**

We respect your privacy and acknowledge that this e-mail will contain Personal Information, which may belong to you, others and/or to your organization and which we will process. The processing of your personal information by Savannah Environmental may be included in reports submitted to governmental departments or on our public platforms, which processing will be done in accordance with our processing notice housed on our website - <https://savannahsa.com/privacy-policy-privacy-policy-page/>. By sending and/or receiving this message, you hereby consent to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No 4 of 2013).

This email has been scanned for viruses and malware, and automatically archived by **Mimecast SA (Pty) Ltd**, and is believed to be clean

Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the  
Environment

DIRECTORATE: Biodiversity Conservation

Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the  
Environment

DIRECTORATE: Protected Areas, Planning &  
Management Effectiveness

Eastern Cape Department of Agriculture

Eastern Cape Department of Water and Sanitation



Dr Beyers Naudé Local Municipality

Sarah Baardman District Municipality