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Attention: Ms. Natasha Higgitt

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INTERIM COMMENT

IN TERMS OF SECTION 38(3), 38(8) OF THE NATIONAL HERITAGE RESOURCES ACT (ACT 25 OF 1999)

I refer to the abovementioned application and your interim comment dated 8 April 2022.

The HIA has been revised and the inconsistencies were rectified, your comment still refers to several gaps and inconsistencies.

Please also find attached the last correspondence from the DMRE as well as the response for your consideration as requested.

I trust that you find this in order. Please do not hesitate to contact me for any queries.

Yours faithfully

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Ms. R.H. Oosthuizen
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Applicant: Phakamile Mabija (Pty) Ltd
File Ref No: NC 30/5/1 12623/B
Documents handed in by (Print Name) Maryna Kok
Documents received by ((Print Name) h. h. h.

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the following documents submitted to the DMR office in Kimberley:

	YES SUBMITTED	NOT SUBMITTED
Environmental Management Programme (EMP)		
Financial Provision/Guarantee		
Proof of Consultation		
Comments from interested and affected parties		
Objection		
Appeal		
General Enquiries		
Sketch Plans		
BEE initiative (shareholders agreement, share certificates)		
Letters		
Prospecting Work Programme (PWP)		
Financial and Technical competence		
Report on the results of consultation		
Other (Specify) <u>Bank Statement info</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

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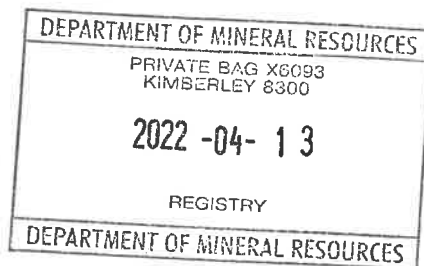
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REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IN RESPECT OF ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME SUBMITTED IN SUPPORT OF AN APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORIZATION FOR A PROSPECTING RIGHT AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURAL ACTIVITIES IN RESPECT OF DIAMONDS ON REMAINING EXTENT OF THE CONSOLIDATED FARM 290 AND PORTION 1 OF THE FARM 294 AND PORTION 1 (JAKKALSDANS) OF THE FARM DUINEVELD 582, HAY, NORTHERN CAPE REGION.

I refer to your letter NC 30/5/1/1/3/2/1/12423PR dated 15 March 2022 received by e-mail on 15 March 2022.

With reference to point number 1 (b) our financial institution has been given instruction to prepare the bank guarantee for R1 500 002 and the original will be submitted as soon as it is received from our financial institution.

With reference to point 1 (c) please find attached the two interim comments received from SAHRA and the submission of the revised HIA on the SAHRIS.

Directors: W.J. Oosthuizen, R.H. Oosthuizen

With reference to point 1(d) The proof of the water use application will be forwarded to you in due course, no comments were received from Water and Sanitation the drill holes will only be 10 to 15 m deep depending on the depth to bedrock which is anticipated to not be deeper than 10 to 15 metres and will never intersect groundwater. If this phase is positive and pitting and trenching is foreseen a WUL application will be submitted.

With reference to 1(e) specialist studies that had been conducted is an ecological study and Heritage impact assessment as well as an Palaeontological study.

With reference to 1(f) please find attached the environmental screening tool as requested.

I hope and trust that the above would be to your satisfaction. Please do not hesitate to contact me for any queries.

Yours faithfully

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Dear Sir/Madam

**REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IN RESPECT ENVIRONMENTAL
IMPACT ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR A PROSPECTING RIGHT AND RELATED
INFRASTRUCTURAL ACTIVITIES ON REMAINING EXTENT OF THE
CONSOLIDATED FARM NO.290, PORTION 1 OF THE FARM NO.294 AND PORTION
1 (JAKKALSDANS) OF THE FARM DUINEVELD NO.582, SITUATED IN THE
MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT OF HAY, NORTHERN CAPE REGION.**

The above-mentioned report was received by this Department on the 01st of July 2021 refers.

1. This letter serves to inform you that your Basic Assessment Report (BAR) has been evaluated by this office and found to be compliant with the minimum requirements of National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (as amended) (NEMA) and the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations, 2014, however the following issued need to be addressed.

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- a) The proposed financial provision quantum to the amount of **R150 0002.00** as proposed by you was reviewed accepted.
- b) Support your application with financial provision to the amount of **R150 0002.00** which is in line with you proposed mining activities for the rehabilitation and /or management of negative environmental impacts. Kindly note that in terms of Section 24P (1) of the NEMA, 1998 (107 OF 1998) as amended, the requested amount should be provided either in a form of **Bank guarantee or Cash deposit into DME Rehabilitation Trust account, account no. 40 6703 4181 (ABSA).**
- c) Provide interim and final comments from South African Heritage Resource Agency (SAHRA)
- d) Provide comments from the Department of Water and Sanitation regarding the water use licence, since the depth of the boreholes might encroach underground water
- e) Provide all relevant specialist studies triggered by the proposed prospecting activities.
- f) Provide Environmental screening tool for the proposed area

2. You are therefore requested to submit the above on/or before **15 April 2022**:

NB. Kindly note that no activities or development or activities as listed in terms of Act 107 of 1998 as amended and 2014 EIA Regulations should commence without an Environmental Authorisation.

Yours faithfully



REGIONAL MANAGER: MINERAL REGULATION

NORTHERN CAPE REGION

DATE 15/03/2022

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