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Dear Interested and Affected Party

## FINAL BASIC ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT REPORT

## PROPOSED UPGRADING OF FACILITIES AT GOEGAP NATURE RESERVE NEAR SPRINGBOK, NORTHERN CAPE

- 1. Van Zyl Environmental Consultants has been appointed as environmental assessment practitioner (EAP) by Zamisanani JV, on behalf of their client, the Northern Cape Department of Environment and Nature Conservation, to conduct a Basic Environmental Impact Assessment in accordance with the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations published in Government Notice No. R. 543 (Government Gazette No. 33306, dated 18 June 2010) in terms of Chapter 5 of the National Environmental Management Act (Act No. 107 of 1998), with regard to their intended upgrading of facilities at Goegap Nature Reserve, near Springbok.
- 2. Find an electronic copy (paper copy to DWA) of the final basic assessment report attached.
- 3. As part of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) and Public Participation Process, you are hereby invited to submit your written comments on the final basic assessment report by mail, facsimile or email to reach this office no later than Wednesday, 08 August 2012.
- 4. Please note that this public participation process is subject to a time schedule to which the EAP must keep. Your prompt response would be dearly appreciated, as this would ensure that your comments and/or objections would be received in time to be attached to the final report that is to be submitted to the competent authority, DEA Impact Evaluation Section.
- 5. The EAP can be contacted for any enquiries.

Thanking you in anticipation,

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