

ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION APPLICATION: LOMOND SAFARI 88KV POWERLINE. EIA REFERENCE NO.: 2022-01-0005 You are hereby informed of the proposed application for Environmental Authorisation for the Lomond Safari 88kV Powerline project. The application will be lodged with the National Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment in terms of the NEMA, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998), as amended, and the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended. The applicant, Eskom Holdings SOC Limited, has appointed Trans-Africa Projects, who have appointed MuTingati Environmental and Projects in terms of the EIA Regulations (GNR. 982 of 4 December 2014, as amended), as the independent Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) for the application process.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: •Construction of a 1 x 88kV chickadee powerline of ±2.3km from Lomond MTS to Safari Rural substation. Steel structures will be utilised to build the HV powerline. •Part of the 2 x 88kV underground oil filled cables will be dismantled and sealed off. •The Safari Rural substation will be refurbished by replacing old and redundant equipment.

LOCATION: Portion 0 of the Farm Weldaba 567 JQ, Madibeng Local Municipality, Bojanala Platinum District Municipality, North West Province. GPS coordinates: Starting point: 25° 48.141'S; 27° 56.315'E. End point: 25° 48.067'S; 27° 55.111'E. **LEGISLATION:** The proposed project requires Environmental Authorisation and a Basic EIA process for the following listed activities in terms of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended: GNR. 983 of 4 December 2014 (Listing Notice 1), as amended: Activity No. 11; and GNR. 985 4 December 2014 (Listing Notice 3), as amended: Activity No. 12. The public participation processes are conducted according to the requirements of Chapter 6 of the EIA Regulations and the requirements of the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act No. 14 of 2013). Should you wish to register as an Interested & Affected Party (I&AP) for the project, please request and complete an I&AP registration form (obtainable from the EAP). If you do not receive a confirmation of registration, please confirm that we have received your registration. Alternatively, you may submit your name, contact information and interest in the matter, in writing, to the EAP. The draft Basic Assessment Report will be available for public review and commenting for a period of 30 days from 4 April 2022 (registered I&APs will be informed once the report is available). A hard copy of the reports will also be available at the Hartbeespoort- and Brits libraries for viewing from 4 April 2022. MuTingati Environmental and Projects - Lizette Kloppers: Tel: 061 524 2211; Email: lizette@earthnsky.co.za/lizette.earthnsky@gmail.com; Fax to Email: 086 552 6837

OMGEWINGSMAGTIGING AANSOEK: LOMOND SAFARI 88KV KRAGLYN.

VERWYSINGSNOMMER: 2022-01-0005 U word hiermee in kennis gestel van die voorgestelde aansoek om Omgewingsmagtiging vir die Lomond Safari 88kV Kraglyn projek. Die aansoek sal by die Nasionale Departement van Bosbou, Visserye en die Omgewing ingedien word ingevolge die Wet op Nasionale Omgewingsbestuur (NEMA), 1998 (Wet No. 107 van 1998), soos gewysig, en die Omgewingsimpakstudieregulasies, 2014, soos gewysig. Die applikant, Eskom Holdings SOC Beperk, het Trans-Africa Projects aangestel, wat MuTingati Environmental and Projects aangestel het as die onafhanklike omgewingsevaluieringspraktisyne vir die aansoekproses.

PROJEKBESKRYWING:

•Konstruksie van 'n 1 x 88kV "chickadee" kraglyn van ±2.3km vanaf die Lomond Hooftransmissie Substasie na Safari Rural substasie. Staalstrukture sal gebruik word om die hoë spanning kraglyn te bou. •Deel van die 2 x 88kV ondergrondse olie gevulde kabels sal uitmekaar gehaal en afgeseël word. •Die Safari Rural substasie sal opgeknab word deur ou en oortollige toerusting te vervang.

PROJEKLIGGING:

Gedeelte 0 van die Plaas Weldaba 567 JQ, Madibeng Plaaslike Munisipaliteit, Bojanala Platinum Distriksmunisipaliteit, Noordwes Provincie. GPS-koördinate: Beginpunt: 25° 48.141'S; 27° 56.315'O. Eindpunt: 25° 48.067'S; 27°

55.111'O. **WETGEWING:** Die voorgestelde projek vereis Omgewingsmagtiging en 'n Basiese Omgewingsimpakstudieproses vir die volgende gelyste aktiwiteite ingevolge die Omgewingsimpakstudieregulasies, 2014, soos gewysig: GNR. 983 van 4 Desember 2014 (Noteringskennisgewing 1), soos gewysig: Aktiwiteit No. 11; en GNR. 985 van 4 Desember 2014 (Noteringskennisgewing 3), soos gewysig: Aktiwiteit No. 12. Die publieke deelname-prosesse word uitgevoer volgens die vereistes van Hoofstuk 6 van die Omgewingsimpakstudieregulasies en die vereistes van die Wet op die Beskerming van Persoonlike Inligting, 2013 (Wet No. 14 van 2013) (POPIA).

Indien u as 'n Belangstellende en Geaffekteerde Party wil regstreer, versoek en voltooi asseblief 'n Belangstellende

en Geaffekteerde Party registrasievorm (verkrygbaar by die omgewingsevalueringspraktisy). Indien u nie 'n bevestiging van registrasie ontvang nie, bevestig asseblief dat ons u registrasievorm ontvang het. Alternatiewelik kan u ook u naam, kontakinligting en belangstelling in die aangeleentheid skriftelik by die omgewingsevalueringspraktisy indien. Die konsep Basiese Assesseringsverslag sal vir 'n tydperk van 30 dae beskikbaar wees vir publieke hersiening en kommentaar vanaf 4 April 2022 (geregistreerde Belangstellende en Geaffekteerde Partye sal ingelig word sodra die verslag beskikbaar is). 'n Harde kopie van die verslae sal ook vanaf 4 April 2022 by die Hartbeespoort- en Brits-biblioteke beskikbaar wees vir besigtiging. MuTingati Environmental and Projects - Lizette Kloppers: Tel: 061 524 2211; E-pos: lizette@earthnsky.co.za/lizette.earthnsky@gmail.com; Faks na E-pos: 086 552 6837