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Your reference:

Our reference: 11604

Date: 28 August 2012

Dear Stakeholder

BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF A 132KV POWER LINE ASSOCIATED WITH THE CONSENTRATING PHOTOVOLTAIC (CPV)/PHOTOVOLTAIC (PV) SOLAR INFRASTRUCTURE (PV 2) FROM THE FARM DROOGFONTEIN TO ESKOM'S EXISTING MACFARLANE STUBSTATION NORTH OF KIMBERLEY, NORTHERN CAPE PROVINCE (DEA Reference Number: 14/12/16/3/3/1/508/1 and NEAS Reference Number: DEA/EIA/0001334/2012)

 AVAILABILITY OF THE DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR PUBLIC REVIEW

We would like to inform you that, in accordance with the National Environmental Management Act (NEMA), the Draft Basic Assessment Report (DBAR) is available for public review and comment as from **Monday 27 August 2012** to **Wednesday 26 September 2012** (end of business) on the SiVEST website (http://www.sivest.co.za/Download.aspx then browse to the folder '11604 Droogfontein 2 lines').

Your input into this BA process is highly valued as it will help identify, and if required address, any environmental impacts that may be associated with this proposed project.

Should I&APs, stakeholders and Organs of State wish to submit comments on the DBAR, SiVEST urges that these written submissions reached us on or before **Wednesday 26 September 2012**.

Please direct enquires or comments in writing to the Public Participation consultant below:

Kind Regards

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