

# NOTICE OF A BASIC ASSESSMENT PROCESS, HERITAGE IMPACT ASSESSMENT AND WATER USE LICENCE APPLICATION PROCESS

## BASIC ASSESSMENT PROCESS

Notice is hereby given that an application for a **Basic Assessment (BA) process**, more specifically a Basic Assessment (BA) process in terms of the National Environmental Management Act (NEMA), 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998, as amended) and Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations, as amended on 7 April 2017 (Regulations in terms of Chapter 5 of the NEMA) will be lodged with the Gauteng Department of Agriculture and Rural Development (GDARD).

## HERITAGE IMPACT ASSESSMENT

Notice is hereby given that an application for a **Phase 1 Heritage Impact Assessment (HIA)** in terms of Section 38 of the National Heritage Resources Act (NHRA), 1999 (Act No. 25 of 1999) will be lodged with the Provincial Heritage Resources Authority of Gauteng (PRHA-G).

## WATER USE LICENCE APPLICATION

A **Water Use Licence Application (WULA)** in terms of the National Water Act (NWA), 1998 (Act No. 36 of 1998, as amended) will be submitted to the Department of Water and Sanitation (DWS).

**Project Name:** Onderstepoort Wholesale Diesel Storage Facility.

**Proponent:** Ducor Projects.

**Project & Property Description:** The proposed Wholesale Diesel Storage Facility will be situated on Portion 99 of the Farm Onderstepoort 300 JR.

**Location:** The proposed study site is situated east of the Lavender Road (R101) in Onderstepoort and approximately 3km north-west of Wonderboom National Airport. The Apies river is situated 200m west of the study site. Linvelt Avenue is situated to the south of the site.

**Listed Activities applied for in terms of the NEMA 2014 EIA Regulations, as amended:**

Listing Notice 1 – Activities 14, 27 & 28; and  
Listing Notice 3 – Activities 10 & 12.

**NHRA Activities Triggered:**

- A development exceeding 5000m<sup>2</sup> in extent which will change the character of the site;
- Re-zoning of site exceeding 10 000m<sup>2</sup>.

**The proposed development triggers the following water uses in terms of the NWA:**

Section 21 (c): Impeding or diverting the flow of water in a watercourse; and  
Section 21 (i): Altering the bed, banks, course or characteristics of a watercourse.

**Date of Notice:** 21 May 2019 – 24 June 2019.

The activities associated with the aforementioned Wholesale Diesel Storage Facility trigger activities listed in Listing Notice 1 and 3 of the EIA Regulations, 2014 as amended in 2017, and are therefore subject to a **BA process**, and trigger activities in terms of Section 38 of the NHRA, and is therefore subject to a **HIA** and also a **WULA** due to activities triggered. Representations with respect to this application may be made by phone, fax or e-mail within **30 days** of the date of this notice. Please note that in order to continue to receive information regarding this project, you must register as an I&AP with the contact person listed below. All registered I&APs will be allowed **60 days** to comment on the WULA and **30 days** to comment on the BA Report upon release of the documentation.

**Queries regarding this matter should be referred to:**

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