

ANNEXURE: 3

Public Consultation

Public Participation Process undertaken

A Public Participation process was undertaken for the project and included the following:

- Placement of site notices at the entrance to the property;
- Placement of an advertisement in the Volksblad newspaper (on 29 June 2018) and in The Diamond Fields Advertiser (on 2 July 2018);
- Written notifications were sent to all identified Interested and Affected Parties (i.e. adjacent landowners);
- Written notifications were sent to the relevant authorities.

A time period of 30 days was allowed for the identified I&As to register and / or send their issues and concerns regarding the proposed project to Turn180 Environmental Consultants.

List of I&AP's

Name	Organisation / Interest	Contact Information	Manner of Notification	Comments received
Authorities				
Ms. Z.M. Bogatsu (Municipal Manager)	Frances Baard District Municipality	Private Bag X6088 Kimberley 8300 51 Drakensberg Ave Carters Glen Kimberley Contact: Fatima Ruiters (Personal Assistant) (053) 838 0998 Email: fatima.ruiters@fbdm.co.za	Per e-mail on 11/07/2018	No comment
Mr. G. Akharwaray (Municipal Manager)	Sol Plaatjies Local Municipality	Tel: 053 830 6100 Email: gakharwaray@solplaatje.org.za Private Bag X5030 Sol Plaatje Drive Kimberley 8300	Per e-mail on 11/07/2018	No comment
Mr. W. Mothibi (HOD – Agricultural and Rural Development) OF Harm Voster	Department of Agriculture, Land reform and Rural Development (Northern Cape)	053 838 9100 (T) Private Bag X5018 Kimberley 8300 162 George Street Kimberlite Building 051 409 2624 082 413 1796	Per Registered Letter on 11/07/2018	A letter was received on 21 May 2019 by the Northern Cape Department of Agriculture and Rural Development (Commission on Restitution of Land Rights) indicating land claims on the farm Zand Plaats 102/5, Vogelstruispan 101 and Vogelstruispan 98. It is unclear who made the land claims. This matter will be further investigated through the Scoping and EIA phase.

<p>Ms. J. Mans (Chief Forester: NFA Regulations)</p>	<p>Dept. of Agriculture, Forestry & Fisheries</p>	<p>Tel: 054 – 338 5909 PO Box 2782 Upington 8800 Email: jacolinema@daff.gov.za</p>	<p>Ms. Mans gave the following comments in an email on 18/07/2018: Referring to mining activities inside Vaal River: 1) - may negatively impact the riparian vegetation etc -developer to assess impact and avoid as far as possible. -If disturbance of trees to take place, a valid Forest Act License to be obtained prior 2) Supporting docs red When submitting NFA License includes: EA, Final approved layout, Flora permit ref nr. And Applicants ID. -then site inspection -time frame to be 30days from receipt of information. 3) Impact on trees Indirectly affect bird habitats. Therefore specialist studies must Include: terrestrial fauna and flora impact study with specific attention to Avifauna impacts and IBA. Aquatic study as well. 4) No trees with birds nests to be disturbed without valid fauna permit 5) Site must be overlaid on the NC Critical biodiversity Area (CBA) Map. Avoid impacts on CBA's and ESA's to be avoided. If not, inputs from provincial conservation authority. 6) Rehabilitation must include re-planting of indigenous riparian vegetation.</p>
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				Recommended that seeds be harvested before disturbance.
Ms Elizabeth Botes (HOD- Environment and Nature Conservation)	Department of Environment and Nature Conservation (Northern Cape)	Private Bag X6010 Kimberley 8301 90 Long Street Kimberley 8300 053 807 7300 (Tel) 053 807 7328 (Fax)	Per Registered Letter on 11/07/2018	No comment
Mr. Pieter Swart (Regional Manager)	Department of Mineral Resources (Northern Cape)	Email: Pieter.Swart@dmr.gov.za 65 Phakamile Mabija Street Perm Building Kimberley 8300 (053) 807 1700 (T) (053) 830 0827 (F)	Per e-mail on 11/07/2018	No comment. An application in terms of Section 102 of the MPRDA was submitted to the DMR to amend the Mining Right.
Mr. A. Abrahams (Chief director)	Department of Water affairs – Water Management Area 10	053 830 8803 (T) 0082 883 6741 (C) 0053 831 4534 (F) Private Bag X6101 Kimberley 8300 Email: AbrahamsA@dwa.gov.za	Per e-mail on 11/07/2018	No comment. A Water Use License Application was submitted to the DWS in November 2018.

Me. Natasha Higgitt	South-African Heritage Resource Agency	021 462 4502 (T) PO Box 4637 Cape Town 8000 nhiggitt@sahra.org.za	Submitted online on 16/07/2018	Interim comments were received via email on 3 August: Developer to ensure that a Heritage Impact Assessment (HIA) is done and must include an archaeological, paleontological and any other applicable heritage components and must be conducted as part of the EA. The proposed prospecting area is located within an area of moderate to high sensitivity in terms of palaeontological resources. Any other heritage resources as defined in section 3 of the NHRA that may be impacted must also be assessed. Scoping and EIA reports with all appendices must be submitted to the SAHRIS application at the start of each Public Review period for informed comment to be issued.
Ms. Pauline Williams (MEC)	Northern Cape Provincial Heritage Authority	1 Monridge Office Park c/o Kekewich Drive & Memorial Road Kimberley 8300 079 036 9695 (C) Email: rtimothy@nbkb.org.za	Per e-mail on 11/07/2018	No comment
Identified interested and Affected Parties				
Adre Els Safaries CC (Adjacent Landowner)	Zand Plaats 102/3 Zand Plaats 102/14	083 451 1007 (C) Email: adreels@yahoo.com	Per Email 11/07/2018	No comment
Schmidtsdrift Communal Property Association (Contact – Mr. Ezekiel Molelekwa) (Adjacent Landowner)	Schmidtsdrift 248/RE	082 427 0008 (C) Schmidtsdrift CPA P.O. Box 688 Kimberley 8300	Per Registered Letter on 11/07/2018	No comment
Mr. Adriaan	Doornlaagte 97/RE	Email: boeta.steenkamp@yahoo.com	Per Email on 11/07/2018	No comment

Jacobus Steenkamp (Adjacent Landowner)				
Grootdam Trust (Adjacent Landowner)	Ferny Hoek Flat 108/1	Not reached		No comment
Corne Anderson Piet Oosthuizen (De Beers consolidated mines Pty Ltd) (Adjacent Landowner)	Grasrandt 109/RE Randt Plaats 96/RE	Email: Corne.Anderson@debeersgroup.com Email: Piet.Oosthuizen@debeersgroup.com	Per Email 11/07/2018	Mr. Anderson indicated in an email that he would like to register as an I&AP on the project. He also indicated that no comments will be presented until amendments to Annexure 1 has been approved at a higher lever. Turn 180 responded by assuring that Mr Anderson is automatically registered as an I&AP as a landowner and that all future reports and information will be forwarded regarding the project.
Koos Van Staden and Johan van Staden Paalsewerf Boerdery CC (Adjacent Landowner).	Mosesberg 6/3	Koos: 082 326 7657 (C) koos@douglas.co.za Johan: 081 013 3560 (C) cjvanstaden1@gmail.com	Per Email 11/07/2018	No comment
Regal Royal Development Pty Ltd (Adjacent Landowner)	Mosesberg 6/14 - 18	Not reached		No comment
Mr. William Kenneth Shaw (Adjacent Landowner)	Mosesberg 6/19	084 561 1939 (C) PO Box 486 Kimberley 8300	Per Registered Letter on 11/07/2018	No comment
Mr. Duncan Clifford Shaw (Adjacent Landowner)	Mosesberg 6/21	072 463 5604 (C) 7 Buster Bowden Rhodesdene 8301 PO Box 1100 Kimberley 8300	Per Registered Letter on 11/07/2018	No comment
Danie Kuhn (Adjacent Landowner)	Zand Plaats 102/15	082 524 8567 (C) Email: ddk@wam.co.za	Per Email on 11/07/2018	No comment
Sol Plaatjies Local Municipality	Drooge Veldt 292/RE	Mr. G. Akharwaray (Municipal Manager) Tel: 053 830 6100	Per Email on 11/07/2018	No comment

(Adjacent Landowner)		Email: gakharwaray@solplaatje.org.za Private Bag X5030 Sol Plaatje Drive Kimberley 8300		
Bosman Estate	Farm 293/2 Farm 293/RE	Not reached		No comment
Adjacent landowner		charleskros@vodamail.co.za	Per Email on 11/07/2018	No comment
Adjacent landowner		hsadup@lantic.net	Per Email on 11/07/2018	No comment
Adjacent landowner		Deon.joubert@sanparks.org nico@africantrophysafaris.com koketso.kotsoe@sanparks.co.za	Per Email on 11/07/2018	Original notification was E-mailed to Mr Deon Joubert of Sanparks. Turn 180 received feedback from Mr Joubert that he resigned from Sanparks and that all correspondence should be sent to the acting park manager Mr. Kotsoe. The notification was then forwarded to him.
Rooipoort Community Development Trust	Land Claim	Vernon Mostert (Chairman) Email: Vernon@xcelentproperties.co.za P.O. Box 110025 Hadison Park Kimberley 8306		Turn 180 received an email from Mr. Mostert on 13/07/2018 with a formal letter of objection against the project because of a land claim. Turn 180 responded on 16/07/2018 indicating that all future correspondence regarding this project will be forwarded to Mr Mostert and that the letter will be included in the comments and response register. Turn 180 also indicated that they await the land claims letter from Dept of Rural Development and Land Reform which will then also be included in the register.
Rooipoort Trust	Land Claim	073 210 4644 (Cell)	Notified	No comment

(Mr. Richard Hoogstander)		rooipoorttrust@webmail.co.za	telephonically and via e-mail on 30/7/2018	
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Example of notification sent to authorities:



SUITE 221 | PRIVATE BAG X01 | BRANDHOF | 9324

8 CONDE STREET | BAYSWATER | BLOEMFONTEIN | 9301

TEL: 072 967 7962

E-MAIL: louis@turn180.co.za

Date: 30 July 2018

Enquiries: **Louis De Villiers**

DMR Ref: **NC 30/5/1/2/5/2/147 MR**

Dear Interested and Affected Party

NOTICE OF THE APPLICATION FOR AN INTEGRATED WATER USE LICENSE AND ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION FOR THE DIAMOND MINING OPERATION ON PORTION FARM OF ZAND PLAATS 102, REMAINDER OF VOGELSTRUISPAN 101, REMAINDER OF THE FARM VOGELSTRUISPAN 98, REMAINDER OF KLIPFONTEIN 99 AND REMAINDER OF BERGPLAATS 100, KIMBERLEY DISTRICT, NORTHERN CAPE

Notice is given of an application for an Water Use License (“**WULA**”) to the Department of Water and Sanitation (“**DWS**”) in terms of Section 21(c) and (i) of the National Water Act 36 of 1998 (“**NWA**”) and Environmental Authorisation (“**EA**”) to the Department of Mineral Resources (“**DMR**”) in terms of the and the 2017 EIA Regulations under the National Environmental Management Act 107 of 1998 (“**NEMA**”) for the mining of alluvial diamonds inside watercourses (including the Vaal River) and other sensitive areas on the following properties in the Kimberley District of the Northern Cape:

Zand Plaats 102/5

Vogelstruispan RE/101

Vogelstruispan RE/98

Klipfontein RE/99, and

Bergplaats RE/100

This notification provides you as potential Interested and Affected Parties (“I&AP”), Stakeholder and/or Commenting Authority with the opportunity to comment on the proposed project and to indicate your interest.

1. Project Description

Current activities:

Rooipoort Developments (Pty) Ltd (“**The Applicant**”) has an existing mining right (refer to DMR Reference Number above) and a Record of Decision (“**RoD**”) for the existing alluvial diamond mining operation on the properties indicated above. The proposed application and licenses, if authorised, will allow the applicant to conduct mining activities inside, and within the 1:100-year flood line of the Vaal River and other watercourses on the mining right area.

The existing mining operation consist of opencast mining with 70-ton excavators whereby topsoil and overburden is stripped from the surface to expose the diamond bearing gravel. The gravels are excavated from the void and screened to extract the oversized materials from the gravel. Each open void has a footprint of 100m x 200m, except for some areas where the voids will be limited to an area of 100m x 50m. Only one void is opened for each deposit, but three voids will be open at any given time as one void will be stripped of overburden, gravel will be removed from the second void and transported to the Process Plant and the third void will be backfilled and rehabilitated. Topsoil and overburden removed will be stockpiled separately on the high ground size of the void to be returned to the void during rehabilitation.

The gravel from the void is transported to the Process Plant via trucks where it is screened to a size of <75mm. This screened material is then scrubbed and screened to -32mm and +2mm where after this concentrate is processed through a Dense Medium Separator (“**DMS**”) plant and the final recovery section (“**Process Plant**”). After processing of the material, it (with the oversized material) is hauled back to the same void from where it has been excavated.

Fine material suspended in water from the Process Plant is pumped back to the first excavation site (“**First Cut**”) where the fine material is allowed to settle, and water is recovered and re-used in the Process Plant. When the First Cut is filled with fine material and is dry enough the overburden and topsoil is returned, and the First Cut is rehabilitated.

Proposed activities:

The mining activities will remain as indicated above with the exception that voids will be made inside inland watercourses where the gravels will be excavated. After mining of the voids, the watercourses will be rehabilitated and returned to their pre-mining condition. Effort will be made to rehabilitate the watercourse in such a manner to improve runoff and to reduce risks of erosion and sedimentation of downstream watercourses.

Mining activities is planned inside the Vaal River. The mining activities proposed in the Vaal River includes the diversion of the active channel to dry the bed of the river before mining occurs. After mining of the bed of the Vaal River the material will be returned, and the bed of the Vaal River will be rehabilitated before the mined out section is opened for the flow of water.

2. Legislation

The following licenses will be applied for:

- *Application for Water Use License (“WUL”) for the following water uses listed in the NWA:*
 - *Section 21(c): “Impeding or diverting the flow of water in a watercourse”; and*
 - *Section 21(j): “Altering the bed, banks, course or characteristics of a watercourse”.*
- *Application for EA for the following activities:*
 - *GN. R. 325 of the 2017 EIA Regulations:*

Activity 15: “The clearance of an area of 20 ha or more of indigenous vegetation”,

Activity 17: “Any activity including the operation of that activity which requires a mining right as contemplated in Section 22 of the MPRDA, including (a) associated infrastructure, structures and earthworks, directly related to the extraction of a mineral resource; or (b) the primary processing of a mineral resource including winning, extraction, classification, concentrating, crushing, screening or washing”.

- *GN. R. 327 of the 2017 EIA Regulations:*

Activity 14: “The development and related operation of facilities or infrastructure, for the storage, or for the storage and handling, of a dangerous good, where such storage occurs in containers with a combined capacity of 80 cubic metres or more but not exceeding 500 cubic meters”

Activity 19: “The infilling or depositing of any material of more than 10 cubic metres into, or the dredging, excavation, removal or moving of soil, sand, shells, shell grit, pebbles or rock of more than 10 cubic metres from a watercourse”

Activity 24: “The development of a road—(ii) wider than 8 meters”.

The application process will include the following:

- WULA,
- S&EIR Process,
- Public Participation Process,
- Specialist studies including designs and method statements.

3. S&EIR

The impacts of all activities associated with the Project will be assessed in the S&EIR. Draft reports will be made available to all registered I&APs for comment. Comments received will be addressed and incorporated into the final reports, which will then also be made available to the registered I&APs for comment.

An Environmental Management Programme report will also be developed for all activities associated with the Project, wherein mitigation and management measures will be proposed that should be implemented during all phases of the project. The final reports will be submitted to the DMR (Kimberley) for processing of the application for EA.

Comments received regarding the WULA will be included in all reports.

4. Locality:

The proposed mining activities is planned for the 5 properties as indicated above. Please refer to the attached locality map.

The centre coordinates for the properties on which the activities are planned are as follows:

Latitude	Longitude
28°38'8.53"	24°10'24.47"

5. Invitation to participate

You are requested to send any issues and/or concerns regarding the proposed projects to Louis De Villiers at Turn180 Environmental Consultants within 30 days of the date of this letter. Any of the following contact details can be used:

072 967 7962 (Tel)

Suite 221

Private Bag X01

Brandhof

Bloemfontein

9324

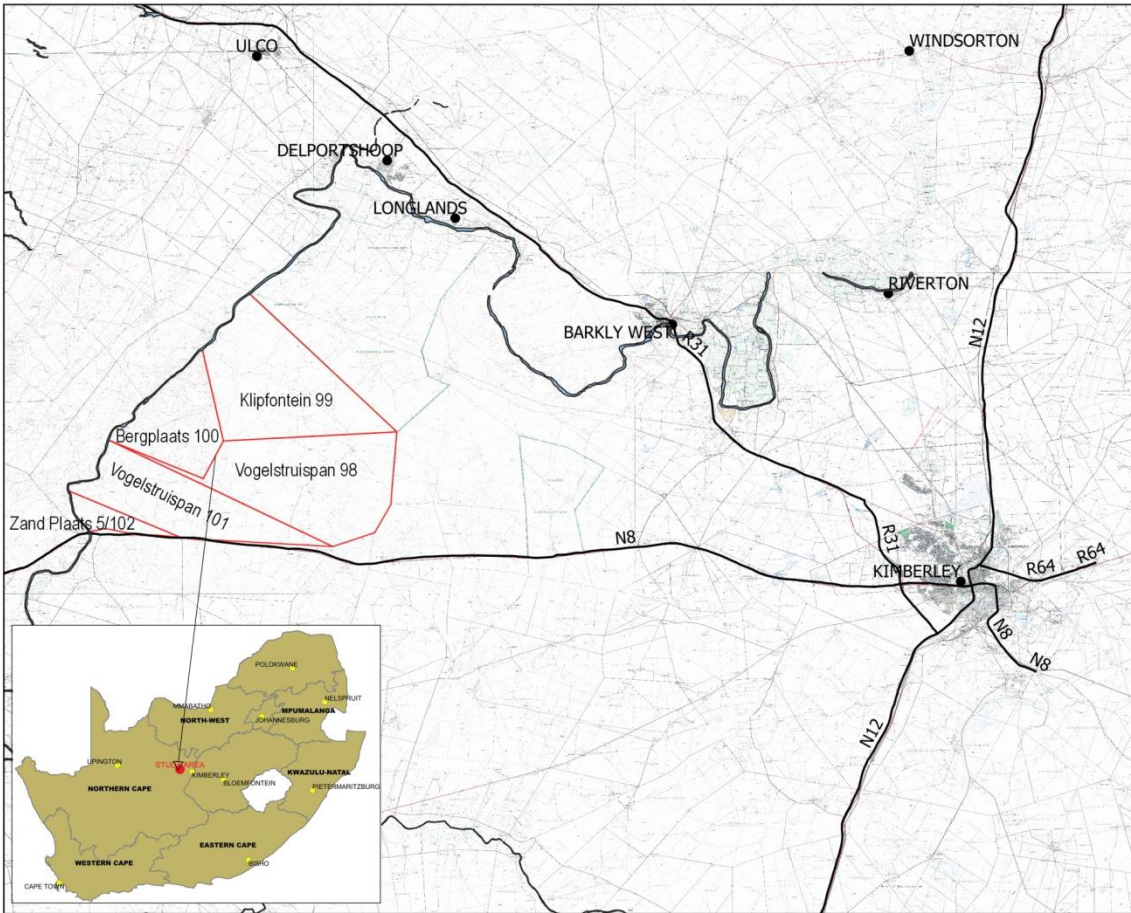
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PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS

**Application for Environmental Authorisation for the Rooipoort Developments mining activities,
Kimberley District, Northern Cape**

Land Owner Name:	
(Individual/MPY/TRUST/CC)	
Contact Person:	
Name of Farm adjacent to area under investigation	
Farm Number and Portion of Farm	
Contact detail of Contact Person given above:	
	Tel:
	E-mail:
	Fax:
	Address:
Comment or any concerns:	
Signature and date:	

LOCALITY MAP OF THE ZAND PLAATS 102/5, VOGELSTRUISPAN 101, VOGELSTRUISPAN 98, KLIPFONTEIN 99 AND BERGPLAATS 100. KIMBERLEY. NORTHERN CAPE



APPLICANT:
Roopport Developments (Pty) Ltd

CONSULTANT:



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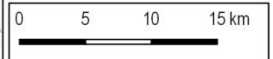
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Legend

-  Rivers
-  Roads
-  Towns
-  Study area

MAP INFORMATION:

1:50 000 Topo Map -
2824CA and CB
WGS84
Scale: 1:150 000



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Dear Potential Interested and/or Affected Party ("**I&AP**")

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Please find attached the notification and Background Information Document ("**BID**") for the above-mentioned proposed project.

We would appreciate your comments on the project. Please also indicate if you would like to register as an I&AP and receive all the project reports and information. Please refer to the notification for the relevant contact details of the Environmental Assessment Practitioner ("**EAP**").

We trust you will find this in order.

Kind regards

Louis De Villiers



Admin

From: louis@turn180.co.za
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Dear Potential Interested and/or Affected Party ("**I&AP**") – Mr. Richard Hoogstander (**Rooipoort Trust**)

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Dear Ms. Williams – Northern Cape Provincial Heritage Authority

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Our office would like to request a meeting with your department to discuss the proposed project in detail to establish the requirements from your department. The proposed date for this meeting is **Wednesday, 25 July 2018 at 10am** at your offices. Please indicate your availability on this date. If you will not be available at this date we would appreciate it if you could give us an alternative date in that week to have the meeting.

We trust you will find this in order.

Kind regards,

Louis De Villiers



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Dear Mr. Swart – Regional Manager Dept of Mineral Resources,

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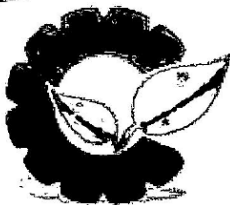
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Comments from I&AP regarding BID sent:

From: JacolineMa <JacolineMa@daff.gov.za>

Sent: Wednesday, 18 July 2018 15:08

To: louis@turn180.co.za

Subject: Comments on BID proposed Diamond Mining Zan Plaats 102, etc.

Dear Mr. De Villiers

Attached please find comments from the Department of Forestry on the above-mentioned proposed mining activities in the Kimberley District.

Thank you for allowing this Department to comment.

Kind Regards, Jacoline Mans
Chief Forester: NFA Regulation
Department of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries
Tel (054) 338 5909



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Department:
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Directorate: Forestry Management (Other Regions)
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Enquiries: J Mans
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Date: 18 July 2018
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ATTENTION: Louis De Villiers (louis@turn180.co.za)

RE: COMMENTS ON BACKGROUND INFORMATION DOCUMENT FOR THE PROPOSED DIAMOND MINING OPERATION ON PORTION FARM OF ZAND PLAATS 102, REMAINDER OF VOGELSTRUISPAN 101, REMAINDER OF THE FARM VOGELSTRUISPAN 98, REMAINDER OF KLIPFONTEIN 99 AND REMAINDER OF BERGPLAATS 100, KIMBERLEY DISTRICT, NORTHERN CAPE (DMR REF: NOT SUPPLIED)

1. DEPARTMENTAL MANDATE

The Directorate: Forestry Management (Other Regions) in the Department of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries (DAFF) is responsible for implementation of the **National Forests Act, Act 84 of 1998 (NFA) and the National Veld and Forest Fires Act, Act 101 of 1998** as amended. The developer must take note of the following sections of the NFA:

1.1 Section 12(1): "The Minister may declare-

- (a) a particular tree,
- (b) a particular group of trees,
- (c) a particular woodland; or
- (d) trees belonging to a particular species, to be a protected tree, group of trees, woodland or species.

1.2 Section 15(1): "No person may-

- (a) Cut, disturb, damage or destroy any protected tree; or

- (b) Possess, collect, remove, transport, export, purchase, sell, donate or in any other manner acquire or dispose of any protected tree, or any forest product derived from a protected tree, except-
 - (i) under a license granted by the Minister; or
 - (ii) in terms of an exemption from the provision of this subsection published by the Minister in the Gazette on the advice of the Council.”

1.3 “Any person who contravenes the prohibition on-

- (i) The cutting, disturbance, damage or destruction of temporarily protected trees or groups of trees referred to in section 14(2) or protected trees referred to in section 15(1)(a); or
- (ii) The possession, collection, removal, transport, export, purchase or sale of temporarily protected trees or groups of trees referred to in section 14(2) or protected trees referred to in section 15(1)(b), or any forest product derived from a temporarily protected tree, group of trees or protected tree, is guilty of a first category offence.

1.4 Section 58 (1): “Any person who is guilty of a first category offence referred to in sections 62 and 63 may be sentenced to a fine or imprisonment for a period of up to three years, or to both a fine and such imprisonment.”

1.5 The list of protected tree species under section 12(1) (d) of the National Forests Act, 1998 (Act No. 84 of 1998) is published annually; the most recent publication was in GN690 of 8 September 2017.

2. COMMENTS ON BACKGROUND INFORMATION DOCUMENT

2.1 The report refers to the application to conduct mining activities inside the Vaal River. This may negatively impact the riparian vegetation and protected trees such as *Boscia albitrunca* and *Vachellia erioloba* which may occur within the study site. The developer must assess the potential impact on protected trees and avoid impacts as far as possible. Where trees cannot be avoided, the applicant must apply for and obtain a valid Forest Act License prior to disturbance of any protected trees. A pre-mining assessment may be required of the final approved footprint to determine the exact number of affected individuals that would need to be applied for.

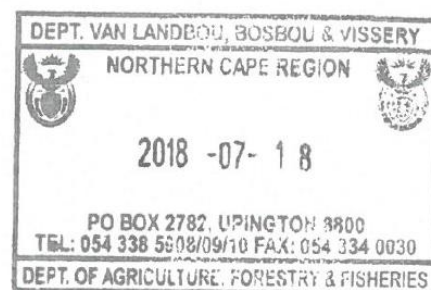
2.2 Supporting documentation required when submitting a NFA License application include a copy of the Environmental Authorisation, Final Approved Layout, Flora Permit reference number and a copy of the applicant’s I.D (person representing the company). The Department will then arrange to do a site inspection. The time frame for processing of NFA Licenses is 30 days from receipt of all requested information. Application forms are available online (www.daff.gov.za) or at any Forestry Office.

- 2.3 Impacts on trees indirectly affect bird habitats; therefore the recommended specialist studies must include a terrestrial fauna and flora impact study, with specific attention to avifauna impacts and Important Bird Areas (IBA), as well as an aquatic impact study, since water will be diverted to dry out the riverbed.
- 2.4 Please note that trees with bird nests may not be damaged or disturbed without a valid Fauna Permit from the provincial Department of Environment and Nature Conservation (DENC) under the Northern Cape Nature Conservation Act, Act 9 of 2009 (NCNCA), if affected.
- 2.5 The study site must be overlaid on the Northern Cape Critical Biodiversity Area (CBA) Map. Impacts on CBA's and Ecological Support Areas (ESA's) must be avoided. If unavoidable, inputs must be obtained from the provincial conservation authority to determine if a biodiversity offset is required. If so, an offset Implementation Agreement must be developed prior to commencement of mining, specifying the offset requirement, roles and responsibilities, costs, timelines and penalties that would come into effect once the project received all other approvals and authorisations.
- 2.6 The BID stated that the watercourses will be rehabilitated and returned to their pre-mining condition. Please ensure that this rehabilitation include re-planting of indigenous riparian vegetation. It is therefore recommended that seeds be harvested from affected plants prior to disturbance, to be used during rehabilitation for cultivation of seedlings of the same species. It might be necessary to establish and on-site nursery to rescue plants and cultivate seedlings to be used in rehabilitation.

Kind Regards,


Jacoline Mans

Chief Forester: NFA Regulation



-----Original Message-----

From: Vernon <vernon@xcelentproperties.co.za>

Sent: Sunday, 15 July 2018 13:42

To: louis@turn180.co.za

Subject: OBJECTION

Hi Louis

Attachment self evident

Regards

Vernon Mostert



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REF; 147MR

Dear Louis

With reference to your application for WUL Section 21(c)and (i) under the National Water Act36 of1998, we the community of Rooipoort FORMALY object against your application. We have an legitimate landclaim pending that was lodge 23/12/1998

Kind Regards


Vernon Mostert

Chairman

Admin

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Dear Mr. Mostert

Thank you for your correspondence regarding the Rooipoort project.
Your letter will be included in the comments and response register and all future reports will be sent to you for commenting.
We will furthermore await the land claims letter from the Department of Rural Development and Land Reform which will also be included in the comments and response register.

Kind regards

Louis De Villiers

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From: Goolam Akharwaray [GAkharwaray@solplaatje.org.za]
Sent: 11 July 2018 04:33 PM
To: Admin
Subject: RE: Background Information Document and Notice of S&EIR and WULA Process

Hi

The matter has been referred to the infrastructure department for attention

MM

From: Anderson, Corne <Corne.Anderson@debeersgroup.com>
Sent: Wednesday, 11 July 2018 10:40
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Cc: louis@turn180.co.za
Subject: RE: Background Information Document

Good morning Louis

Please register me as an I&A Party (see details below). We will not give any comments at present until the proposed amendments to Annexure I has been approved at a higher level.

Regards

Corne

Dr Corne Anderson Pr.Sci.Nat. (Ecology)
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Admin

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Subject: RE: Background Information Document

Good morning Corne

Thank you for registering as I&AP.

You were actually registered automatically as landowner and we will send you all reports and information regarding the project. Please let me know if there is any additional information you might require from me regarding the project.

Kind regards

Louis De Villiers

Admin

From: Deon Joubert [deon.joubert@sanparks.org]
Sent: 11 July 2018 10:41 AM
To: Admin
Subject: Automatic reply: Background Information Document and Notice of S&EIR and WULA Process

Dear Sender.

Dear Sender.

I have resigned from SANParks. For any park related issues, you can contact Koketso Kotsoe the acting park manager. He can be reached on the land line 053-2048000, cell 081 507 2923 or e-mail koketso.kotsoe@sanparks.org

Thanks.
Deon Joubert



Enquiries: Natasha Higgitt
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CaseID: 12718

Date: Friday August 03, 2018
Page No: 1

Interim Comment

In terms of Section 38(3), 38(8) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999)

Attention: Rooipoort Developments (Pty) Ltd

Notice of the application for an integrated Water Use Licence and Environmental Authorisation for the diamond mining operation on a portion of the farm Zand Plaats 102, remainder of the farm Vogelstruispan 101, remainder of the farm Vogelstruispan 98, remainder of the farm Klipfontein 99 and remainder of Bergplaats 100, Kimberley district, Northern Cape.

Thank you for notifying SAHRA of the Environmental Authorisation (EA) and Water Use License (WUL) Application on the farm Zand Plaats 102, remainder of the farm Vogelstruispan 101, remainder of the farm Vogelstruispan 98, remainder of the farm Klipfontein 99 and remainder of Bergplaats 100, Kimberley district, Northern Cape.

As the proposed development is undergoing an EA Application process in terms of the National Environmental Management Act, 107 of 1998 (NEMA), NEMA Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations for activities that trigger the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, No 28 of 2002 (MPRDA)(As amended), it is incumbent on the developer to ensure that a **Heritage Impact Assessment** (HIA) is done as per section 38(3) and 38(8) of the National Heritage Resources Act, Act 25 of 1999 (NHRA). This must include an archaeological component, palaeontological component and any other applicable heritage components. The HIA must be conducted **as part of the EA Application** in terms of NEMA and the NEMA EIA Regulations.

The quickest process to follow for the archaeological component would be to contract a specialist (see www.asapa.org.za or www.aphp.org.za to provide an Archaeological Impact Assessment (AIA). The AIA must comply with the SAHRA 2007 Minimum Standards: Archaeological and Palaeontological Component of Impact Assessments.

The proposed prospecting area is located within an area of moderate to high sensitivity in terms of palaeontological resources. An assessment of the impact of the development on palaeontological resources is required to be completed by a qualified palaeontologists. The report must comply with the SAHRA 2012 Minimum Standards: Palaeontological Component of Heritage Impact Assessments (see www.palaeontologicalsociety.co.za for qualified paleontologists).

Any other heritage resources as defined in section 3 of the NHRA that may be impacted, such as maritime

archaeology, built structures over 60 years old, sites of cultural significance associated with oral histories, burial grounds and graves, graves of victims of conflict, and cultural landscapes or viewsapes must also be assessed.

The Scoping and EIA reports with all appendices must be submitted to the SAHRIS application at the start of each Public Review period in order for an informed comment to be issued that can be included in the final reports for submission to the competent authority.

Should you have any further queries, please contact the designated official using the case number quoted above in the case header.

Yours faithfully



Natasha Higgitt
Heritage Officer
South African Heritage Resources Agency



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