

04 April 2023

## **Dear Registered Interested and Affected Party**

## NEMA PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS - AVAILABILITY OF THE REVISED DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT

THE PROPOSED HARVARD 1 SOLAR PV FACILITY AND GRID CONNECTION, PORTION 5\* OF FARM SPES BONA NO. 2355, AND REMAINDER OF FARM 2300, BLOEMFONTEIN, FREE STATE

**D:FFE Ref No.:** 14/12/16/3/3/2/2196

Notice is hereby given of the availability of the <u>Revised</u> Draft Environmental Impact Report for the proposed Harvard 1 Solar PV Facility and Grid Connection for viewing and comment and the public participation process, in terms of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998), as amended ("NEMA"), Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations 2014.

## **Public Participation:**

You/your department have <u>30 days</u> to comment on the Revised Draft Environmental Impact Report (as per DFFE requirement). Should comments not be received within the prescribed timeframes, it would be assumed that no comments are forthcoming. The commenting period is from **05 April 2023 to 09 May 2023.** 

The Revised Draft Environmental Impact Report and all appendices will be available for viewing at the following website: <a href="http://enviroafrica.co.za/projects/for-public-participation/">http://enviroafrica.co.za/projects/for-public-participation/</a>

Please contact the EAP below to arrange other means of viewing the report if required.

Comments are to be submitted to the:

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Should you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely, Clinton Geyser

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\*Please note that previous reports for Harvard 1 incorrectly referred to the property as Portion 8 of Farm Spes Bona 2355. Portion 8 is reflected in the SG Diagram, SG code, and the DFFE Screening Tool. This portion was subdivided from Portion 5 of Farm Spes Bona No. 2355 and registered at the Surveyor General office (SG code F00300000000235500008), but this has not been finalised at the Deeds Office. The property can therefore not be referred to as Portion 8, but as Portion 5.