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South African Heritage Resources Agency
111 Harringto Street
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Att: Ms. Ragna Redelstorff

NOTIFICATION OF THE GRANTING OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN EMULSION PLANT ON ERF 1559, HARDUSTRIA, HARRISMITH, FREE STATE (Ref. no.: EMS/4,6/19/05).

The purpose of this letter is to notify you as registered Interested and/or Affected Party (“**I&AP**”) that the Department of Economic, Small Business Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs (“**DESTEA**”) granted Environmental Authorisation (“**EA**”) on 18/09/2020 (Received 21/09/2020) in terms of the 2014 Environmental Impact Assessment (“**EIA**”) regulations as amended under the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act 107 of 1998) (“**NEMA**”) for the establishment of an Emulsion Plant on erf 1559, Hardustria, Harrismith, Free State. Please refer to the following details of the activities:

Applicant	Reference number	Property details	Listed Activities authorised
South African Road Binders (Pty) Ltd	Ref. No.: EMS/4,6/19/05	Erf 1559, Hardustria, Harrismith, Free State.	GN R. 325 Activity 4 and 6

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Listed activities authorised:

GN. R. 325 of the 2014 EIA Regulations as amended:

- Activity 4 – *“The development and related operation of facilities or infrastructure, for the storage, or storage and handling of a dangerous good, where such storage occurs in containers with a combined capacity of more than 500 cubic metres.”*
- Activity 6 – *“The development of facilities or infrastructure for any process or activity which requires a permit or licence or an amended permit or licence in terms of national or provincial legislation governing the generation or release of emissions, pollution or effluent”.*

The DESTEA is satisfied on the basis of information available to it and subject to compliance with the conditions of the EA, that the applicant should be authorised to undertake the activity as specified above. In reaching its decision, the Department took the following into consideration:

a) the information contained in the Environmental Impact Assessment Report (“**EIAR**”) and the accompanying Environmental Management Programme Report (“**EMPr**”), b) mitigation measures as proposed in the EIAR and the EMPr, c) The objectives and requirements of relevant legislation, policies and guidelines and Section 2 of the NEMA d) the findings of the site visit undertaken by Ms. B. Mogorosi from DESTEA.

A copy of the approved EA can be obtained from Turn 180 Environmental Consultants on request. Parties wishing to appeal against the decision should lodge an appeal within 20 days of receiving this notification. An appeal should be directed to: **Attention: Mr. Thabo Molotsi, MEC (DESTEA), Private Bag X20801, Bloemfontein, 9300, Tel: 051 400 4714, E-mail: molotsit@destea.gov.za**

Please do not hesitate to contact this office at 072 967 7962/072 838 8189 (Cell) or ansune@turn180.co.za / admin@turn180.co.za if you have any queries or concerns regarding this project or would like to obtain more information regarding the appeals process.

Kind regards



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