APPENDIX G4 ADVERTICEMENTS AND SITE NOTICES

Advertisements

NOTICE OF AN ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION AMENDMENTS AND PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS

GRID CONNECTION INFRASTRUCTURE FOR THE ZONNEQUA WIND FARM (DFFE Ref: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2033) & NAMAS WIND FARM (DFFE Ref: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2032)

Applicant:

Grid connection infrastructure for the Zonnequa Wind Farm	Genesis Zonnequa Wind (Pty) Ltd
Grid connection infrastructure for the Namas Wind Farm	Genesis Namas Wind (Pty) Ltd

Environmental Authorisation (EA) for the grid connection infrastructure for the Zonnequa Wind Farm in the Northern Cape was issued on 18 November 2019 (DFFE Ref No.: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2033) and for the Namas Wind Farm in the Northern Cape was issued on 26 November 2019 (DEFF Ref No.: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2032). The following amendments are proposed for the authorisations above:

- 1. Amendment of the co-ordinates of the substation / switching station positions to be in line with the amended Facility EAs issued in January 2020.
- 2. Amendment of the corridor width from the authorised 300m to 600m (to be 300m east and west of the 400 kV line in order to ensure the power line can be constructed in line with Eskom's requirements).
- 3. The corridor / envelope around Gromis MTS to be expanded to allow entry to the 132 kV yard from the north.

Project Location: The sites fall within Nama Khoi Local Municipality within the Namakwa District Municipality. Grid connection infrastructure for the Namas & Zonnequa Wind Farms is to be constructed on the following properties:

Zonnequa Wind Farm Grid Connection Infrastructure		Namas Wind Farm Grid Connection Infrastructure	
»	Remaining extent of the Farm Zonnekwa 326	*	Portion 3 of the Farm Zonnekwa 328
»	Remaining extent of the Farm Honde Vlei 325	»	Portion 2 of the Farm Zonnekwa 328
»	Remaining extent of the Farm Kannabieduin 324	»	Portion 1 of the Farm Zonnekwa 326
»	Remaining extent of the Farm Sand Kop 322	»	Remaining extent of the Farm Zonnekwa 326
»	Remaining extent of the Farm Mannels Vley 321	»	Remaining extent of the Farm Honde Vlei 325
»	Remaining extent of the Farm Dikgat 195	»	Remaining extent of the Farm Kannabieduin 324
»	Portion 15 of the Farm Dikgat 195	»	Remaining extent of the Farm Sand Kop 322
»	Portion 2 Pienaars Bult No. 317	»	Remaining extent of the Farm Mannels Vley 321
»	Portion 4 of the Farm Dikgat 195	»	Remaining extent of the Farm Dikgat 195
		»	Portion 15 of the Farm Dikgat 195
		»	Remaining Extent of Farm Rooivlei 327
		»	Portion 2 Pienaars Bult No. 317
		»	Portion 4 of the Farm Dikgat 195

In terms of Condition 5 of the Environmental Authorisation dated 28 May 2015 and Regulation 31 of the EIA Regulations of December 2014, as amended, the applicants have submitted applications to the Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment for an amendment to the approved project description in the EAs.

Motivation Report(s) available for public review and comment: Savannah Environmental has compiled Motivation Reports in support of the Amendment Applications. The Motivation Reports are available for public review and comment between 24 May 2021 and 24 June 2021. The Motivation Reports can be downloaded from Savannah Environmental's website (https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/grid-infrastructure/). The due date for written comment is 24 June 2021.

To obtain further information, please submit your name, contact information and interest in the projects, in writing, to Savannah Environmental:

Nicolene Venter at Savannah Environmental P.O. Box 148, Sunninghill, 2157 Tel: 011 656 3237 Fax: 086 684 0547 Email: publicprocess@savannahsa.com Website: www.savannahsa.com





WWW.SERVICESSETA.ORG.ZA

nail: publics

rocess@savannahsa.com ebsite: www.savannahsa.com

Site Notices

NOTICE OF AN ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION AMENDMENT AND PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS

GRID CONNECTION INFRASTRUCTURE FOR THE NAMAS WIND FARM (DFFE Ref: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2033) & ZONNEQUA WIND FARM (DFFE Ref: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2032)

Applicant:

Grid connection infrastructure for the Zonnequa Wind Farm	Genesis Zonnequa Wind (Pty) Ltd
Grid connection infrastructure for the Namas Wind Farm	Genesis Namas Wind (Pty) Ltd

Proposed Amendments: Environmental Authorisation (EA) for the grid connection infrastructure for the Zonnequa Wind Farm in the Northern Cape was issued on 18 November 2019 (DFFE Ref No.: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2033) and for the Namas Wind Farm in the Northern Cape was issued on 26 November 2019 (DFFE Ref No.: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2032). The following amendments are proposed for the authorisations above:

- 1. Amendment of the co-ordinates of the substation/ switching station positions to be in line with the amended Facility EAs issued in January 2020.
- 2. Amendment of the corridor width from the authorised 300m to 600m (to be 300m east and west of the 400 kV line in order to ensure the power line can be constructed in line with Eskom's requirements).
- 3. The corridor/ envelope around Gromis MTS to be expanded to allow entry to the 132 kV yard from the north.

Project Location: The sites fall within Nama Khoi Local Municipality within the Namakwa District Municipality. Grid connection infrastructure for the Namas and Zonnequa Wind Farms is to be constructed on the following properties:

Zonnequa Wind Farm Grid Connection Infrastructure		Namas Wind Farm Grid Connection Infrastructure	
»	Remaining extent of the Farm Zonnekwa 326	*	Portion 3 of the Farm Zonnekwa 328
»	Remaining extent of the Farm Honde Vlei 325	»	Portion 2 of the Farm Zonnekwa 328
»	Remaining extent of the Farm Kannabieduin 324	»	Portion 1 of the Farm Zonnekwa 326
»	Remaining extent of the Farm Sand Kop 322	»	Remaining extent of the Farm Zonnekwa 326
»	Remaining extent of the Farm Mannels Vley 321	»	Remaining extent of the Farm Honde Vlei 325
»	Remaining extent of the Farm Dikgat 195	»	Remaining extent of the Farm Kannabieduin 324
»	Portion 15 of the Farm Dikgat 195	»	Remaining extent of the Farm Sand Kop 322
»	Portion 2 Pienaars Bult No. 317	»	Remaining extent of the Farm Mannels Vley 321
»	Portion 4 of the Farm Dikgat 195	»	Remaining extent of the Farm Dikgat 195
		»	Portion 15 of the Farm Dikgat 195
		»	Remaining Extent of Farm Rooivlei 327
		»	Portion 2 Pienaars Bult No. 317
		»	Portion 4 of the Farm Dikgat 195

In terms of Condition 5 of the Environmental Authorisations above and Regulation 31 of the EIA Regulations of December 2014, as amended, the applicants have submitted applications to the Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment for an amendment to the approved project description in the EAs.

In terms of Regulation 32 of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations of 2014, as amended, opportunity is being provided to the public to provide comment on the proposed amendments. Interested and affected parties can request further information via email or telephone correspondence from the contact person below. Comments can be submitted in writing via post or email to the contact person below:

Nicolene Venter

PO Box 148, Sunninghill, 2157 Phone: 011 656 3237 Fax: 086 680 0547 E-mail: <u>publicprocess@savannahsa.com</u> Website: https://www.savannahsa.com/



May 2021

To be included in final Basic Assessment Report