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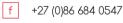
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TERMINOLOGY/DEFINTIONS

Environmontal	In accordance with the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations 2014, as amended the
Environmental	In accordance with the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations 2014, as amended, the
Management	Environmental Management Programme (EMPr) is defined as "an environmental management tool
Programme	used to ensure that undue or reasonably avoidable adverse impacts of the construction, operation
	and decommissioning of a project are prevented or mitigated, and that the positive benefits of the
	projects are enhanced. The objective of the EMPr is to provide consistent information and
	guidance for implementing the management and monitoring measures established in the
	permitting process and help achieve environmental policy goals.
Registered	Means Interested and Affected Party (I&AP) in terms as contemplated in Regulation 37(2) of the EIA
Interested	Regulations 2014, as amended, that registered their interest in the project during the initial EIA
and Affected	process and consisted of– any person, group of persons or organizations interested in or affected
Parties	by an activity; and any organ of state that may have jurisdiction over any aspect of the activity.
Public	Means a process in which the registered interested and affected parties, are given an opportunity
Participation	to be informed of the availability of the EMPr & Layout and to invite them to comment on the EMPr.
Process	This process was undertaken in terms of Regulation 37(2) of the EIA Regulations 2014, as amended.

Definitions taken from NEMA EIA Regulations and Other Guideline Information Documents

CHAPTER 1 INTRODUCTION

The Environmental Management Programme (EMPr) has been developed as a set of environmental specifications (i.e. principles of environmental management for the proposed Lichtenburg 1 PV, 2PV and 3 PV), which are appropriately contextualised to provide clear guidance in terms of the on-site implementation of these specifications (i.e. on-site contextualisation is provided through the inclusion of various monitoring and implementation tools for assisted use of the EMPr by the project implementer as well as compliance monitors). The EMPr is a dynamic document, which must be updated to include any additional specifications as and when required. The EMPr for the project was submitted as part of the EIAr dated March 2019 and approved in July 2019. In terms of Condition 15 of the original EA (dated 01 July 2019) and Chapter 5 of the EIA regulations of December 2014 (as amended), changes to the approved EMPr must be submitted to the Competent Authority.

The EMPr provides specific environmental guidance for the construction, operational and decommissioning phases of a project, and is intended to manage and mitigate construction and operational activities so that unnecessary or preventable environmental impacts do not result. The Amended Environmental Management Programme (EMPr) and Final Layout documents were made available for a 30-day review and comment period from **Friday**, **08 July 2022** until **Monday**, **08 August 2022**.

The sharing of information forms the basis of the Public Participation Process (PPP) and offers the opportunity for Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) to become actively involved in the EMPr process from the outset. The public participation process is designed to provide sufficient and accessible information to I&APs in an objective manner.

This report provides a synopsis of the PPP undertaken for the EMPr and layout finalisation process with the support of the following appendices as part of the proof of evidence for the project. This report includes the following information:

Chapter 1: Public Participation Process

Chapter 2: Public Participation Process Objectives

Chapter 3: Public Participation Process **Chapter 4**: Decision Making Phase

Appendices 1 - 6 provide the information and proof of the consultation undertaken

Table 1 Appendices as part of this report

Appendix	Relevance
L1-1&AP Database	Regulation 42 where a database of the project affected parties is developed including directly affected and greater surrounding area for Interested and Affected Parties. The database is included as Appendix L of this PP Report.
L2: EMPr Notification and Proof	Notification of the availability of the Final EMPr and Layout distributed to all registered I&APs on 08 July 2022 . Proof of notification is included in Appendix L of this

	Report.						
L3: Organs of State Correspondence	Access to the final EMPr, Layout and all project information that has the potential to influence any decision regarding the decision, unless protected by law, has been provided to and this appendix includes all correspondence between Savannah Environmental and any organ of state who may have correspond jurisdiction						
L4- I&AP Correspondence	regarding the EMPr & Layout Plan. Proof of correspondence is included in Appendix L of this PP Report.						
L5- Comments Received	Comments received during the review period for the Final EMPr and Layout were recorded. Appendix L includes all proof of comments received.						
L6 - Comments and Responses Report	Comments submitted on the final EMPr, and layout have been recorded and included in Appendix L of this PP Report. This includes all comments received as well as responses from the EAP and applicant where applicable.						

CHAPTER 2 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS OBJECTIVES

Public participation is an essential and regulatory requirement for an environmental authorisation process and is guided by Regulations 41 to 44 of the EIA Regulations 2014 (GN R326) (as amended). The purpose of public participation is clearly outlined in Regulation 40 of the EIA Regulations 2014 (GN R326), as amended, and is being followed for this proposed project.

The following objectives for the public participation undertaken for the final EMPr and final layout included:

- » notify registered I&APs of the the availability of the EMPr and Final Layout for review and comment;
- » the review and comment period of the EMPr and Final Layout;
- » how and where the EMPr and Final Layout were avialble for download or how to request an electronic copy;
- » how and where to submit written comments; and
- » capturing of the comments received into a Comments and Responses Report.

CHAPTER 3 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS

During the PPP, the following core PP activities were undertaken:

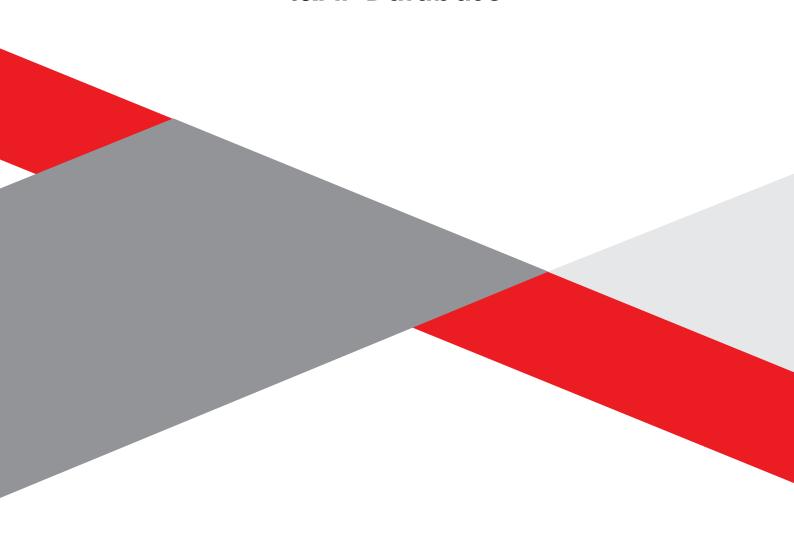
- » Organs of State who have jurisdiction in the area and affected and adjacent landowners as identified in the original EIA process for the Lichtenburg 1 PV, 2 PV and 3 PV and subsequent amendment processes have been verified and any information changes were updated on the project database.
- » Notification letter of the availability of the Final EMPr and Final Layout was distributed to all registered I&APs providing them an opportunity to comment on the Final EMPr and Final Layout;
- » The Final EMPr and Final Layout and associated documentation were made available for public comment for a period of 30 days.
- » Comments received from Organs of State and registered I&APs were collated and recorded in the Comments and Response Report (C&RR).

Appendix L includes the list of all the Organs of State Officials, Key Stakeholder and I&APs that formed part of the Final EMPr and Final Layout consultation process.

CHAPTER 4 DECISION-MAKING PHASE

The Final EMPr and Final Layout have been submitted to the Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment, as the Competent authority in accordance with the requirements of the EA issued for the project.

Appendix L1 I&AP Database



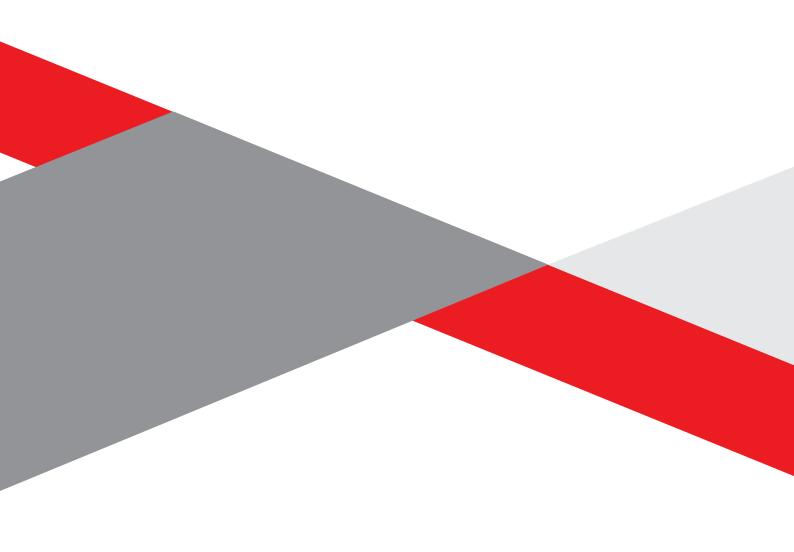


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- » One power line to the existing Eskom Watershed Substation for all three projects from a central collector substation is preferred.

ABO Wind Lichtenburg 1 PV (Pty) Ltd, ABO Wind Lichtenburg 2 PV (Pty) Ltd and ABO Wind Lichtenburg 3 (Pty) Ltd have amended the Environmental Authorisations to allow for the revised grid connection approach (the amendments have been approved) and are now requesting the Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment (DFFE) to amend the EMPrs approved as part of the Environmental Authorisations issued on 01 July 2019, 02 July 2019 and 03 July 2019 as follows, to be in line with the amended EAs received for the projects on 21 June 2022:

Project Name	Proposed EMPr Amendments
Lichtenburg 1 PV	» Amendment of the mitigation measures for the power line corridor to allow connection of Lichtenburg 1 PV to the collector substation complex at Lichtenburg 3 PV.
Lichtenburg 2 PV	» Amendment of the mitigation measures for the power line corridor to allow connection of Lichtenburg 2 PV to the collector substation complex at Lichtenburg 3 PV.
Lichtenburg 3 PV	 Amendment of the mitigation measures for the change in the location of the authorised on-site/step-up substation to a new location within the authorised footprint of Lichtenburg 3 PV, plus; A change in the capacity of the step-up/on-site substation from 88/132kV to 33/132kV; and Amendment of the power line corridor to allow connection of Lichtenburg 3 PV (and the collector substation complex) to the existing Eskom Watershed Substation.

<u>Project Locations:</u> The sites proposed for the development of the Lichtenberg 1 PV, 2 PV and 3 PV projects are located near Lichtenburg within the Ditsobotla Local Municipality in the North-West Province, on the following affected properties:

Project Name	Affected Farm Property/ies
Lichtenburg 1 PV	» Portion 6 of the Farm Zamenkomst No. 4
	» Remainder of Portion 4 of the Farm Houthaaldoorns No. 02
	» Remaining Extent of Portion 2 of the Farm Zamenkomst No. 4
Lichtenburg 2 PV	» Portion 23 of the Farm Houthaalboomen No. 31
	» Remaining Extent of Portion 2 of the Farm Zamenkomst No. 4
Lichtenburg 3 PV	» Remaining Extent of Portion 2 of the Farm Zamenkomst No. 4
	» Portion 10 of the Farm Lichtenburg Town and Townlands No. 27
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	» Remaining Extent of Farm Priem 30

EMPr Amendment Processes: In terms of Condition 5 of the EAs for Lichtenburg 1 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1091), Lichtenburg 2 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1092) and Lichtenburg 3 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1093), and Regulation 37 of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations, 2014, as amended, changes to the approved EMPr must be submitted to the Competent Authority for approval.

Amended EMPrs and Layouts Available for Public Review and Comment: Savannah Environmental has amended the Environmental Management Programmes and Layouts for the Lichtenberg 1 PV, 2 PV and 3 PV projects to be in line with the amendments outlined ablove. The Amended EMPrs (including the amended layouts) and associated documentation will be made available for public review and comment from **08 June 2022** to **08 August 2022**. The Amended EMPrs can be downloaded from Savannah Environmental's website (https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/). The due date for written comment is **08 August 2022**.

To obtain further information, to submit a comment, and/or register on the project database, please submit your name, contact information and interest in the project, in writing, to Savannah Environmental using the contact information below:

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Boer rig glo vuurwapen op polisie by veiling

NOORDWESTER – LICHTENBURG – 'n Boer van die Molopo-omgewing het vandeesweek in die hof verskyn nadat hy na bewering tydens 'n veiling 'n vuurwapen op polisiebeamptes gerig het.

Volgens Kol. Adéle Myburgh, polisiewoordvoerder, sê die Ngaka Modiri Molema-veediefstalstabiliseringstaak span het Donderdag tydens 'n veiling by Buhrmansdrift naby Ottoshoop 'n operasie uitgevoer ten einde vas te stel of die Wet op Diere-identifikasie nagekom word. Polisiebeamptes het Matthys Michiel Pienaar (35) glo op die veiling gevra oor vee wat na bewering nie gebrandmerk is nie. Volgens Myburgh het Pienaar aggressief geraak toe die beamptes hom uitvra oor die vyf beeste wat moontlik nie gemerk was nie. Pienaar het glo sy vuurwapen op die polisiebeamptes gerig voordat

hy in sy voertuig by die veiling weg is.

Die polisiebeamptes het hom agternagesit, voorgekeer, ontwapen en in hegtenis geneem. Pienaar het Vrydag in die landdroshof in Molopo verskyn waar borgtog van R1000 aan hom toegestaan is. Hy word aangekla van die rig van 'n vuurwapen, crimen injuria, intimidasie en verset teen inhegtenisneming. Hy moet weer in Augustus in die hof verskyn. Lt. genl. Sello Kwena, die provinsiale polisiekommissaris in Noordwes, waarsku dat geen vorm van intimidasie die polisie sal afskrik om hul verantwoordelikhede uit te voer nie.

Al hoe meer in duisternis gehul...

NOORDWESTER – LICHTENBURG – Alhoewel huishoudings en sakeondernemings in Suid-Afrika en ook in ons verspreidingsgebied reeds maniere moes vind om rondom die laer vlakke van beurtkrag te werk, vererger die negatiewe uitwerking op die ekonomie met elke bykomende fase.

Wie sal jou glo as jy jare terug voorspel het dat ons gebuk sou gaan onder fase ses beurtkrag en dat fase agt nie uitgesluit is nie?

Dan word daar deur kenners voorspel dat die stand van sake nie gaan verbeter nie en dat ons in 'n stadium 'n totale inkonking van die kragnetwerk kan ondervind wat tot twee weke sal neem om weer aan die gang te kom! Op die oomblik is die beurtkrag-nagmerrie op almal se lippe en bring dit vir ieder en elk groot skade, ongerief en frustrasie mee.

Beurtkrag veroorsaak dat substasies die gees gee wanneer krag gereeld aan- en afgeskakel word tydens beurtkrag en dit lei tot langer as beplande kragonderbrekings. Groot dele in ons gebied ervaar kabeldiefstal tydens beurtkrag en dan kom krag doodeenvoudig nie weer aan na beurtkrag nie en moet kabels eers weer deur Eskom vervang word.

Dit hou groot ongerief en ook finansiële skade vir verbruikers in.

Volgens 'n gemeenskapskoördineerder van Coligny, Mariaan Hendriks, is die totale ure wat Lichtenburg/Ventersdorp/Coligny en Bospoort sonder krag was in Mei 2022 is 68 ure, 44 minute en Junie 2022 - 253 ure en 12 minute! Groot hoeveelhede kabels word deur kabeldiewe gesteel in mielielande wat dan Eskom se taak om die kabels te vervang bemoeilik. Eskom sekuriteitswagte is ook nie suksesvol om hierdie diewe vas te trek nie en vir gemeenskapslede wat nou self kraglyne patrolleer is dit 'n onbegonne taak om groot areas te fynkam en veilig te hou.

"Suid-Afrika se energiekrisis het ontaard in 'n ekonomiese ramp. Suid-Afrikaners is nou vir oorlewing afhanklik van elektrisiteit wat nie beskikbaar is nie en vloeibare brandstof wat nie beskostigbaar is nie," sê dr. Wynand Boshoff, VF Plus se hoofwoordvoerder

oor minerale hulpbronne en energie. "Te midde van fase 6-beurtkrag het landsburgers ook die week gehoor dat petrol en diesel se prys weer skerp styg. Bykans alle petroleumprodukte sal voortaan meer as R25 per liter kos. Elke landsburger word deur beurtkrag geraak en duisende kragopwekkers word met petrol en diesel aangedryf," sê hy. Die beurtkrag wat in hierdie stadium ingestel word, word bestempel as die ergste nóg. Opeenvolgende dae van fase 6-beurtkrag, met fase 4 wat snags en oor naweke geld – en 'n terugkeer na fase 6 later deur die dag is veel erger as enige vorige beurtkrag wat Suid-Afrikaners vantevore moes verduur. Eskom het aangevoer dat die verhoogde fase veroorsaak is deur die onwettige staking by talle van sy aanlegte.

Die publiek word aangeraai om die Eskom Push app op hul selfone af te laai wat aandui wanneer beurtkrag in jou area sal plaasvind.



Op die foto is die plek in 'n mielieland waar vier spanne kabels met al drie fases verlede naweek naby Lichtenburg gesteel is en kragverbruikers vir meer as 'n dag sonder krag gelaat het.



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NOORDWESTER – LICHTENBURG – The Lichtenburg Police are investigating a case of murder after the body of two-year-old Neo Refemetswe Tlhame of Extension 3, Blydeville, outside Lichtenburg was found in a shallow grave on Tuesday (5 July).

According to the information received, police were called by Neo's mother after a suspicious grave near the river was spotted.

The grave was dug out and the decomposed body of young Neo was identified by the clothes that he was wearing on the day of his disappearance.

Neo went missing on 24 May 2022 while he was with his grandparents.

His disappearance was only established by his mother when she went to fetch him after work. Subsequent to the fruitless search by the community members and Neo's family, a missing person enquiry was opened for investigation. The police also joined the search, but Neo was never found.

According to Col. Willem Bekeer, station commander at Lichtenburg a 22-year-old relative was arrested on Wednesday at about 17:45 and will appear in court on Friday (8 July) on a charge of murder.

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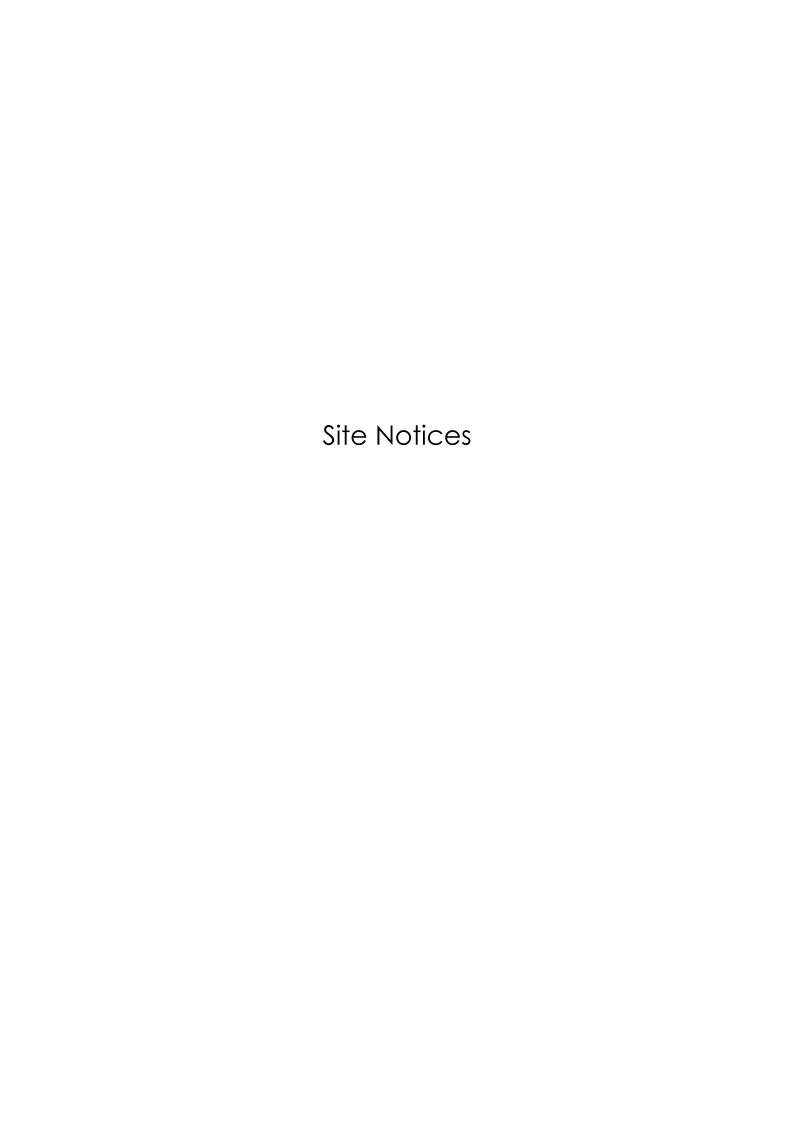
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NOTICE OF AMENDMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME AND PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESSES

DEVELOPMENT OF THE 100MW LICHTENBURG 1, 2 AND 3 PHOTOVOLTAIC (PV) SOLAR ENERGY FACILITIES AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE NEAR LICHTENBURG, WITHIN DITSOBOTLA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, NORTH-WEST PROVINCE

Applicants: ABO Wind Lichtenburg 1 PV (Pty) Ltd, ABO Wind Lichtenburg 2 PV (Pty) Ltd and ABO Wind Lichtenburg 3 PV (Pty) Ltd

<u>Proposed Amendments:</u> ABO Wind Lichtenburg 1 PV (Pty) Ltd, ABO Wind Lichtenburg 2 PV (Pty) Ltd and ABO Wind Lichtenburg 3 PV (Pty) Ltd received Environmental Authorisations (EA) for the development of Photovoltaic (PV) Solar Energy Facilities near Lichtenburg in the North-West Province. The projects are known as Lichtenburg 1 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1091; issued 01 July 2019), Lichtenburg 2 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1092; issued 02 July 2019) and Lichtenburg 3 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1093; issued 03 July 2019). The Environmental Management Programmes (EMPr) were approved as part of the EA's.

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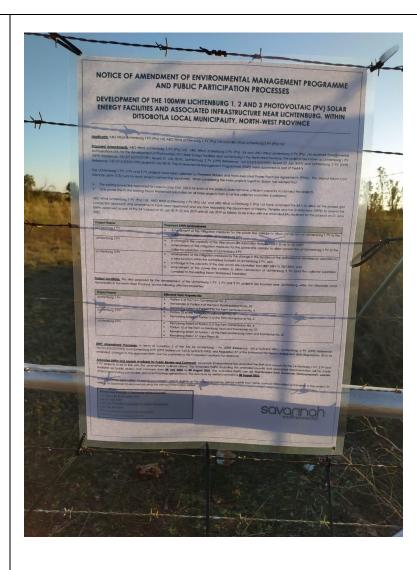
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Site Notice along the project boundary

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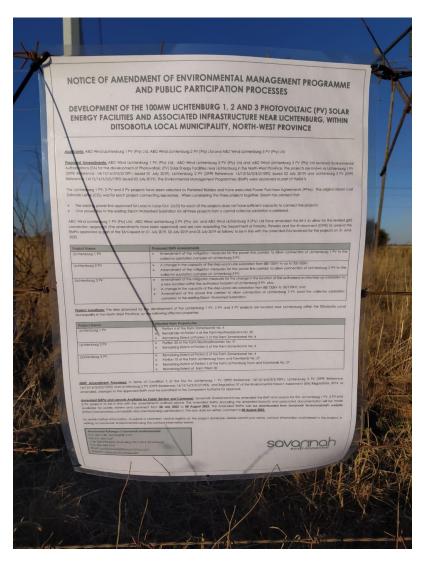


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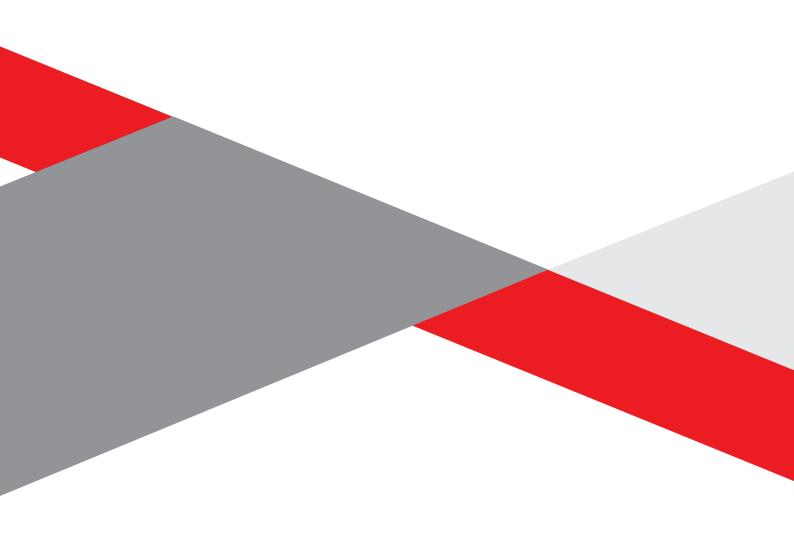






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Appendix L3 Notification Letter





Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd | Directors: KM Jodas, J Thomas, M Matsabu Company Reg No.: 2006/000127/07

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08 July 2022

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DFFE Reference No.: 14/12/16/3/3/1/1091, 14/12/16/3/3/1/1092 AND 14/12/16/3/3/1/1093

NOTICE ON AVAILABILE AMENDED ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME

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Should you have an interest in the application, please register yourself as an I&AP on our website https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/ or by contacting our public participation team,

AVAILABILITY OF MOTIVATION REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

In terms of Condition 5 of the EA dated 04 December 2012 and of Chapter 5 of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended and Regulation 37 of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, changes to the approved EMPr must be submitted to the CA for approval.

The Amended EMP in support of the substantive Amendment Application (Part 2 amendment) will be available for public review and comment from **Friday**, **08 July 2022** to **Monday**, **08 August 2022**. The Amended EMPr can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website at the link provided above).

Please submit your written comments on the Amended Environmental Management Programmes by **Monday, 08 August 2022** via our website (link provided above) or:

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All comments received during the 30-day public review and comment period will be recorded and included in the Final Motivation Report in line with Regulation 44 of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended (GN R326, for submission to the DFFE for review and decision-making).

Our team welcomes your participation and looks forward to your involvement throughout this process. Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project.

Kind regards

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Nondumiso Bulunga

Lead Consultant: Social, Stakeholder Engagement & GIS

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From: Savannah Public Process <publicprocess@savannahsa.com>

Sent: Friday, 08 July 2022 12:37

To: Francois Strydom
Cc: Nondumiso Bulunga

Subject: SE3350: PROJECT ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THE 100 MW LICHTENBURG 1, 2 AND 3

PHOTOVOLTAIC (PV) SOLAR ENERGY FACILITIES AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE

NEAR LICHTENBURG

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ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME FOR THE 100 MW LICHTENBURG 1, 2 AND 3 PHOTOVOLTAIC (PV)

SOLAR ENERGY FACILITIES AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE NEAR LICHTENBURG

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Please receive the notification letter which provides technical information regarding the proposed development.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require any additional information.

Kind regards,

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Lichtenburg EMPr & Layout PII Amendment (POE)

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Dear Stakeholder and Interested & Affected Party,

With reference to our e-mail dated 08 July 2022, informing you that the previously approved Environmental Management Programmes (EMPrs) for the Development of the Lichtenburg 1, 2 and 3 Photovoltaic (PV) Solar Energy Facilities and associated infrastructure, has been updated and made available for your review and comment from Friday, 08 July 2022 to Monday, 08 August 2022, has reference.

This e-mail hereby serves to remind you that the review and comment period of the EMPrs Reports is ending on Monday, 08 August 2022.

We would like to further take this opportunity to thank those Stakeholders and I&APs who submitted their written comments on the EMPrs and kindly urge those who have not yet submitted their written comments on the report to do so before or on Monday, 08 August 2022.

For those that have not been able to access the EMPrs, kindly be reminded that the EMPrs are still available for download from our website click here

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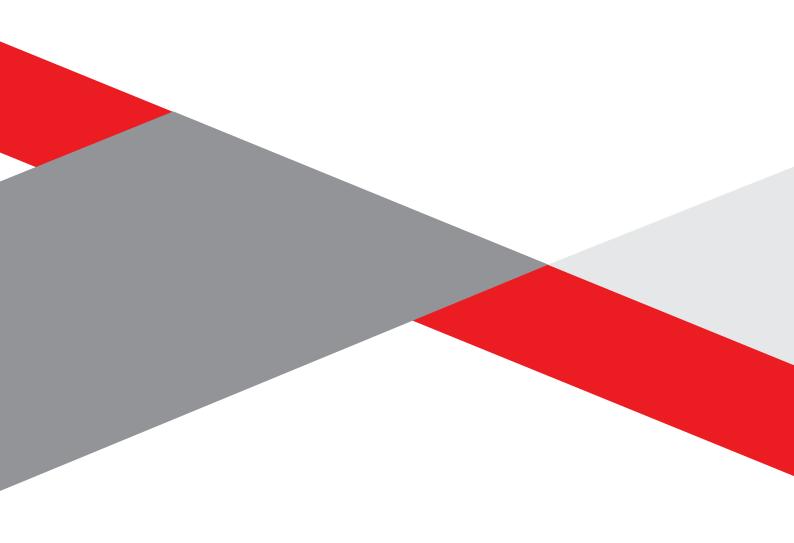
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Dear Stakeholder and Interested & Affected Party,

DEVELOPMENT OF THE 100MW LICHTENBURG 1, 2 AND 3 PHOTOVOLTAIC (PV) SOLAR ENERGY FACILITIES AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE NEAR LICHTENBURG, WITHIN DITSOBOTLA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, NORTH-WEST PROVINCE

DFFE Reference No.: 14/12/16/3/3/1/1091, 14/12/16/3/3/1/1092 AND 14/12/16/3/3/1/1093

NOTICE ON AVAILABILE AMENDED ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME

ABO Wind Lichtenburg 1 PV (Pty) Ltd, ABO Wind Lichtenburg 2 PV (Pty) Ltd and ABO Wind Lichtenburg 3 PV (Pty) Ltd received Environmental Authorisations (EA) for the development of Photovoltaic (PV) Solar Energy Facilities near Lichtenburg in the North-West Province. The projects are known as Lichtenburg 1 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1091; issued 01 July 2019), Lichtenburg 2 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1092; issued 02 July 2019) and Lichtenburg 3 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1093; issued 03 July 2019). The Environmental Management Programmes (EMPr) were approved as part of the EA.

The Lichtenberg 1 PV, 2 PV and 3 PV projects have been selected as Preferred Bidders and have executed Power Purchase Agreements (PPAs). The original Eskom Cost Estimate Letter (CEL) was for each project connecting separately. When considering the three projects together, Eskom has advised that:

- » The existing power line approved for Loop-In-Loop-Out (LILO) for each of the projects does not have sufficient capacity to connect the projects.
- » One power line to the existing Eskom Watershed Substation for all three projects from a central collector substation is preferred.

ABO Wind Lichtenburg 1 PV (Pty) Ltd, ABO Wind Lichtenburg 2 PV (Pty) Ltd and ABO Wind Lichtenburg 3 (Pty) Ltd have amended the EA to allow for the revised grid connection approach (the amendments have been approved) and are now requesting the Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment (DFFE) to amend the EMPrs approved as part of the Environmental Authorisations issued on 01 July 2019, 02 July 2019 and 03 July 2019 as follows, to be in line with the amended EAs received for the projects on 21 June 2022:

Project Name	Proposed EMPr Amendments		
Lichtenburg 1 PV	» Amendment of the mitigation measures for the power line corridor to allow connection of Lichtenburg 1 PV to the collector substation complex at Lichtenburg 3 PV.		
Lichtenburg 2 PV	» A change in the capacity of the step-up/on-site substation from 88/132kV to up to 33/132kV.		

	*	Amendment of the mitigation measures for the power line corridor to allow connection of Lichtenburg 2 PV to the collector substation complex at Lichtenburg 3 PV.
Lichtenburg 3 PV	» »	Amendment of the mitigation measures for the change in the location of the authorised on-site/step-up substation to a new location within the authorised footprint of Lichtenburg 3 PV, plus; A change in the capacity of the step-up/on-site substation from 88/132kV to 33/132kV; and Amendment of the power line corridor to allow connection of Lichtenburg 3 PV (and the collector substation complex) to the existing Eskom Watershed Substation.

In terms of Condition 5 of the EAs for Lichtenburg 1 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1091), Lichtenburg 2 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1092) and Lichtenburg 3 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1093), and Regulation 37 of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations, 2014, as amended, changes to the approved EMPr must be submitted to the Competent Authority (CA) for approval. Savannah Environmental has independently amended the EMP in support of this amendment application on behalf of ABO Wind Lichtenburg 1 PV (Pty) Ltd, ABO Wind Lichtenburg 2 PV (Pty) Ltd and ABO Wind Lichtenburg 3 PV (Pty) Ltd.

Project Location: The sites proposed for the development of the Lichtenberg 1 PV, 2 PV and 3 PV projects are located near Lichtenburg within the Ditsobotla Local Municipality in the North-West Province, on the following affected properties:

Project Name	Affected Farm Property/ies
Lichtenburg 1 PV	» Portion 6 of the Farm Zamenkomst No. 4
	» Remainder of Portion 4 of the Farm Houthaaldoorns No. 02
Lichtenburg 2 PV	» Portion 23 of the Farm Houthaalboomen No. 31
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Should you have an interest in the application, please register yourself as an I&AP on our website https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/ or by contacting our public participation team,

AVAILABILITY OF MOTIVATION REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

In terms of Condition 5 of the EA dated 04 December 2012 and of Chapter 5 of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended and Regulation 37 of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, changes to the approved EMPr must be submitted to the CA for approval.

The Amended EMP in support of the substantive Amendment Application (Part 2 amendment) will be available for public review and comment from **Friday**, **08 July 2022** to **Monday**, **08 August 2022**. The Amended EMPr can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website at the link provided above).

Please submit your written comments on the Amended Environmental Management Programmes by **Monday, 08 August 2022** via our website (link provided above) or:

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All comments received during the 30-day public review and comment period will be recorded and included in the Final Motivation Report in line with Regulation 44 of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended (GN R326, for submission to the DFFE for review and decision-making).

Our team welcomes your participation and looks forward to your involvement throughout this process. Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project.

Kind regards

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PHOTOVOLTAIC (PV) SOLAR ENERGY FACILITIES AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE

NEAR LICHTENBURG

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ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME FOR THE 100 MW LICHTENBURG 1, 2 AND 3 PHOTOVOLTAIC (PV)

SOLAR ENERGY FACILITIES AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE NEAR LICHTENBURG

DFFE Reference No.: 14/12/16/3/3/1/1091, 14/12/16/3/3/1/1092 AND 14/12/16/3/3/1/1093

Dear Stakeholder and Interested & Affected Party,

ABO Wind Lichtenburg 1 PV (Pty) Ltd, ABO Wind Lichtenburg 2 PV (Pty) Ltd and ABO Wind Lichtenburg 3 PV (Pty) Ltd received Environmental Authorisations (EA) for the development of Photovoltaic (PV) Solar Energy Facilities near Lichtenburg in the North-West Province.

The projects are known as Lichtenburg 1 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1091; issued 01 July 2019), Lichtenburg 2 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1092; issued 02 July 2019) and Lichtenburg 3 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1093; issued 03 July 2019).

The Environmental Management Programmes (EMPr) were approved as part of the EA.

The sites proposed for the development of the Lichtenberg 1 PV, 2 PV and 3 PV projects are located near Lichtenburg within the Ditsobotla Local Municipality in the North-West Province.

Please receive the notification letter which provides technical information regarding the proposed development.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require any additional information.

Kind regards,

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ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME FOR THE 100 MW LICHTENBURG 1, 2 AND 3 PHOTOVOLTAIC (PV) SOLAR ENERGY FACILITIES AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE NEAR LICHTENBURG DFFE Reference No.: 14/12/16/3/3/1/1091, 14/12/16/3/3/1/1092 AND 14/12/16/3/3/1/1093

Dear Stakeholder and Interested & Affected Party,

With reference to our e-mail dated 08 July 2022, informing you that the previously approved Environmental Management Programmes (EMPrs) for the Development of the Lichtenburg 1, 2 and 3 Photovoltaic (PV) Solar Energy Facilities and associated infrastructure, has been updated and made available for your review and comment from Friday, 08 July 2022 to Monday, 08 August 2022, has reference.

This e-mail hereby serves to remind you that the review and comment period of the EMPrs Reports is ending on Monday, 08 August 2022.

We would like to further take this opportunity to thank those Stakeholders and I&APs who submitted their written comments on the EMPrs and kindly urge those who have not yet submitted their written comments on the report to do so before or on Monday, 08 August 2022.

For those that have not been able to access the EMPrs, kindly be reminded that the EMPrs are still available for download from our website click here

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Dear Stakeholder and Interested & Affected Party,

DEVELOPMENT OF THE 100MW LICHTENBURG 1, 2 AND 3 PHOTOVOLTAIC (PV) SOLAR ENERGY FACILITIES AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE NEAR LICHTENBURG, WITHIN DITSOBOTLA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, NORTH-WEST PROVINCE

DFFE Reference No.: 14/12/16/3/3/1/1091, 14/12/16/3/3/1/1092 AND 14/12/16/3/3/1/1093

NOTICE ON AVAILABILE AMENDED ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME

ABO Wind Lichtenburg 1 PV (Pty) Ltd, ABO Wind Lichtenburg 2 PV (Pty) Ltd and ABO Wind Lichtenburg 3 PV (Pty) Ltd received Environmental Authorisations (EA) for the development of Photovoltaic (PV) Solar Energy Facilities near Lichtenburg in the North-West Province. The projects are known as Lichtenburg 1 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1091; issued 01 July 2019), Lichtenburg 2 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1092; issued 02 July 2019) and Lichtenburg 3 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1093; issued 03 July 2019). The Environmental Management Programmes (EMPr) were approved as part of the EA.

The Lichtenberg 1 PV, 2 PV and 3 PV projects have been selected as Preferred Bidders and have executed Power Purchase Agreements (PPAs). The original Eskom Cost Estimate Letter (CEL) was for each project connecting separately. When considering the three projects together, Eskom has advised that:

- » The existing power line approved for Loop-In-Loop-Out (LILO) for each of the projects does not have sufficient capacity to connect the projects.
- » One power line to the existing Eskom Watershed Substation for all three projects from a central collector substation is preferred.

ABO Wind Lichtenburg 1 PV (Pty) Ltd, ABO Wind Lichtenburg 2 PV (Pty) Ltd and ABO Wind Lichtenburg 3 (Pty) Ltd have amended the EA to allow for the revised grid connection approach (the amendments have been approved) and are now requesting the Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment (DFFE) to amend the EMPrs approved as part of the Environmental Authorisations issued on 01 July 2019, 02 July 2019 and 03 July 2019 as follows, to be in line with the amended EAs received for the projects on 21 June 2022:

Project Name	Proposed EMPr Amendments
Lichtenburg 1 PV	» Amendment of the mitigation measures for the power line corridor to allow connection of Lichtenburg 1 PV to the collector substation complex at Lichtenburg 3 PV.
Lichtenburg 2 PV	» A change in the capacity of the step-up/on-site substation from 88/132kV to up to 33/132kV.

	*	Amendment of the mitigation measures for the power line corridor to allow connection of Lichtenburg 2 PV to the collector substation complex at Lichtenburg 3 PV.
Lichtenburg 3 PV	» »	Amendment of the mitigation measures for the change in the location of the authorised on-site/step-up substation to a new location within the authorised footprint of Lichtenburg 3 PV, plus; A change in the capacity of the step-up/on-site substation from 88/132kV to 33/132kV; and Amendment of the power line corridor to allow connection of Lichtenburg 3 PV (and the collector substation complex) to the existing Eskom Watershed Substation.

In terms of Condition 5 of the EAs for Lichtenburg 1 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1091), Lichtenburg 2 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1092) and Lichtenburg 3 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1093), and Regulation 37 of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations, 2014, as amended, changes to the approved EMPr must be submitted to the Competent Authority (CA) for approval. Savannah Environmental has independently amended the EMP in support of this amendment application on behalf of ABO Wind Lichtenburg 1 PV (Pty) Ltd, ABO Wind Lichtenburg 2 PV (Pty) Ltd and ABO Wind Lichtenburg 3 PV (Pty) Ltd.

Project Location: The sites proposed for the development of the Lichtenberg 1 PV, 2 PV and 3 PV projects are located near Lichtenburg within the Ditsobotla Local Municipality in the North-West Province, on the following affected properties:

Project Name	Affected Farm Property/ies		
Lichtenburg 1 PV	» Portion 6 of the Farm Zamenkomst No. 4		
	» Remainder of Portion 4 of the Farm Houthaaldoorns No. 02		
Lichtenburg 2 PV	» Portion 23 of the Farm Houthaalboomen No. 31		
	» Remaining Extent of Portion 2 of the Farm Zamenkomst No. 4		
Lichtenburg 3 PV	» Remaining Extent of Portion 2 of the Farm Zamenkomst No. 4		

Should you have an interest in the application, please register yourself as an I&AP on our website https://savannahsa.com/public-documents/energy-generation/ or by contacting our public participation team,

AVAILABILITY OF MOTIVATION REPORT FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

In terms of Condition 5 of the EA dated 04 December 2012 and of Chapter 5 of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended and Regulation 37 of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, changes to the approved EMPr must be submitted to the CA for approval.

The Amended EMP in support of the substantive Amendment Application (Part 2 amendment) will be available for public review and comment from **Friday**, **08 July 2022** to **Monday**, **08 August 2022**. The Amended EMPr can be downloaded from the Savannah Environmental website at the link provided above).

Please submit your written comments on the Amended Environmental Management Programmes by **Monday, 08 August 2022** via our website (link provided above) or:

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All comments received during the 30-day public review and comment period will be recorded and included in the Final Motivation Report in line with Regulation 44 of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended (GN R326, for submission to the DFFE for review and decision-making).

Our team welcomes your participation and looks forward to your involvement throughout this process. Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information and/or clarification regarding the project.

Kind regards

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NEAR LICHTENBURG

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SOLAR ENERGY FACILITIES AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE NEAR LICHTENBURG

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Please receive the notification letter which provides technical information regarding the proposed development.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require any additional information.

Kind regards,

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Dear Stakeholder and Interested & Affected Party,

With reference to our e-mail dated 08 July 2022, informing you that the previously approved Environmental Management Programmes (EMPrs) for the Development of the Lichtenburg 1, 2 and 3 Photovoltaic (PV) Solar Energy Facilities and associated infrastructure, has been updated and made available for your review and comment from Friday, 08 July 2022 to Monday, 08 August 2022, has reference.

This e-mail hereby serves to remind you that the review and comment period of the EMPrs Reports is ending on Monday, 08 August 2022.

We would like to further take this opportunity to thank those Stakeholders and I&APs who submitted their written comments on the EMPrs and kindly urge those who have not yet submitted their written comments on the report to do so before or on Monday, 08 August 2022.

For those that have not been able to access the EMPrs, kindly be reminded that the EMPrs are still available for download from our website click here

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PHOTOVOLTAIC (PV) SOLAR ENERGY FACILITIES AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE

NEAR LICHTENBURG

Attachments: Layout Map L3.pdf; Layout Map L1.pdf; Layout Map L2.pdf

Good day,

The request for the application form has been sent to the client for their response, however please find the A4 maps requested.

Should you require anything else please feel free to contact us.

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SOLAR ENERGY FACILITIES AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE NEAR LICHTENBURG

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Please supply SANRAL with the full application as well as A4 locality maps and GPS co-ordinates pertaining to the application.

Information can be emailed to nrstat@nra.co.za

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DFFE Reference No.: 14/12/16/3/3/1/1091, 14/12/16/3/3/1/1092 AND 14/12/16/3/3/1/1093

Dear Stakeholder and Interested & Affected Party,

ABO Wind Lichtenburg 1 PV (Pty) Ltd, ABO Wind Lichtenburg 2 PV (Pty) Ltd and ABO Wind Lichtenburg 3 PV (Pty) Ltd received Environmental Authorisations (EA) for the development of Photovoltaic (PV) Solar Energy Facilities near Lichtenburg in the North-West Province.

The projects are known as Lichtenburg 1 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1091; issued 01 July 2019), Lichtenburg 2 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1092; issued 02 July 2019) and Lichtenburg 3 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1093; issued 03 July 2019).

The Environmental Management Programmes (EMPr) were approved as part of the EA.

The sites proposed for the development of the Lichtenberg 1 PV, 2 PV and 3 PV projects are located near Lichtenburg within the Ditsobotla Local Municipality in the North-West Province.

Please receive the notification letter which provides technical information regarding the proposed development.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require any additional information.

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PHOTOVOLTAIC (PV) SOLAR ENERGY FACILITIES AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE

NEAR LICHTENBURG

Dear Ms Venter

DFFE Directorate: Biodiversity Conservation hereby acknowledge receipt of the invitation to review and comment on the 100MW Lichtenburg 1,2 and 3 photovoltaic solar energy facilities and associated infrastructure near Lichtenburg. Kindly note that the project has been allocated to Mrs Makitla and Ms Mudau (Both copied on this email).

Please note: All Public Participation Process documents related to Biodiversity EIA review and any other Biodiversity EIA queries will be submitted to the Directorate: Biodiversity Conservation at Email: BCAdmin@environment.gov.za for attention of Mr Seoka Lekota

Regards,

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Sent:Tuesday, 02 August 2022 16:15To:Savannah Public ProcessCc:Tsholofelo Shalot Sekonko

Subject: RE: SE3350: EMPrs for the 100MW Lichtenburg 1, 2 & 3 PV Solar Energy Facilities &

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Thank you.

From: Savannah Public Process <publicprocess@savannahsa.com>

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Subject: RE: SE3350: EMPrs for the 100MW Lichtenburg 1, 2 & 3 PV Solar Energy Facilities & Associated Infrastructure

Dear meh Mmatlala,

The release code is: Vx5G82bG

Should there be anything else you need from us feel free to let us know.

Kind regards,



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Dear Nicolene,

Kindly send us the release code for the above mentioned project.

Regards
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ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME FOR THE 100 MW LICHTENBURG 1, 2 AND 3
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DFFE Reference No.: 14/12/16/3/3/1/1091, 14/12/16/3/3/1/1092 AND 14/12/16/3/3/1/1093

Dear Stakeholder and Interested & Affected Party,

With reference to our e-mail dated 08 July 2022, informing you that the previously approved Environmental Management Programmes (EMPrs) for the Development of the Lichtenburg 1, 2 and 3 Photovoltaic (PV) Solar Energy Facilities and associated infrastructure, has been updated and made available for your review and comment from Friday, 08 July 2022 to Monday, 08 August 2022, has reference.

This e-mail hereby serves to remind you that the review and comment period of the EMPrs Reports is ending on Monday, 08 August 2022.

We would like to further take this opportunity to thank those Stakeholders and I&APs who submitted their written comments on the EMPrs and kindly urge those who have not yet submitted their written comments on the report to do so before or on Monday, 08 August 2022.

For those that have not been able to access the EMPrs, kindly be reminded that the EMPrs are still available for download from our website <u>click here</u>

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Subject: RE: SE3350: PROJECT ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THE 100 MW LICHTENBURG 1, 2 AND 3

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NEAR LICHTENBURG

Good afternoon,

Thank you for the notification. Please ensure that the documents are uploaded to the relevant SAHRIS applications and the status of the cases are changed to SUBMITTED. Please inform me when this is completed and provide the Case ID numbers.

Kind regards,

From: Savannah Public Process <publicprocess@savannahsa.com>

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ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME FOR THE 100 MW LICHTENBURG 1, 2 AND 3 PHOTOVOLTAIC (PV) SOLAR ENERGY FACILITIES AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE NEAR LICHTENBURG DFFE Reference No.: 14/12/16/3/3/1/1091, 14/12/16/3/3/1/1092 AND 14/12/16/3/3/1/1093

Dear Stakeholder and Interested & Affected Party,

ABO Wind Lichtenburg 1 PV (Pty) Ltd, ABO Wind Lichtenburg 2 PV (Pty) Ltd and ABO Wind Lichtenburg 3 PV (Pty) Ltd received Environmental Authorisations (EA) for the development of Photovoltaic (PV) Solar Energy Facilities near Lichtenburg in the North-West Province.

The projects are known as Lichtenburg 1 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1091; issued 01 July 2019), Lichtenburg 2 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1092; issued 02 July 2019) and Lichtenburg 3 PV (DFFE Reference: 14/12/16/3/3/2/1093; issued 03 July 2019).

The Environmental Management Programmes (EMPr) were approved as part of the EA.

The sites proposed for the development of the Lichtenberg 1 PV, 2 PV and 3 PV projects are located near Lichtenburg within the Ditsobotla Local Municipality in the North-West Province.

Please receive the notification letter which provides technical information regarding the proposed development.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require any additional information.

Kind regards,

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Dear Ms Thomas

COMMENTS ON THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME (EMPR) AND LAYOUT PLAN TO COMPLY WITH CONDITION 15 OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION DATED 03 JULY 2019 FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE 100MW LICHTENBURG 3 PHOTOVOLTAIC SOLAR ENERGY FACILITY AND ITS ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE NEAR LICHTENBURG, WITHIN DITSOBOTLA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, NORTH WEST PROVINCE

The Environmental Authorisation (EA) for the above-mentioned project dated 03 July 2019, as amended, the draft Environmental Management Programme (EMPr) and Layout Plan dated July 2022 and received by the Department on 14 July 2022, and the acknowledgement of receipt thereof on 15 July 2022, refer.

The Department has the following comments on the abovementioned EMPr and layout plan:

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Signed by: Mr Wayne Hector

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Date: Friday July 29, 2022

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Letter

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

Attention: Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd

PO Box 148 Sunninghill 2157

The authorised ABO Wind Lichtenburg 1 PV solar energy facility ('the project') is located 12km north of Lichtenburg and 5.5km south of Bakerville in the North West Province. The project is located within Ward 16 of the Ditsobotla Local Municipality and the Ngaka Modiri Molema District Municipality in the North West Province. The development footprint of the solar energy facility is located on Portion 6 of Farm Zamenkomst No. 04 and the Remainder of Portion 4 of Farm Houthaaldoorns No. 2. It is within these properties that the project will be constructed and operated. The following infrastructure was authorised for the project by DFFE, as fully assessed within the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) process: Photovoltaic modules with a net generation (contracted) capacity of 100MW; On-site 88/132kV substation; Mounting structures (fixed tilt/static, single-axis or double-axis tracking systems) for the PV arrays and related foundations; DC/AC Inverters, LV/MV power transformers and internal electrical reticulation (underground cabling); A new 88/132kV overhead power line from the on-site substation to the Mmabatho / Watershed DS 1 88kV Power Line; Access and internal road network; Temporary laydown area; Auxiliary buildings (gate-house and security, control centre, office, two warehouses, canteen & visitors centre, rainwater tanks, etc); Perimeter fencing; and Battery Energy Storage System (BESS), with a capacity of up to 500MW/500MWh, an extent of no more than 5ha, and a maximum height of 3.5m1. The amendment being applied for through this process relates to the consideration of a part of the assessed Grid Connection Alternative 2 corridor as the preferred corridor in the Environmental Authorisation (EA2) for the project. This will allow the project to connect to the proposed step-up/on-site substation of ABO Wind Lichtenburg 3 PV on the authorised footprint of Lichtenburg 3 PV.

Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd has been appointed by ABO Wind Lichtenburg 1 PV (Pty) Ltd to update the Environmental Management Programme for the authorised Lichtenburg 1 PV Solar Energy Facility, near Lichtenburg, North West Province (DFFE Ref: 14/12/16/3/3/1/1091).

An amended EMPR has been submitted in terms of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998

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(NEMA) and the EIA Regulations. The EMPr has been updated to include the amendment of the preferred powerline corridor and additional specification and management actions.

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As the per the previously issued Final Comment, the amendment of the power line corridor did not result in additional impacts to heritage resources, and therefore no additional conditions were provided.

The Final Comments issued on SAHRIS Case ID 12843 (https://sahris.sahra.org.za/node/520138) regarding a Chance Finds Procedure are still valid and have been included in the updated EMPr.

SAHRA is satisfied with the management actions for heritage resources within the EMPr and no further comments from SAHRA in this regard are required.

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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Letter

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

Attention: Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd

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The authorised ABO Wind Lichtenburg 2 PV solar energy facility ('the project') is located 10km north of Lichtenburg and 7.5km south of Bakerville in the North West Province. The project is located within Ward 16 of the Ditsobotla Local Municipality and the Ngaka Modiri Molema District Municipality in the North West Province. The development footprint of the solar energy facility is located on Portion 23 of Farm Houthaalboomen No. 31 and the Remaining Extent of Portion 2 of Farm Zamenkomst No.4. It is within these properties that Lichtenburg 2 will be constructed and operated. The following infrastructure was authorised for the project by DFFE, as fully assessed within the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) process: Photovoltaic modules with a net generation (contracted) capacity of 100MW; On-site 88/132kV substation; Mounting structures (fixed tilt/static, single-axis or double-axis tracking systems) for the PV arrays and related foundations; DC/AC Inverters, LV/MV power transformers and internal electrical reticulation (underground cabling); A new 88/132kV overhead power line from the on-site substation to the Mmabatho / Watershed DS 1 88kV Power Line; Access and internal road network; Temporary laydown area; Auxiliary buildings (gate-house and security, control centre, office, two warehouses, canteen & visitors centre, rainwater tanks, etc); Perimeter fencing; and Battery Energy Storage System (BESS), with a capacity of up to 500MW/500MWh, an extent of no more than 5ha, and a maximum height of 3.5m1. The amendment being applied for through this process relates to the following: a change in the capacity of the step-up/on-site substation from 88/132kV to 33/132kV; an extension to the authorised Loop-in/Loop-out (LILO) grid connection corridor, within an assessed area to allow Lichtenburg 2 PV to connect to the collector substation complex on Lichtenburg 3 PVs authorized property/footprint; and a substitution of the wording in the EA, 'a new 132kV overhead power line from the on-site substation to the Mmabatho/Watershed DS 1 88kV power line', with, 'a new 132kV power line from Lichtenburg 2 PV's step-up/on-site substation to the proposed collector substation complex on Lichtenburg 3 PV'. Considering the above, it should be noted that the 132kV power line to be constructed from the step-up/on-site substation will terminate at the collector substation complex

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proposed on the authorised footprint for Lichtenburg 3 PV. This collector substation complex will be the point where all the electricity from Lichtenburg 2 PV and other projects2 is collected and is evacuated via a 132kV power line to the Eskom Watershed Substation. Thus, only one 132kV power line will be built from this collector substation complex terminating at the Eskom Watershed Substation.

Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd has been appointed by ABO Wind Lichtenburg 1 PV (Pty) Ltd to update the Environmental Management Programme for the authorised Lichtenburg 2 PV Solar Energy Facility, near Lichtenburg, North West Province (DFFE Ref: 14/12/16/3/3/1/1092).

An amended EMPR has been submitted in terms of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (NEMA) and the EIA Regulations. The EMPr has been updated to include a new powerline from the Lichtenburg 2 PV step-up/on-site substation to a proposed collector substation complex on Lichtenburg PV 3 and a change in the capacity of the step-up/on-site substation.

As the per the previously issued Final Comment, the amendment of the power line corridor did not result in additional impacts to heritage resources, and therefore no additional conditions were provided.

The Final Comments issued on SAHRIS Case ID 12844 (https://sahris.sahra.org.za/node/520143) regarding a Chance Finds Procedure are still valid and have been included in the updated EMPr.

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Dear Ms Thomas

COMMENTS ON THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME (EMPR) AND LAYOUT PLAN TO COMPLY WITH CONDITION 15 OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION DATED 02 JULY 2019 FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE 100MW LICHTENBURG 2 PHOTOVOLTAIC SOLAR ENERGY FACILITY AND ITS ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE NEAR LICHTENBURG, WITHIN DITSOBOTLA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, NORTH WEST PROVINCE

The Environmental Authorisation (EA) for the above-mentioned project dated 02 July 2019, as amended, the draft Environmental Management Programme (EMPr) and Layout Plan dated July 2022 and received by the Department on 14 July 2022, and the acknowledgement of receipt thereof on 15 July 2022, refer.

The Department has the following comments on the above-mentioned EMPr and layout plan:

(a) EMPr Report

- (i) Please ensure that the final Layout Plan and final EMPr adequately addresses and complies with all the relevant conditions of the authorised EA as amended (including any conditions relating to the EMPr and layout plan in subsequent amendments), as well as recommendations from specialists.
- (ii) Please ensure that all mitigation recommendations are in line with applicable and most recent guidelines (for e.g. birds).
- (iii) Kindly ensure that the EMPr complies with the content of the EMPr in terms of Appendix 4 of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations, 2014, as amended.
- (iv) Ensure that the EMPR is updated in terms of all the amendments to the EA, including the most recent amendment 14/12/16/3/3/2/1092/AM3.

(v) With regards to Part B: 2 of the generic EMPr for the OHL and the substation, please note the below from page 3 of the generic EMPr:

"This section must be submitted to the CA together with the final BAR or EIAR. The information submitted to the CA <u>will be considered to be incomplete should a signed copy of Part B: Section 2 not be submitted.</u> Once approved, this Section forms part of the EMPr for the development and is legally binding."

(b) Public Participation

- (i) Proof of correspondence with the various stakeholders must be included in the final EMPr. Should you be unable to obtain comments, proof must be submitted to the Department of the attempts that were made to obtain comments. Kindly ensure that the contact details of I&APs are the most current.
- (ii) Copies of comments received from registered interested and affected parties (I&APs) and organs of state, which have jurisdiction in respect of the authorised activity must be submitted to the Department with the final EMPr.
- (iii) Please ensure that all issues raised, and comments received, on the revised draft EMPr from registered I&APs and organs of state which have jurisdiction in respect of the activity (including this Department's Biodiversity and Conservation section at BCAdmin@dffe.gov.za) are adequately addressed and included in the final EMPr.
- (iv) Comments and responses must be incorporated into a Comments and Response (CRR) Report (in table format, indicating the date of comment, format of comment, name of organisation/I≈ the comment received; and the response from the EAP/Applicant/Specialist). Comments from I&APs must not be split and arranged into categories. Comments from each submission must be responded to individually.
- (v) Please ensure that comments made by I&APs are comprehensively captured and responded to clearly and fully. Please note that a response such as "noted" is not regarded as an adequate response to an I&AP's comments.

Yours faithfully

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Dear Ms. Bulunga

COMMENTS ON THE AMENDED ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME FOR THE PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT OF THE 100MW LICHTENBURG 1 PHOTOVOLTAIC SOLAR ENERGY FACILITY AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE NEAR LICHTENBURG, NORTH WEST PROVINCE

The Directorate: Biodiversity Conservation reviewed and evaluated the Amended Environmental Management Programme report (Amended EMPr).

Based on the information provided in the Amended EMPr and the Management Plans, the Directorate Biodiversity Conservation does not have any objection to the proposed Amended EMPr.

In conclusion, the Public Participation Process documents related to Biodiversity EIA for review and queries should be submitted to the Directorate: Biodiversity Conservation at Email; BCAdmin@environment.gov.za for the attention of Mr. Seoka Lekota.

Yours faithfully

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The Directorate: Biodiversity Conservation reviewed and evaluated the Amended Environmental Management Programme report (Amended EMPr).

Based on the information provided in the Amended EMPr and the Management Plans, the Directorate Biodiversity Conservation does not have any objection to the proposed Amended EMPr.

In conclusion, the Public Participation Process documents related to Biodiversity EIA for review and queries should be submitted to the Directorate: Biodiversity Conservation at Email; BCAdmin@environment.gov.za for the attention of Mr. Seoka Lekota.

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Appendix L6 Comments and Response Report



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ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR THE LICHTENBURG 2 PV FACILITY, NORTH WEST PROVINCE

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COMMENTS AND RESPONSES REPORT

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The availability of the amended Environmental Management Programme (EMPr) for the development of the 100MW Lichtenburg 2 PV Solar Energy Facilities was announced to registered I&APs with a letter on **Friday**, **08 July 2022**. The notification letter served to invite Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) to submit any comments / queries that they might have regarding the EMPr amendment.

The Amended EMPr was made available for a 30-day review and comment period from **Friday**, **08 July 2022** to **Monday**, **08 August 2022**. This Comments and Responses Report (C&RR) includes all comments received during the review and comment period and is included in Public Participation Process Report.

LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS / ACRONYMS

ВА	Basic Assessment	EIAR	Environmental Impact Assessment Report	
BAR	Basic Assessment Report	EMPr	Environmental Management Programme	
CA	Competent Authority	I&APs	Interested and Affected Parties	
CRR	Comments and Response	OoS	Organs of State	
DFFE	Department Forestry, Fisheries & the Environment	OHL	Overhead Line	
EA	Environmental Authorisation	PV	PV Photovoltaic	
EAP	Environmental	SAHRA	SAHRA South African Heritage Resources Agency	

1 COMMENTS RECEIVED DURING THE AMENDMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME

1.1 Organs of State (OoS)

No.	Comment	Raised By	Response
1.	As the per the previously issued Final Comment, the	Natasha Higgitt	The comment is noted. No response is required.
	amendment of the power line corridor did not result in	Heritage Officer	
	additional impacts to heritage resources, and therefore	and	
	no additional conditions were provided. The Final	Phillip Hine	
	Comments issued on SAHRIS Case ID 12844	Manager: Archaeology,	
	(https://sahris.sahra.org.za/node/520143) regarding a	Palaeontology and Meteorites	
	Chance Finds Procedure are still valid and have been	Unit	
	included in the updated EMPr. SAHRA is satisfied with the	SAHRA	
	management actions for heritage resources within the		
	EMPr and no further comments from SAHRA in this regard	Letter: 29 July 2022	
	are required. Should you have any further queries,		
	please contact the designated official using the case		
	number quoted above in the case header		
2.	a) EMPr Report	Milicent Solomons	The final Layout Plan and the Final EMPr adequately addresses all the
	(i) Please ensure that the final Layout Plan and final EMPr	Acting Chief Director:	relevant conditions of the amended EA as well as all recommendations
	adequately addresses and complies with all the relevant	Integrated Environmental	from specialists.
	conditions of the authorised EA as amended (including	Authorisations	
	any conditions relating to the EMPr and layout plan in	and	
	subsequent amendments), as well as recommendations	Wayne Hector	
	from specialists.	Deputy Director: Priority	
		Infrastructure Projects	
		DFFE	
	(ii) Please ensure that all mitigation recommendations		All additional mitigation recommendations that have been provided
	are in line with applicable and most recent guidelines	Letter: 26 July 2022	by the Avifaunal Specialist are in line with applicable and most recent
	(for e.g. birds).		guidelines.
	(iii) Kindly ensure that the EMPr complies with the content		The EMPr has been complied according to Appendix 4 of the
	of the EMPr in terms of Appendix 4 of the Environmental		Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations, 2014, as amended.
	Impact Assessment Regulations, 2014, as amended.		

No.	Comment	Raised By	Response
	(iv) Ensure that the EMPR is updated in terms of all the		The EMPr has been updated in terms of the EA and all subsequent
	amendments to the EA, including the most recent		amendments including the most recent one issued on 21 June 2022.
	amendment 14/12/16/3/3/2/1091/AM3.		
	(v) With regards to Part B: 2 of the generic EMPr for the		A signed copy of Part B of the Generic EMPr has been included.
	OHL and the substation, please note the below from		
	page 3 of the generic EMPr: "This section must be		
	submitted to the CA together with the final BAR or EIAR.		
	The information submitted to the CA will be considered		
	to be incomplete should a signed copy of Part B: Section		
	2 not be submitted. Once approved, this Section forms		
	part of the EMPr for the development and is legally		
	binding.''		
	(b) Public Participation		Proof of correspondence with various stakeholders and proof of
	(i) Proof of correspondence with the various stakeholders		notification of the availability of the EMPr for review and comment are
	must be included in the final EMPr. Should you be unable		included in Appendix L4 of the final EMPr. Attempts to secure recent
	to obtain comments, proof must be submitted to the		contact for I&APs and OoS are included in Appendix L1. A separate
	Department of the attempts that were made to obtain		Public Participation Process has been compiled and included into the
	comments. Kindly ensure that the contact details of		final EMPr.
	I&APs are the most current.		
	ii) Copies of comments received from registered		All comments received during this amendment process and the
	interested and affected parties (I&APs) and organs of		availability of the EMPr for a 30-day review and comment period have
	state, which have jurisdiction in respect of the authorised		been included in L5 of the final EMPr.
	activity must be submitted to the Department with the		
	final EMPr		
	(iii) Please ensure that all issues raised, and comments		All comments received during the amendment process and those
	received, on the revised draft EMPr from registered I&APs		submitted on the EMPr during the 30-day review and comment period
	and organs of state which have jurisdiction in respect of		have been included within this C&RR, and have been responded to,
	the activity (including this Department's Biodiversity and		as required.
	Conservation section at BCAdmin@dffe.gov.za) are		
	adequately addressed and included in the final EMPr.		

No.	Comment	Raised By		Response
	(iv) Comments and responses must be incorporated into			The C&RR has been tabled accordingly and have been separated as
	a Comments and Response (CRR) Report (in table			per the instructions from the department. All comments have been
	format, indicating the date of comment, format of			adequately responded to.
	comment, name of organisation/I≈ the comment			
	received; and the response from the			
	EAP/Applicant/Specialist). Comments from I&APs must			
	not be split and arranged into categories. Comments			
	from each submission must be responded to individually.			
	v) Please ensure that comments made by I&APs are			Comments have been captured verbatim within this C&RR and clear
	comprehensively captured and responded to clearly			responses have been provided. A separate Public Participation Process
	and fully. Please note that a response such as "noted" is			has been compiled and included into the final EMPr.
	not regarded as an adequate response to an I&AP's			
	comment.			
3.	Send hard copy to the Department.	Eva Mahlangu		A hard copy of the Amended EMPr has been provided to the
				Department.
		North West	Economic	
		Development,	Environment,	
		Conservation and	Tourism	
		Email: 04 July 2022		

1.2 Key Stakeholders and Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs)

No.	Comment	Raised by	Response
1	No comments received		