

Date: 12 September 2022

Dear Interested and Affected Party,

AVAILABILITY OF DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT (BAR) AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME (EMPR) FOR PUBLIC REVIEW AND COMMENT:

14 SEPTEMBER TO 14 OCTOBER 2022

**PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT OF A RESIDENTIAL TOWNSHIP TO BE KNOWN AS
THABAZIMBI EXTENSION 75, THABAZIMBI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY,
WATERBERG DISTRICT, LIMPOPO PROVINCE**

LEDET Ref. no. Pending

On 15 July 2022, a notice was issued relating to the commencement of a Basic Assessment (BA) process for the proposed development of a residential township to be known as Thabazimbi Extension 75 on Portion 129 of the farm Doornhoek 318-KQ followed by a series of public interactions. i.e.

- a) Distribution of a Background Information Document on 15 July 2022;
- b) Newspaper Advertisement Notification in the Platinum Bushvelder issue of 15 July 2022
- c) Site notices displayed within the project area

Notice is hereby given again under Government Notice R326, Regulation 40 of the NEMA EIA Regulations of 2014, that the application for environmental authorisation for the above-mentioned project has been submitted to the Limpopo Department of Economic Development, Environmental and Tourism (LEDET) and the Draft Basic Assessment Report (BAR) and Environmental Management Programme (EMPr) for the proposed project has been prepared and is now available for public review until 14 October 2022.

AVAILABILITY OF DRAFT BAR AND EMPR

The draft BAR and EMPR are made available for public comment from Wednesday, 14 September to Friday, 14 October 2022. An electronic version of the report and comment sheet is available from the Naledzi website <http://www.naledzi.co.za/public-documents-naledzi.php>. Hard copies of the report are also available at the following public venues for review and comment:

- Thabazimbi Public Library, 4th Avenue, Thabazimbi
- Offices of Bertie Joubert Eiendomme, 15 Judith Street, Thabazimbi

If you wish to comment on the draft reports, you can:

- Complete the enclosed Comment Sheet and submit it to Naledzi;
- Write a letter or any additional written submission by email; or

- Contact Naledzi at the below-given contact details.

What's next?

All the comments and issues received during the public review and comment period will be incorporated into the Final BAR, EMPR and an updated Comments and Response Report. The final documents will be submitted to LEDET for decision-making. LEDET will have 107 days to review the documents and reach a decision on the application.

Naledzi will issue a notification email once the decision is issued. The emailed notification will include a copy of the environmental authorisation and bring I&APs attention to the right to appeal the decision.

Thank you for your participation.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M Botha', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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