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PER FACSIMILE / MAIL

Dear Mr Unterslak

AMENDMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION: TOITDALE 10 MW SOLAR ENERGY FACILITY ON PORTION 1 OF THE FARM CAROLUSPOORT 167 NEAR NOUPOORT, NORTHERN CAPE PROVINCE

The Department's decision on the above application issued on 08 May 2012 and your correspondence dated 28 August 2012 and 14 January 2013 refer.

Based on a review of the reason for requesting an amendment to the above authorisation, the Department, in terms of regulation 42 of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations, 2010, has decided to amend the environmental authorisation (EA) dated 10 October 2012.

The project description on page four of the environmental authorisation, is hereby amended as follows:

From:

"The solar energy facility comprises of Concentrating Photovoltaic (CPV) panels with generation capacity of 10MW....."

To:

The solar energy facility comprises of Photovoltaic (PV) panels with generation capacity of 20MW.

This letter must be read in conjunction with the EA dated 08 May 2012.

In terms of regulation 10(2) of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations, 2010 (the Regulations), you are instructed to notify all registered interested and affected parties, in writing and within 12 (twelve) days of the date of the Department's decision in respect of the amendment made as well as the provisions regarding the submission of appeals that are contained in the Regulations.