



**NEMA PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS**

**THE PROPOSED KALAHARI EAST PIPELINE (PHASE 1A), ASKHAM, RIETFONTEIN,  
NORTHERN CAPE**

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURE CONSERVATION (DENC) REF NO: NC/BA/27/ZFM/MIE/ASK1/2014

EnviroAfrica cc has been appointed by Mier Municipality, to undertake the Environmental Impact Assessment for the proposed project. A NEMA Environmental Authorisation Application Form was submitted to the Department of Environment and Nature Conservation.

The proposed Kalahari East pipeline (Phase 1A) and reservoir includes the below activities listed in terms of the NEMA EIA Regulations 2010. Application for environmental authorisation to undertake the following activities:

**Government Notice R544 (Listing Notice 1) (Basic Assessment): Activity No. 11, 12, 37 and 40**

**Government Notice R546 (Listing Notice 3) (Basic Assessment): Activity No. 2 and 14**

**Project Description & Location:** It is proposed that the Kalahari East Bulk Water Scheme be extended between Askham and Philandersbron.

The proposed development includes the construction of a 150km pipeline between the existing Kalahari East Bulk Water Supply pipeline (A-line), through Remainder Farm Vischgat 201 and Portion 0 of Farm Cramond 202, via the R31 to Askham, along the R360 through Haksteenpan, via Rietfontein, along the Namibiaweg Road to Philandersbron.

The proposed activity will also include the construction of an earth reservoir with a floating roof near Haksteenpan on Portion 130 of Farm Mier 585.

The majority of the pipeline will be located within the road reserve of the R31, R360 and Namibiaweg Road.

**Application for exemption:** The applicant has applied for exemption from Regulation 10(2)(d) of Government Notice No. R543, which states that the applicant must within 12 days of the date of the decision, place a notice in the same newspaper(s) used for the placing of advertisements as part of the public participation process, informing Interested and Affected Parties of the decision, where the decision can be accessed and the right to appeal. Registered I&AP's will be notified of the decision by post and/or preferred method of communication.

**Public Participation:** Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) are hereby notified of the application and invited to register (in writing) and/or provide initial comments and identify any issues, concerns or opportunities relating to this project to the contact details provided below, on or before 08 August 2014. In order to register or submit comment, I&APs should refer to the project name and DENC reference numbers above, and provide their name, address & contact details (*indicating your preferred method of notification*) and an indication of any direct business, financial, personal, or other interest which they have in the application. Please note that future correspondence will only be sent to registered Interested and Affected Parties. You are also requested to pass this information to any person you feel should be notified.

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