

**THE PROPOSED SUPERCHICKS HATCHERY AND REARING
IN KAMEEL ZYN KRAAL (±24 HACTER) FARM NO 547,
PORTION 68 ALONG THE R25 IN WITHIN CITY OF
TSHWANE METROPOLITAN MUNICIPALITY, GAUTENG
PROVINCE, SOUTH AFRICA. REFERENCE NO: GAUT
002/20-21/E2670.**

**Public Participation Report No: 1
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1. INTRODUCTION

The aim of this report is to provide an overview of the public participation that took place as from the 17 December 2020, 03 February – 05 March 2021 for the Proposed Hatchery and Rearing in Kameelzynkraal (±24 HACTERS) Farm No 547, Portion No 68. The report outlines achievements during the public participation process.

Mokgope Consulting is an Independent Consultants appointed SuperChicks Pty Ltd, for the provision of Environmental Application, Basic Impact Assessment (BIA) and Environmental Management Programme (EMPr) services for the establishment of the proposed hatchery and rearing project. The proposed development in the farm are listed activities triggering activity GN. R 983, 4 December 2014: (Listing 1) Activity **5 (iv)**, Activity **8**, & Activity **28(ii)**.

The services required from Mokgope for this project includes; the assessment and management of potential environmental impacts envisaged during the construction of the hatchery and the rearing houses as well as conducting the Public Participation Process.

Various specialist studies such as the heritage and, vegetation assessment have been conducted as part of the Basic Assessment process to assess potential environmental impacts caused by the activity and to provide recommendations and mitigations measures.

2. ABBREVIATIONS

BAR	Basic Assessment Report
BID	Background Information Document
EIA	Environment Impact Assessment
EMPr	Environmental Management Programme
GDARD	Gauteng Department of Agriculture and Rural Development
I&APs	Interested and Affected Parties
NEMA	National Environmental Management Act
SAHRA	South African Heritage Resources Agency

3. Public participation Process

3.1. Purpose of public participation

- a. Provide the I&APs with information regarding the proposed project;
- b. Provide an overview of the Basic Assessment Study and Public Participation Processes followed for the project;
- c. Provide the I&APs with information regarding the proposed project;
- d. Provide an overview of the Basic Assessment Study and Public Participation Processes followed for the project;

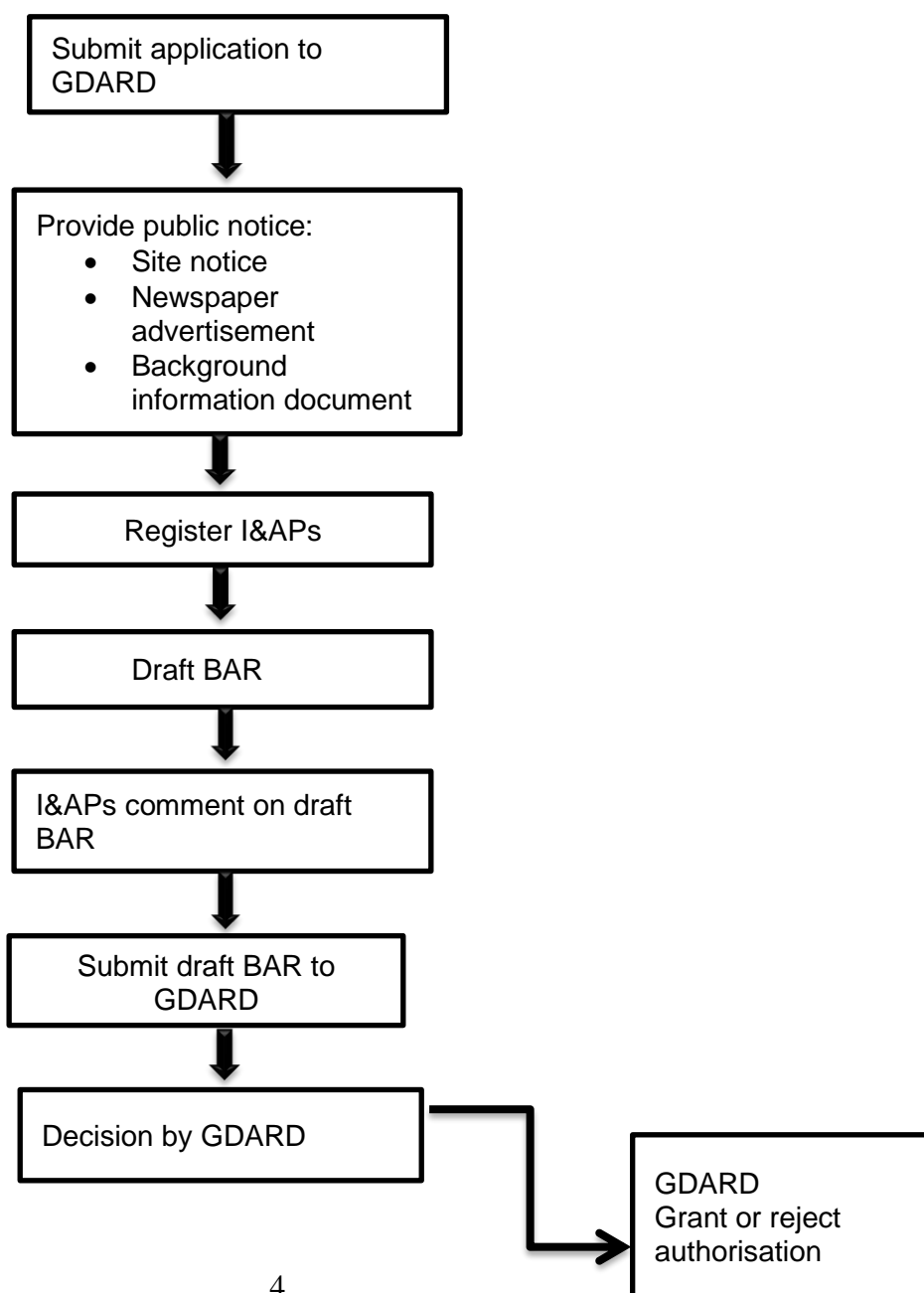
3.2. Interested and Affected Parties (I& APs)

A list of potential I&APs is compiled based on interest of the public as well as identifying authorities through phone calls and emails. This database will be updated on an going basis as more A&IPs register. I&APs were invited to register as stakeholders through Press advertisement placed in local newspaper as well as site notices displayed at the hotspot of the area, see the attached ANNEURE A.

The stakeholder for the proposed project includes;

- a. Department of Water and Sanitation, SAHRA, provincial and local authorities and land owner.
- b. Local community

Figure 1 below indicate how public participation feeds into the EAI process.



4. INFORMATION SHARING

4.1 .Background Information Document

The BID was provided to the I&APs with the basic information on the proposed project, the public participation and communication plan. It further provide the public with an opportunity to register as an I&APs, by completing a registration sheet provided with the BID. This ensures that the names and contact details for the new stakeholder were captured on the database, to ensure all stakeholders receive all project related information and invitation for future meetings.

4.2 BAR Draft

The draft document was placed with email address and contact for further communication and the commenting sheet and register in the local Police station.

4.3 Site Notices

Notices were place on the farm entrance and central place within the local area notifying the community about the BAR draft, proof of pictures in **Annexure A**.

4.4 No public meeting held.

4.5 Newspaper Advert (Comments)

All issues and responses from the I&APs after posting the newspaper are contained in **Appendix B** (No comment as yet).

4.6 Way forward

The Final BAR draft will be submitted to the client on the 26 February 2021 as projected date hopefully to have received some comment from I&APs. Comment from the client will be incorporated then the final draft will be submitted to GDARD.

Letters will be distributed to all registered I&APs via email, letters and WhatsApp for their feedback responses and also to notify them of the availability of the Final BAR for public comment (21-day comment period) will be provided.

4.7 Stakeholders Database

To be attached as Annexure C.

5. ANNEXURES

ANNEXURE A- NOTICE PHOTOGRAPHS

ANNEXURE B: NEWS PAPER ADVERT AND COMMENTS

Not yet provided with the original copy of the newspaper released on the 03 February 2021.

ANNEXURE C: I&APS DATABASE