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From: Mineral Regulation Enquiries: Linda Njemla

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ACKNOWLEDEGEMENT OF AN APPLICATION **FOR ENVIRONMENTAL** AUTHORISATION LODGED IN TERMS OF SECTION 24 OF NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT ACT, 1998 (ACT 107 OF 1998) READ WITH REGULATION 19 OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT (EIA) 2014 **FOR PROSPECTING RIGHT** AND REGULATIONS. RELATED INFRASTRUCTURAL ACTIVITIES ON PORTION OF PORTION 9, 10 AND 11 OF THE FARM BRAKFONTEIN 133, SITUATED IN THE MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT OF NAMAQUALAND: NORTHERN CAPE REGION.

- I refer to the abovementioned matter and confirm that your application for an Environmental Authorisation herein referred to as "EA" lodged on 15th April 2019 is hereby acknowledged.
- 2. You are also advised to submit a basis assessment report (BAR) within 90 days from the date that you have lodged this application. Your nighty (90) days will lapse on the 22nd July 2019. Please note that this is inclusive of weekends but exclusive of public holidays as well as the period of 15th December 2018 to 05th January 2019.

3. You are therefore advised to do your declaration under oath ass the one that you

have submitted is not done under oath. For that reason a commissioner of oath

stamp is required and please submit when submitting your BAR.

4. NB: Regulation 45 of 2014 EIA Regulations stipulates that "an application in terms

of these Regulations lapses and a competent authority will deem the application

as having lapsed, if the applicant fails to meet any of the time-frames prescribed in

terms of these Regulations, unless extension has been granted in terms of

regulation 3(7)."

5. Acknowledgement of your application does not grant you permission to commence

with Prospecting activities. Commencement of a listed activity without an EA

constitutes an offence in terms of Section 49A (1) (a) of NEMA, 1998 (Act 107 of

1998) as amended and upon conviction for such an offence, a person is liable to a

fine not exceeding R10 million or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding ten

years, or to both such fine and such imprisonment.

Hope that this letter will receive your utmost attention. For any other queries regarding

the content of this letter, please contact the above mentioned official.

REGIONAL MANAGER: MINERAL REGULATION

NORTHERN CAPE REGION

DATE: 17/04/2019

Please quote this office file number for any correspondence as reference