## DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, ENVIRONMENT & TOURISM

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Attention:

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Dear Sir/ Madam;

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, ENVIRONMENT & TOURISM ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT MANAGEMENT

2013 -01- 11

P.O. BOX 55464, POLOKY NE 0700 TEL: 015 291 1315

RE: RUSTENBURG PLATINUM MINES AMANDELBULT SECTION CHROME RECOVERY PLANT - ACCESS ROAD AND RAILWAY SIDING UPGRADE ON PORTION 1 OF THE FARM AMANDELBULT 383 KQ WITHIN THABAZIMBI LOCAL MUNICIPAL AREA OF WATERBERG DISTRICT

- 1. The above matter has reference.
- 2. The Department hereby acknowledges and accepts your application for environmental authorisation in terms of Regulation 13(2)(a) of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations R. 543 of 2010 received on 02 January 2013.
- 3. Your application has been allocated **Project Reference Number: 12/1/9/1-W59** and **NEAS Reference Number: LIM/EIA/0000539/2013**, kindly quote both reference numbers in all future correspondence regarding this application.
- 4. You may proceed with the Basic Assessment Process as required by the GNR.543 of Environmental Impact Assessments Regulations, 2010 promulgated under National Environmental Management Act (Act 107 of 1998) as amended.
- 5. Kindly bring to the attention of the applicant the fact that this development must not commence prior to an environmental authorisation issued by this Department. Commencement of any activity that is listed in the EIA Regulations of 2010 without environmental authorisation is a criminal offence and legal action may be taken against the perpetrator.

## **HEAD OFFICE**

Department of Economic Development, Environment and Tourism

Ref No. 12/1/9/1-W59

Please do not hesitate to contact the Department should you have any queries in this respect.

Yours faithfully,

**MANAGER** 

**ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT MANAGEMENT** 

DATE: 11/01/2013

Cc: Rustenburg Platinum Limited

Attention: Mr. Robie Van der Schyff

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