

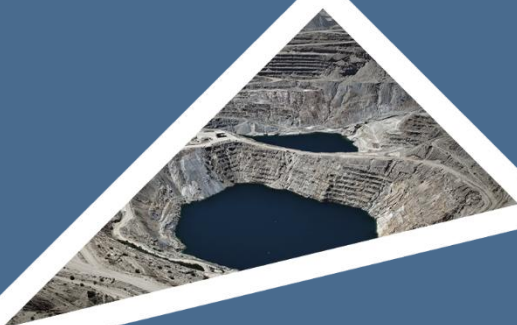


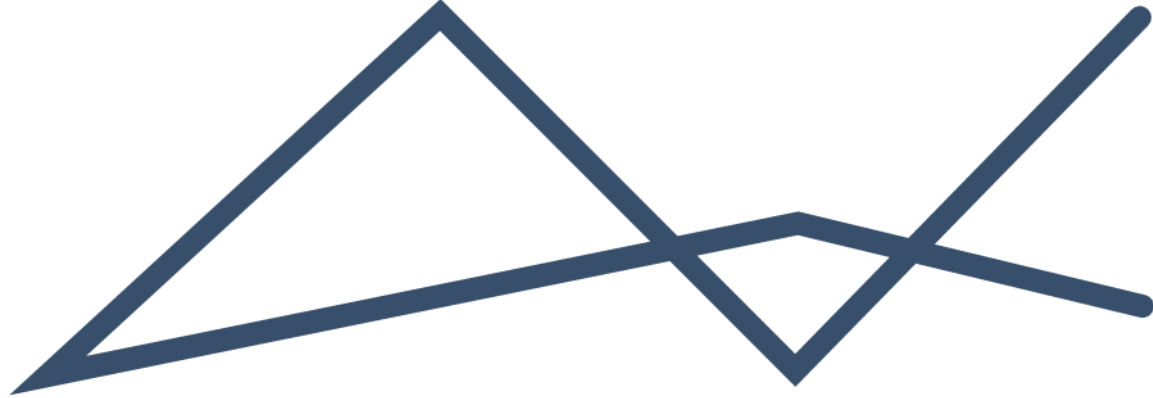
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Abbreviation List:

BAR	Basic Assessment Report
CANSA	Cancer Association of South Africa
CSA	Conservation South Africa



DMRE	Department of Mineral Resources & Energy
EAP	Environmental Assessment Practitioner
EIMS	Environmental Impact Management Services
FWRDWA	Far West Rand Dolomitic Water Association
GDARD	Gauteng Department of Agriculture and Rural Development
I&APs	Interested and Affected Parties
LOM	Life of Mine
MACUA	Mining Affected Communities United in Action
NEMA	National Environmental Management Act
NEMWA	National Environmental Management: Waste Act
NERSA	National Energy Regulator of South Africa
NNR	National Nuclear Regulator
NUM	National Union of Mineworkers
NWA	National Water Act
PHRAG	Provincial Heritage Resources Authority Gauteng
PPP	Public Participation Process
SACAA	South African Civil Aviation Authority
SAHRA	South African Heritage Resource Agency
SANBI	South African National Biodiversity Institute
TSFs	Tailings Storage Facilities
WESSA	Wildlife and Environment Society of South Africa
WULA	Water Use License Application



1 INTRODUCTION

Golden Core Trade and Invest (Pty) Ltd - Mponeng Operations (hereafter referred to as the applicant) has appointed Environmental Impact Management Services (Pty) Ltd (EIMS) as the Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) to undertake the necessary environmental authorisation and associated consultation processes. EIMS will compile and submit the required documentation in support of applications for:

- National Environmental Management Act (Act 107 of 1998) (NEMA);
- National Environmental Management: Waste Act (Act 59 of 2008) (NEMWA); and
- National Water Act (Act 36 of 1998) (NWA).

Additional listed activities and/or water uses may be identified during the process.

The Savuka 7a & 7b Tailings Storage Facilities (TSFs) are approaching their final and approved height, and the current planned Life of Mine (LOM) for the West Wits region exceeds the available deposition capacity. Accordingly, the applicant wishes to increase the height of the Savuka 7a & 7b TSFs.

The proposed project is located on: Portion 25 of the Farm Doornfontein 118 IQ and Portion 93 of the Farm Blyvooruitzicht 116 IQ, Merafong City Local Municipality, Gauteng Province. The site is ~5 km southwest of Carletonville. The centre point of the site is -28.785582°S, 24.074790°E.

2 OBJECTIVES OF THE PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

South Africa, being one of the countries with the most progressive constitutions, enshrined the public's right to be involved in decisions that may affect them in its Constitution. Section 57(1) of the new Constitution that provides: *"The National Assembly may (b) make rules and orders concerning its business, with due regard to representative and participatory democracy, accountability, transparency and public involvement"*. This provision, along with several others gave rise to many new trends in South African legislation. In environmental legislation, the idea of public participation (or stakeholder engagement) features strongly and especially the National Environmental Management Act (Act 107 of 1998, NEMA) and the recent regulations passed under the auspices of this Act makes very strict provisions for public participation in environmental decision-making.

Public participation can be defined as...*"a process leading to a joint effort by stakeholders, technical specialists, the authorities and the proponent who work together to produce better decisions than if they had acted independently"*¹. From this definition, it can be seen that the input of the public is regarded as very important indeed.

The Public Participation Process (PPP) is designed to provide sufficient and accessible information to Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) in an objective manner to assist them to:

During the Environmental Authorisation:

- Verify that their issues have been recorded;
- Comment on the findings of the environmental assessments; and
- Provide relevant local information and knowledge to the environmental assessment.

The PPP is a requirement of several pieces of South African Legislation and aims to ensure that all relevant I&APs are consulted, involved and their opinions are taken into account and a record included in the reports submitted to Authorities. The process ensures that all stakeholders are provided this opportunity as part of a transparent process which allows for a robust and comprehensive environmental study. The PPP for the necessary

¹ Greyling, T. (1999) Towards Managing Environmental Disputes: Appropriate Public Participation. Prepared for Conference on Environmental Dispute Resolution 10-11 June 1998, Fourways, Gauteng, Manyaka Greyling Meiring (Pty) Ltd, South Africa



authorisation required for the project needs to be managed sensitively and according to best practises in order to ensure and promote:

- Compliance with international best practice options;
- Compliance with national legislation;
- Establishment and management of relationships with key stakeholder groups; and
- Encouragement of involvement and participation in the environmental study and authorisation/approval process.

As such, the purpose of the PPP and stakeholder engagement process is to:

- Introduce the proposed project and process for the authorisation project;
- Explain the environmental authorisation;
- Determine and record issues, concerns, suggestions, and objections to the project;
- Provide opportunity for input and gathering of local knowledge;
- Establish and formalise lines of communication between the I&APs and the project team;
- Identify all significant issues for the project; and
- Identify possible mitigation measures or environmental management plans to minimise and/or prevent negative environmental impacts and maximise and/or promote positive environmental impacts associated with the project.

This Public Participation Report (PPR) lists all verbal and written issues raised by I&APs during the call to register period from the 28th of March 2025 to date. A breakdown of the PPP is given within the remaining sections of this PPR.

3 LEGAL COMPLIANCE

The PPP must comply with all environmental legislation that requires public participation as part of an application for authorisation or approval; namely, the National Environmental Management Act (NEMA, Act No. 107 of 1998).

Adherence to the requirements of the above-mentioned Act will allow for an Integrated PPP to be conducted, and in so doing, satisfy the requirements for public participation referenced in the Act. The details of the Integrated PPP are provided below.

4 IDENTIFICATION OF INTERESTED AND AFFECTED PARTIES (I&APS)

An initial I&AP database has been compiled from historic projects in the area, and Windeed searches were conducted to obtain the contact details of the surrounding landowners. The I&APs referred to in the PPR include:

- Pre-identified and registered landowners and surrounding landowners;
- Pre-identified and registered key stakeholders;
- Regulatory authorities;
- Specialist interest groups; and
- All I&APs who responded to the initial notifications and requested to be registered.

Efforts to pre-identify key I&APs involved various avenues such as consultation with the proponent and known landowners within the study area, review of related previously conducted studies, and identification of key



interest groups and authorities within the vicinity of the study area and municipality. Refer to **Appendix 1** for the Key Stakeholder/I&AP Database.

4.1 LIST OF ORGANS OF STATE IDENTIFIED AND NOTIFIED

The following key I&APs, but not limited to, were notified of the proposed project and invited to participate in the public participation process:

- Agricultural Research Council.
- Council for Geoscience.
- Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd.
- Gauteng Department for Economic Development.
- Gauteng Department of Agriculture and Rural Development (GDARD).
- Gauteng Department of Co-operative Governance and Traditional Affairs.
- Gauteng Department of Health.
- Gauteng Department of Human Settlements.
- Gauteng Department of Roads and Transport.
- Gauteng Department of Social Development.
- Gauteng Directorate Public Health.
- Gauteng Local Government Association.
- Gauteng Provincial Government.
- Gauteng Provincial Government - Department of Community Safety.
- Gauteng Provincial Government - Department of Infrastructure Development.
- Gauteng Provincial Government - Department of Sport, Arts, Culture and Recreation.
- Gauteng Tourism Authority.
- Merafong City Local Municipality
- National Department of Agriculture (NDA).
- National Department Of Agriculture, Land Reform And Rural Development.
- National Department of Co-operative Governance and Traditional.
- National Department of Forestry, Fisheries and Environment (DFFE).
- National Department of Mineral Resources & Energy (DMRE).
- National Department of Tourism.
- National Department of Transport.
- National Department of Water and Sanitation.
- National Energy Regulator of South Africa (NERSA).
- National House of Traditional Leaders.
- National Nuclear Regulator (NNR).
- National Union of Mineworkers (NUM).
- Presidential Climate Commission.
- Provincial Heritage Resources Authority Gauteng (PHRAG).
- Rand Water.
- South African Civil Aviation Authority (SACAA).
- South African Department of Defence.
- South African Heritage Resource Agency (SAHRA).
- South African Human Rights Commission.
- South African National Biodiversity Institute (SANBI).
- South African National Road Agency.
- Transnet Soc Ltd.
- Water Research Commission
- West Rand District Municipality



4.2 LIST OF OTHER KEY I&APS IDENTIFIED AND NOTIFIED

- Pre-identified and registered landowners and surrounding landowners
- Abe Bailey Nature Reserve.
- Agri Gauteng
- AgriCulture South Africa (AgriSA).
- AfriForum.
- African National Congress (ANC).
- Association of Mineworkers and Construction Union (AMCU)
- BirdLife South Africa.
- Botanical Society.
- Blyvoor Committee.
- Blyvoor Community Forum.
- Blyvooruitzicht Gold Mining Co Ltd.
- Cancer Association of South Africa (CANSA).
- Carletonville Herald.
- Centre for Environmental Rights.
- Conservation South Africa (CSA).
- Democratic Alliance (DA)
- Earth Life Africa.
- Endangered Wildlife Trust.
- Far West Rand Dolomitic Water Association (FWRDWA).
- Federation for a Sustainable Environment.
- GroundWork SA.
- Lajuma Environmental Research Centre.
- Lawyers for Human Rights.
- Mining Affected Communities United in Action (MACUA).
- Mineral Council South Africa.
- Mining and Environmental Justice Community Network of South Africa.
- Natural Justice.
- Randfontein Environmental Action Group.
- Solidarity.
- South African Wetlands Society.
- Wetland Forum.
- Wildlife and Environment Society of South Africa (WESSA)
- World Wildlife Fund.



5 NOTIFICATION OF INTERESTED AND AFFECTED PARTIES

This section provides details on the notifications that were distributed as part of the consultation process to date.

5.1 INITIAL NOTIFICATION OF KEY I&APS

The PPP commenced on the 28th of March 2025 with an initial call to register notification. Notification during this initial consultation was given in the manner described below.

5.1.1 FAXES, REGISTERED MAIL AND EMAILS

Notification letters (in English and Afrikaans) were distributed to pre-identified I&APS through either faxes, SMSs, registered mail, and/or emails on the 28th of March 2025.

The notification documents included the following information:

- Authorisations required;
- Sufficient detail of the proposed development to enable I&APs to assess/surmise what impact the development will have on them or the use of their land;
- The purpose of the proposed project;
- Details of the application processes associated with proposed activities;
- Details of the affected properties;
- Details of the South African environmental legislation that must be adhered to;
- Contact details of the EAP.

Please refer to **Appendix 2** for initial notification and proofs.

5.1.2 NEWSPAPER AND GAZETTE ADVERTISEMENTS

Newspaper Advertisements (in English and Setswana) describing the proposed project, Basic Assessment (BA) and Water Use License Application (WULA) process were placed in the Carletonville Herald Newspaper with circulation in the vicinity of the study area on the 27th of March 2025. The Gazette Notice (in English and Afrikaans) was placed in the Gauteng Provincial Gazette on the 16th of April 2025. The newspaper and Gazette Notice adverts included the following information:

- Project name;
- Applicant name;
- Project location;
- Nature of the activity;
- Legislative requirements; and
- Relevant EIMS contact person for the project.

Please refer to **Appendix 3** for proof of the newspaper advert and gazette notice placed.



5.1.3 SITE NOTICE PLACEMENT

Five (5) A1 Correx site notices and seven (4) posters (in English, Afrikaans and Setswana) were placed at 9 locations around the proposed project study area on the 27th of March 2025. The on-site notices included the following information:

- Project name;
- Applicant name;
- Project location;
- Map of proposed project area;
- Project description;
- Legislative requirements; and
- Relevant EIMS contact person for the project.

Please refer to **Appendix 4** for proof of site notice and site notice distribution.

6 NOTIFICATION OF INTERESTED AND AFFECTED PARTIES OF BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT AVAILABILITY AND PUBLIC MEETING

Notification (in English, Afrikaans and Setswana) regarding the availability of the Basic Assessment Report (BAR) for public review and comment and details of the Public Meeting has been provided to pre-identified and registered I&APs. The notifications have been distributed through either email, registered mail, fax, and/or SMS, where contact details are available.

Newspaper Advertisements (in English, Afrikaans and Setswana) regarding the availability of the BAR and details of the Public Meeting has been placed in the Carletonville Herald Newspaper with circulation in the vicinity of the study area on the 26th of June 2025.

Contact details have been provided to I&APs should they require assistance accessing the information or require copies of the reports.

Hard copies of the Basic Assessment Report have been placed at the Deelkraal Library (Deelkraal Drive: Y /Latitude 26° 27' 32.534" S, X /Longitude 27° 19' 28.271" E) and at the Carletonville Public Library (c/o Beryl & Emerald St.: Y /Latitude 26° 21' 19.839" S, X / Longitude 27° 24' 4.129" E) for a period of 30 days.

The BAR has also been made available on the EIMS website (<https://www.eims.co.za/public-participation/>).

The public meeting will be held at the Carletonville Civic Centre (35 Beryl Street, Carletonville) on the 3rd of July 2025.

7 SUMMARY OF PUBLIC PARTICIPATION OPPORTUNITIES

The table below provides a summary of the opportunities provided to I&APs for participation in the public participation process to date.

Table 1: Summary of Public Participation Opportunities

Action	Description	Publication/Place	Date
Initial Call to Register	Notification of landowners, occupiers, and other key I&APs.	Affected landowners and key I&APs were notified via email, fax, SMSs and/or post.	28 March 2025



Action	Description	Publication/Place	Date
	Placement of site notices.	Six (6) A1 Correx site notices and seven (7) posters (in English, Afrikaans and Sestwana) were placed at 13 locations around the proposed project study area	27 March 2025
	Newspaper Advertisements; and Gazette Notices.	Advertisements (in English and Sestwana) describing the proposed project, BA and WULA process were placed in the Carletonville Herald Newspaper. The Gazette Notice (in English and Afrikaans) was placed in the Gauteng Provincial Gazette	27 March 2025 (Newspaper) 16 April 2025 (Gazette Notice)
Availability of BAR for public review	Placement of hard copy BAR.	Two (2) hard copies of the report have been placed at the Deelkraal Library and Carletonville Public Library where members of the public can access the report.	26 June 2025
	Placement of BAR electronic copy.	An electronic copy of the report will be placed on the EIMS website. A data free service will be made available to anyone who has limitations with respect to data downloads.	26 June 2025

8 RECORD OF ISSUES RAISED

Comments on the proposed project were solicited from pre-identified and registered I&APs and key stakeholders. To date, the following comments have been received:

- I&AP registration.
- Request for project description, shapefile, and locality map.
- Transnet wayleave application response.
- SAHRA request for an application.
- Department of Water and Sanitation acknowledgment of receipt of Initial Notification letter.

All comments and/or queries received to date are included in this report and presented in **Appendix 5**. Please refer to **Appendix 6** for proof of correspondence.



9 CONCLUSION AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The comments received during the initial call to register period to date were used to inform the compilation of this PPR. This report will be updated for submission to the competent authority, the Department of Mineral Resources & Energy (DMRE), following the 30-day public review period.



10 APPENDICES



Appendix 1: IAP Database

Please note that in an effort to protect the personal information of the Registered I&AP's the contact information of the I&APs will not be made publicly available. Should you require access to this document for the purposes of fulfilling your obligations under the NEMA EIA Regulations or other lawful right, please feel free to contact the EIMS Information officer at 011 789 7170 or popia@eims.co.za

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Mrs	J	Davidtz	
Mr	PA	du Plessis	
	Izak	Marais	
Mr	Brienne	van der Walt	
Mr	I	van Wyk	
Ms	Maria	Sanz Perez	Anglogold Ashanti Ltd
	Louis		Blyvoor Gold
	Dave	Whittaker	Blyvoor Gold
Mr	Leigh	Roering	Blyvooruitzicht Gold Mining Co Ltd
			Blywonder Trust (Pty) Ltd
	JOSE AMBROSIO		CARLETON MIDAS
		DE GOUVEIA	
Ms	Judy	Jakobs	Deelkraal Behuising Trust
Mr	Abram	Masango	Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd
Ms	Thandeka	Mbasa-Sigabi	Gauteng Provincial Government
Ms	Lucy	Mokoka	Gold Fields Limited
Mr	Craig	Mason	Howden Group South Africa Limited
			J A L EIENDOMME PTY LTD
Mr	CM	de Gouveia	Jocapari Trust
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Ms	T	Moalusi	Rand Water
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Mr	JJ	Botha	Wolverdiend Township Development Company Ltd
Landowner			
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Pre-identified			
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Mr	Kenneth	Foteng	African National Congress (ANC)
Mr	Steven	Handula	African National Congress (ANC)
Ms	Francinah	Matseleng	African National Congress (ANC)
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Mr	Elias	Koloi	West Rand District Municipality
Mr	M D	Mokoena	West Rand District Municipality
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Cllr	Mpho	Nawa	West Rand District Municipality
Mr	Bernard	Ncube	West Rand District Municipality
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Mr	Julius	Kleynhans	AfriForum
Mr	Marcus	Pawson	AfriForum
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Mr	Japie	Grobler	Agri SA
Ms	Cynthia	Mmela	Agri SA
Mr	Nic	Opperman	Agri SA
Ms	Esther	Mabena	AMCU
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Ms	Samantha	Ralston-Paton	BirdLife South Africa
Dr	Hanneline	Smit-Robinson	BirdLife South Africa
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Mr	George	Kgoroyabolo	Blyvoor Community Forum
Mr	Joseph	Rammusa	Blyvoor Community Forum
Mr	Mark	Botha	Botanical Society
Dr	Carl	Albrecht	CANSA
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	Tebogo	Mello	Council of Geoscience
	Refilwe	Shelembe	Council of Geoscience
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Sent: Friday, 28 March 2025 16:13
To: 1657 Harmony Savuka BA and WULA
Subject: Golden Core Trade and Invest - Mponeng Operations: Savuka Tailing Storage Facility Extension: Initial Notification
Attachments: 1657_Initial Notification_Combined.pdf; 1657_BID.pdf

Dear Interested and Affected Party (I&AP),

Kindly find attached notification regarding the opportunity to participate in the Environmental Authorisation application process for the Golden Core Trade and Invest - Mponeng Operations Savuka Tailing Storage Facility Extension Project in the Merafong City Local Municipality Gauteng, South Africa. A Background Information Document (BID) is also attached.

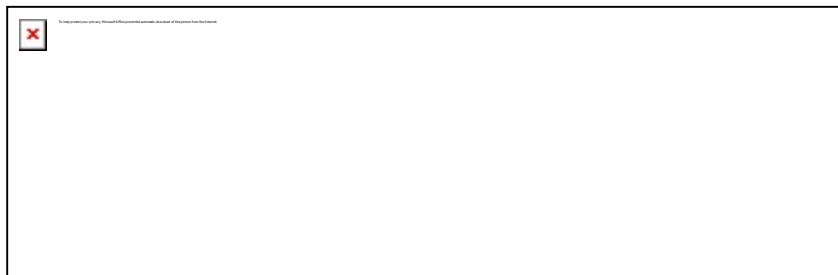
Geagte Belangstellende en Geaffekteerde Party (I&AP),

Kry asseblief aangehegte kennisgewing oor die geleentheid om deel te neem aan die Omgewingsmagtigings-aansoekproses vir die Golden Core Trade and Invest - Mponeng Operations Savuka Tailing Storage Facility Extension Project in die Merafong City Plaaslike Munisipaliteit Gauteng, Suid-Afrika. 'n Agtergrondinligtingsdokument (AID) is ook aangeheg.

Lekoko le le nang le Kgatlhego le le le Amegang (I&AP) le le Rategang,

Tsweetswee bona kitsiso e e mametleletsweng malebana le tshono ya go nna le seabe mo thulaganyong ya kopo ya tetla ya tikologo ya Golden Core Trade and Invest - Mponeng Operations Savuka Tailing Storage Facility Extension Project kwa Merafong City Local Municipality Gauteng, mo Aforika Borwa. Gape go na le Setlankana sa Tshedimosetso ya Kwa Morago (BID) se se tshwaragantsweng.

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2025/03/28

Our ref: Our ref: 1657/MN/am

To whom it may concern

Dear Sir or Madam:

NOTIFICATION REGARDING OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ENVIRONMENTAL APPLICATION FOR THE PROPOSED SAVUKA TAILINGS STORAGE FACILITY EXTENSION PROJECT, IN MERAUFONG CITY LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, GAUTENG, SOUTH AFRICA

Golden Core Trade and Invest (Pty) Ltd - Mponeng Operations (hereafter referred to as the applicant) has appointed Environmental Impact Management Services (Pty) Ltd (EIMS) as the Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) to undertake the necessary environmental authorisation and associated consultation processes. EIMS will compile and submit the required documentation in support of applications for:

- National Environmental Management Act (Act 107 of 1998) (NEMA);
- National Environmental Management: Waste Act (Act 59 of 2008) (NEMWA); and
- National Water Act (Act 36 of 1998) (NWA).

Additional listed activities and/or water uses may be identified during the process.

The Savuka 7a & 7b Tailings Storage Facilities (TSFs) are approaching their final and approved height, and the current planned Life of Mine (LOM) for the West Wits region exceeds the available deposition capacity. Accordingly, the applicant wishes to increase the height of the Savuka 7a & 7b TSFs.

The proposed project is located on: Portion 25 of the Farm Doornfontein 118 IQ and Portion 93 of the Farm Blyvooruitzicht 116 IQ, Merafong City Local Municipality, Gauteng Province. The site is ~5 km south-west of Carletonville. The centre point of the site is -28.785582°S, 24.074790°E. Please refer to attached project locality map.

EIMS will be following the procedures defined in the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations (GRN982 of 2014, as amended) for undertaking a Basic Assessment process. In accordance with Chapter 6 of the EIA Regulations, a public participation process will be undertaken. You are hereby invited to register and comment on the proposed project and application/s. In order to ensure that you are identified and registered as an Interested and Affected Party (I&AP), and that your comments are captured, please submit your name, contact details, the reason for your interest or any comments, in writing or telephonically, to EIMS. Please note that only registered I&AP's will be informed of future project information and opportunities for participation.

By registering as an interested and affected party you consent to the collection and processing of your personal information as per the EIMS Privacy Notice available at www.eims.co.za/public-participation. In order to avoid missing out on opportunities for public participation please submit I&AP registrations as soon as possible to EIMS at:

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EIMS Reference Number: 1657

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Please include the project reference number **1657** in all correspondence.

Further information will be available at www.eims.co.za/public-participation/. Please note that in the event that you are unable to access the website due to data constraints please contact EIMS for alternative arrangements.

Please feel free to contact the undersigned if you have any queries or concerns.

Kind Regards,

Alex Msipa

2025/03/28

Ons verwysing: 1657/MN/am

Vir wie dit mag aangaan

Geagte Meneer of Mevrouw,

KENNISGEWING MET BETREKKING TOT GELEENTHEID OM AAN DIE OMGEWINGSAANSOEK DEEL TE NEEM VIR DIE VOORGESTELDE HARMONY SAVUKA UITSKOT BERGINGSFASILITEIT UITBREIDINGSPROJEK, IN MERAUFONG STAD PLAASLIKE MUNISIPALITEIT, GAUTENG, SUID-AFRIKA

Golden Core Trade and Invest (Pty) Ltd. - Mponeng Operations (hierna verwys as die aansoeker) het Environmental Impact Management Services (Edms) Bpk (EIMS) as die Omgewingsevalueringspraktisyn (EAP) aangestel om die nodige omgewingsmagtiging en gepaardgaande konsultasieprosesse te onderneem. EIMS sal die vereiste dokumentasie saamstel en indien ter ondersteuning van aansoeke vir:

- Wet op Nasionale Omgewingsbestuur (Wet 107 van 1998) (NEMA);
- Nasionale Omgewingsbestuur: Afvalwet (Wet 59 van 2008) (NEMWA); en
- Nasionale Waterwet (Wet 36 van 1998) (NWA).

Bykomende gelyste aktiwiteite en/of watergebruike kan tydens die proses geïdentifiseer word.

Die Savuka 7a & 7b uitskot bergingsfasiliteite (TSFs) nader hul finale en goedgekeurde hoogte, en die huidige beplande Life of Mine (LOM) vir die Wes Wits-streek oorskry die beskikbare afsettingskapasiteit. Daarom, verlang die aansoeker om die hoogte van die Savuka 7a & 7b TSFs te verhoog.

Die voorgestelde projek is geleë op Gedeelte 25 van die Plaas Doornfontein 118 IQ en Gedeelte 93 van die Plaas Blyvooruitzicht 116 IQ, Meraufong City Plaaslike Munisipaliteit, Gauteng Provinsie. The terrein is ~5 km suid-wes van Carletonville. The sentrale punt van die terrein is by is -28.785582°S, 24.074790°O. Verwys asseblief na aangehegte projekliggingskaart.

EIMS sal die prosedures volg wat in die Omgewingsimpakbepaling (OIB) Regulasies (GRN982 van 2014, soos gewysig) omskryf is om 'n Basiese Evalueeringsproses te onderneem. In ooreenstemming met Hoofstuk 6 van die OIB-regulasies, sal 'n publieke deelnameproses onderneem word. U word hiermee uitgenooi om te registreer en kommentaar te lewer op die voorgestelde projek en aansoeke. Om te verseker dat jy geïdentifiseer en geregistreer word as 'n Belanghebbende & Geaffekteerde Party (B&GP) en dat u kommentaar vasgelê word, dien asseblief u naam, kontakbesonderhede en die rede vir u belangstelling, skriftelik of telefonies aan EIMS. Neem asseblief kennis dat slegs geregistreerde B&GPe ingelig sal word oor toekomstige projekinligting en geleenthede vir deelname.

Deur te registreer as 'n B&GP stem u saam tot die insameling en verwerking van u persoonlike inligting soos per die EIMS Privaatheidskennisgewing beskikbaar by www.eims.co.za/public-participation. Om te verhoed dat geleenthede vir publieke deelname misgeloop word, dien asseblief B&GP-registrasies, of enige navrae, kommentaar of bekommernisse met betrekking tot hierdie aansoek, so gou moontlik in by EIMS by:

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EIMS Verwysingsnommer: 1657

Posadres: Posbus 2083; Pinegowrie; 2123

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Sluit asseblief die projekverwysingsnommer **1657** by alle korrespondensie in.

Verdere inligting sal beskikbaar wees by www.eims.co.za/public-participation/. Neem asseblief kennis dat in die geval dat jy weens databeperkings nie toegang tot die webwerf kan kry nie, kontak asseblief EIMS vir alternatiewe reëlins.

Voel asseblief vry om die ondergetekende te kontak indien u enige navrae of bekommernisse het.

Vriendelike groete,

Alex Msipa

28 Mopitlwe 2025

Ref Yarona: 1657/MN/am

Yo o ka amegang ka ene.

Motlotlegi yo o Kgatlhegileng le yo o Amegang:

KITSISO MABAPI LE MONYETLA WA GO TSAYA KAROLO MO KOPO YA TIKOLOGO YA POROJEKE YA KATOLOSO YA LEFelo LA POLOKELO YA MASALELA A SAVUKA, MO MASEPALA WA SELEGAE WA MERAUFONG, GAUTENG AFRIKA BORWA.

Golden Core Trade and Invest (Pty) Ltd. - Mponeng Operations (e e tla bidiwang mokopi) e tlhomile Environmental Impact Management Services (Pty) Ltd (EIMS) jaaka Moitseanape yo o sekasekang maemo a tikologo (EAP) go dira dikopo tse di tlhokegang tsa tetla ya tikologo le dithulaganyo tsa ditherisano tse di amanang le seo. EIMS e tla kokoanya le go romela ditokomane tse di tlhokegang go tshegetsa dikopo tsa:

- Molao wa Bosetšhaba wa Tsamaiso ya Tikologo (Molao wa bo 107 wa 1998) (NEMA)
- Molao wa Bosetšhaba wa Tsamaiso ya Tikologo: Molao wa Matlakala (Molao wa bo 59 wa 2008) (NEMWA)
- Molao wa Bosetšhaba wa Metsi (Molao wa bo36 wa 1998) (NWA)

Ditiro tse dingwe tse di umakilweng le/kgotsa tiriso ya metsi e ka supiwa mo tsamaong.

Dikago tsa Polokelo ya Masalela a Savuka 7a le 7b (di-TSF) di atamela bogodimo jwa tsone jwa bofelo le jo bo letleletsweng, mme Botshelo jwa Moepo (LOM) jo bo rulagantsweng ga jaana jwa kgaolo ya West Wits bo feta bokgoni jo bo leng teng jwa go tlhoma. Ka jalo, mokopi o eletsa go oketsa bogodimo jwa di-TSF tsa Savuka 7a le 7b

Porojeke e e solofetsweng e beilwe mo karolong ya bo25 ya Polase ya Doornfontein 118 IQ le Karolo ya bo93 ya Polase ya Blyvooruitzicht 116 IQ, Mmasepala wa Selegae wa Toropo ya Merafong, Porofense ya Gauteng. Lefelo leno le ~5km kwa borwa-bophirima jwa Carletonville. Ntlha ya bogare jwa lefelo ke -28,785582°S, 24,074790°E. Tsweetswee leba mmapa wa lefelo la porojeke o o mametleletsweng.

EIMS e tla latela ditsmaiso tse di tlhalositweng mo Melawaneng ya Tlhatlhobo ya Tlhotlhetso mo Tikologong (EIA) (GRN982 ya 2014, jaaka e tlhabolotswe) go dira thulaganyo ya Tlhatlhobo ya Motheo. Go ya ka Kgaolo 6 ya Melawana ya EIA, go tla dirwa thulaganyo ya go tsaya karolo ga setšhaba. O lalediwa go ikwadisa le go tshwaela ka porojeke e e tshitshintsweng le/dikopo. Go netefatsa gore o supilwe le go kwadisiwa jaaka Mokgatlo o o nang le kगतlego le o o kगतlegang (I&AP) le gore ditshwaelo tsa gago di a tsewa, tsweetswee romela leina la gago, dintlha tsa kgolagano, le lebaka la kगतlhego ya gago, ka go kwala kgotsa ka mogala kwa EIMS. Tsweetswee ela tlhoko gore ke I&APs fela e e kwadisitsweng e e tla itsiseng ka tshedimosetso ya porojeke ya isagwe le ditshono tsa go nna le seabe.

Ka go ikwadisa jaaka motho yo o nang le kगतlhego le yo o amegang, o dumela go kokoanngwa le go dirwa ga tshedimosetso ya gago ya sebele go ya ka Kitsiso ya Sephiri ya EIMS e e leng teng mo www.eims.co.za/public-participation. Go tla go latlhelwa ke ditshono tsa go nna le seabe ga setšhaba, tsweetswee romela dikwadiso tsa I&AP, kgotsa dipotso dingwe le dingwe, dikakgelo, kgotsa dipelaello tse di amanang le kopo eno, ka bonako jo bo kgonegang kwa EIMS mo atereseng eno

Motho yo go ka ikgolaganngwang le ene: Alexander Msipa

Nomoro ya Tshupetso ya EIMS: 1657

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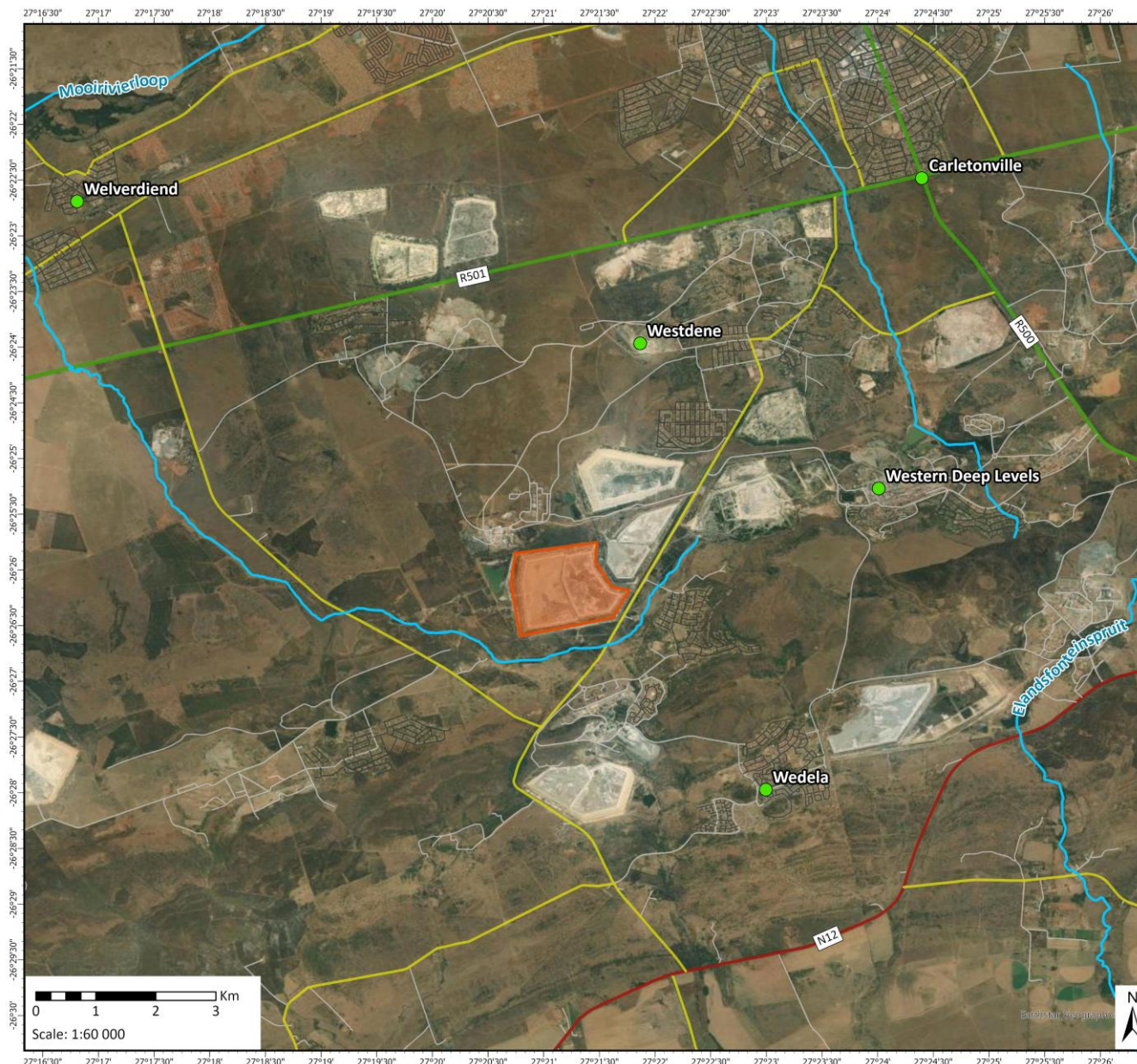
Tsweetswee akaretsa nomoro ya tshupetso ya porojeke ya **1657** mo makwalong otlhe.

Tshedimosetso e nngwe e tla nna teng mo go www.eims.co.za/public-participation/. Tsweetswee ela tlhoko gore mo tiragalong ya fa o sa kgone go tsena mo webosaeteng ka ntlha ya mathata a tshedimosetso tsweetswee ikgolaganye le EIMS go bona dithulaganyo tse dingwe.

Tsweetswee gololesega go ikgolaganya le yo o saenileng fa tlase fa o na le dipotso kgotsa matshwenyego.

Ka madumedi a a bonolo,

Alex Msipa

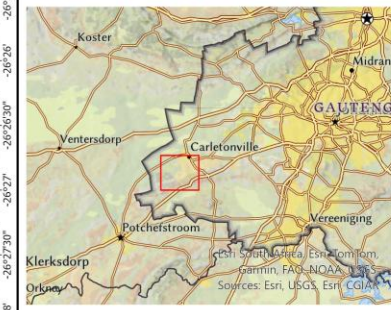


Locality Map

1657 Harmony Savuka BA WULA

Legend

- Savuka 7a & 7b TSF
- NFEPA Rivers
- Places
- Roads**
 - National Route
 - Main Road
 - Secondary Road
 - Street
 - Access Road



Data Sources:

CSG; ESRI; SANBI
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BACKGROUND INFORMATION DOCUMENT

1657 SAVUKA 7A & 7B TSF



PURPOSE OF THIS DOCUMENT:

- This Background Information Document (BID) provides you, as an Interested and Affected Party (I&AP), an overview of the proposed project.
- The BID invites you, as an I&AP, to participate in the required Public Participation Process.
- The BID provides you, as an I&AP with an opportunity to contribute and participate in the formulation of the Basic Assessment (BA) Report.
- The BID also provides you, as an I&AP an opportunity to provide the project team with your comments, concerns and objections to the proposed project.

INTRODUCTION:

Golden Core Trade and Invest (Pty) Ltd - Mponeng Operations has appointed Environmental Impact Management Services (EIMS) as the Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) to assist with undertaking the necessary authorisation processes, including compiling the necessary reports and undertaking the statutory consultation processes, in support of the proposed project as described herein.

It is anticipated that several listed or regulated activities contained in the following legislation will potentially be triggered by the proposed project:

- National Environmental Management Act- NEMA (Act 107 of 1998- as amended);
- National Environmental Management: Waste Act- NEM:WA (Act 59 of 2008); and
- National Water Act – NWA (Act 36 of 1998).

The exact enviro-legal requirements and activities will be confirmed during the Authority pre-application meetings and 'feasibility' and desktop assessment of this project.

The Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) process will be undertaken in terms of Chapter 6 of the EIA Regulations, 2014 (GNR 982) promulgated under the NEMA (as amended). A Basic Assessment (BA) process will be followed which involves a 'feasibility' and desk-top assessment as well as a detailed assessment with input from specialists.

Aim of the Background Information Document (BID):

The aim of the BID is to:

- Provide an overview of the Environmental Authorisation/Licensing Applications as well as the public participation processes which will be undertaken for the proposed project;
- Allow Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) the opportunity to obtain a broad understanding of the proposed project and to request or share information; and
- Provide details on how I&APs can register their interest with and submit comments on the project. It is important to note that only registered I&APs will receive further communication regarding the project for the duration of the Basic Assessment (BA) process (i.e. invitation to review and comment on the Draft BA and Final BA Reports).



LOCATION, SCALE, AND EXTENT OF THE PROPOSED PROJECT:

LOCATION

The proposed project and activity are proposed to be undertaken at the following location:

- Property Description: Portion 25 of the Farm Doornfontein 118 IQ and Portion 93 of the Farm Blyvooruitzicht 116 IQ
- Central Co-ordinates: 26° 26'09.83"S; 27°21'11.03"E
- Physical Address: Merafong City Local Municipality Wards 5 and 27 of the West Rand District Municipality administrative area.
- Regional Description:
 - Local Municipality: Merafong City Local Municipality
 - Province: **Gauteng Province**
- Closest town or point of interest: ~ 5 km south-west of Carletonville

Please refer to locality map at the end of this BID.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

The Applicant holds an approved Mining Right (MR) and Environmental Management Programme (EMPr), in terms of the Minerals and Petroleum Resources Development Act (Act 28 of 2002, as amended) (MPRDA), for the mining of gold at various operations in the West Wits region in the Gauteng Province. The Savuka Plant currently deposits tailings onto the Savuka 7a & 7b Tailings Storage Facilities (TSFs). However, these facilities are approaching their final and approved height, and the current planned Life of Mine (LOM) for the West Wits region exceed the available deposition capacity of these TSFs. Accordingly, the applicant is undertaking a feasibility assessment to increase the height of the Savuka 7a & 7b TSFs. Slurry deposition is currently taking place on the Savuka 7a & 7b TSFs and Harmony is proposing to extend the height of these TSFs.

The precise dimensions and details of the proposed extension of the TSF will be provided in the Basic Assessment Report once the feasibility studies and engineering designs have been completed.

LEGISLATIVE REQUIREMENTS

The proposed project requires certain authorisations, approvals, permits, and/or licences. The following requirements have specifically been identified:

Relevant Legislation	Listed activities or triggers	Authorisation, Approval, Licence, or Permit requirement:
Chapter 5 of the NEMA	GNR 983 (2014, as amended): Activity 34 : The expansion of existing facilities or infrastructure for any process or activity where such expansion will result in the need for a permit or licence or an amended permit or licence in terms of national or provincial legislation governing the release of emissions, effluent or pollution, excluding— ○ (i) where the facility, infrastructure, process or activity is included in the list of waste management activities published in	Environmental Authorisation (EA)



	terms of section 19 of the National Environmental Management: Waste Act, 2008 (Act No. 59 of 2008) in which case the National Environmental Management: Waste Act, 2008 applies; ○ (ii) the expansion of existing facilities or infrastructure for the treatment of effluent, wastewater, polluted water or sewage where the capacity will be increased by less than 15 000 cubic metres per day; or ○ (iii) the expansion is directly related to aquaculture facilities or infrastructure where the wastewater discharge capacity will be increased by 50 cubic meters or less per day.	
Chapter 4 of the NEM:WA	GN921 (2013 as amended): Waste Management Activities Category A: 13 : The expansion of a waste management activity listed in Category A or B of this Schedule which does not trigger an additional waste management activity in terms of this Schedule.	Waste Management Licence (WML)
Chapter 4 of the NWA	NWA, Section 21 Water Uses: Section 21 (g) : Disposing of waste in a manner which may detrimentally impact a water resource;	Water Use Licence (WUL).

As a consequence of triggering the provisions above, there is a requirement to undertake an Environmental Impact Assessment Process (EIA). The EIA is to be undertaken in accordance with the requirements of the NEMA EIA Regulations (GNR982, 2014 as amended).

IMPACT ASSESSMENT PROCESS

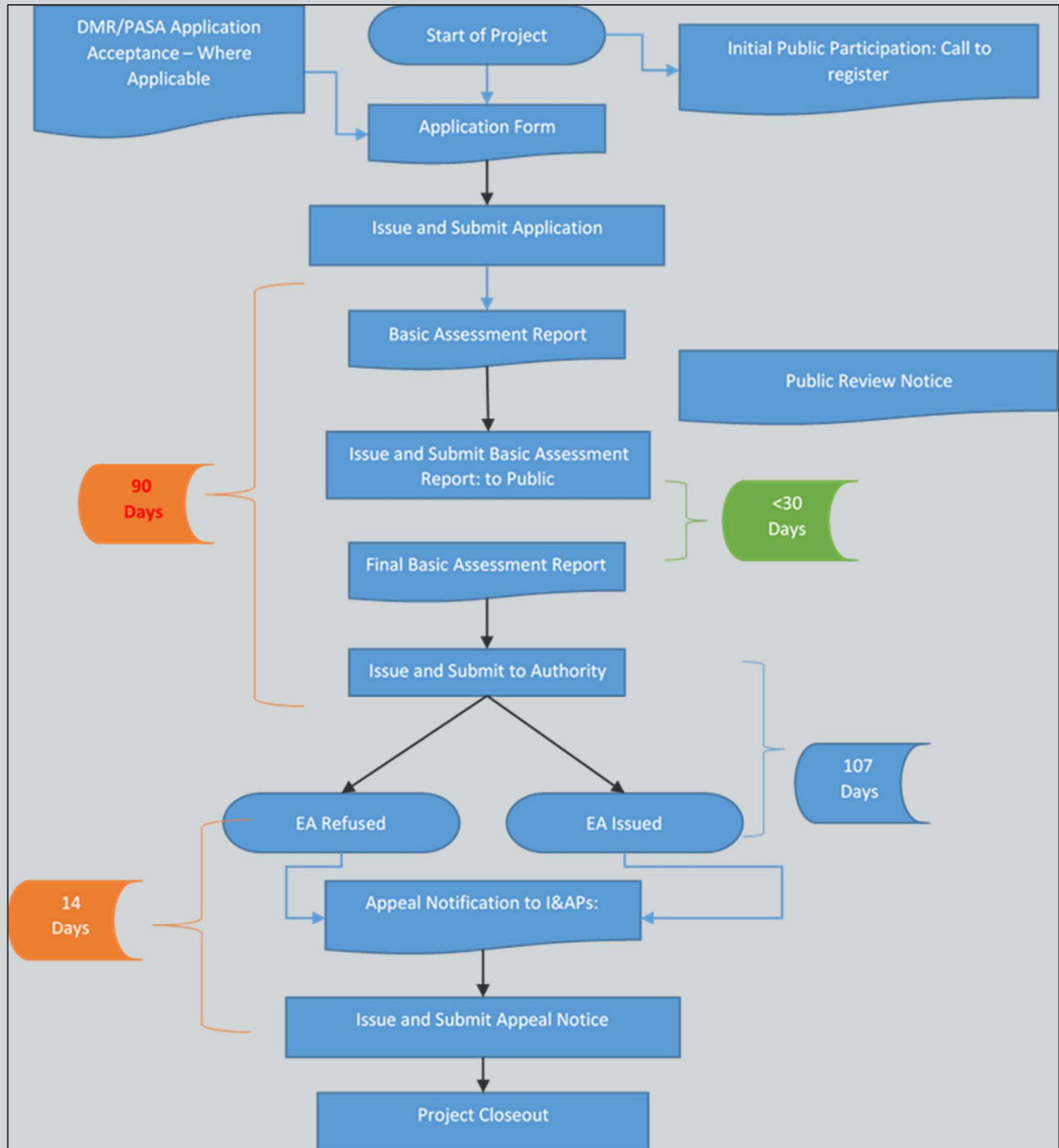
BA process is a planning and decision making tool, to describe and assess the physical, biological, social, and economic impacts which a given development or project may have. To be able to inform the decision-making process, it is important for public issues and concerns to be identified timeously, to enable the BA team to evaluate them.

The BA process allows for the environmental consequences of a proposed project to be identified up-front, investigated throughout the impact assessment process, and taken into consideration by the decision-making authorities. The EAP and various



specialists also identify potential negative and positive impacts that could arise as a result of the proposed project and identify applicable mitigation measures required, to avoid or reduce negative impacts and to enhance positive impacts.

A broad overview of the Basic Assessment process is provided below:



Once the relevant processes have been completed and the final documentation submitted to the competent authority, the competent authority reviews the application and makes an informed decision. The I&APs will be informed of the decision and their right to appeal in the event that they disagree with the decision.



PRELIMINARY ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS

One of the key drivers to a successful BA process is to ensure that potential impacts (both positive and negative) are identified and investigated, including input from the relevant specialist information. In order to accurately and objectively assess these potential impacts. A number of potential environmental impacts associated with the proposed project have been identified. Preliminary identified potential impacts to be assessed in this BA process include amongst others:

- Increase in poor air quality;
- Increase in negative impact on surface and groundwater quality and quantity;
- Increase in visual impact and impact on Sense of Place;
- Increase in impact on geology and soils;
- Health and safety risk due to increase tailings volumes and failure of dam wall;
- Sustaining employment;
- Sustaining indirect social benefits.

The above-mentioned impacts should not be construed as the only impacts that will be identified during the course of the BA. Based on public consultation, specialist input and further detailed assessments, additional impacts will likely be identified and assessed.

All potential impacts will be identified and assessed following an impact assessment methodology guided by the requirements of the NEMA EIA Regulations. The broad approach to the significance rating methodology is to determine the environmental risk (ER) by considering the consequence (C) of each impact (comprising Nature, Extent, Duration, Magnitude, and Reversibility) and relate this to the probability/likelihood (P) of the impact occurring. This determines the environmental risk. In addition, other factors including cumulative impacts, public concern, and potential for irreplaceable loss of resources, are used to determine a prioritisation factor (PF) which is applied to the ER to determine the overall significance (S).

Furthermore, based on the identified impacts and their ratings, mitigation and management measures are recommended for the applicant and these are included in an Environmental Management Programme (EMPr) towards ensuring that any negative impacts that cannot be avoided are minimised and managed, and positive impacts maximised.

Specialist studies may be utilised to guide and inform the assessment of the potential impacts. The specialist studies identified to be included in this assessment include:

- Air Quality Impact Assessment.
- Groundwater Assessment.
- Hydrological Assessment.
- Wetland Delineation and Assessment.
- Visual Impact Assessment.
- Closure Costing.
- Health Risk and Radiological Impact Assessment.

The need for further specialist studies may be identified through the BA process.

HOW TO GET INVOLVED

Should you feel that you may be interested in, or affected by, this project, it is essential that you register as an Interested and Affected Party (I&AP) in which case you will be kept informed regarding the project and afforded an opportunity to participate in the process. Please note that only registered I&APs will be included in future correspondence regarding the project and associated updates. You may register and/or comment as an I&AP in any of the following ways:



- Complete the I&AP registration form and questionnaire and return it to EIMS via email, fax or post;
- Submit written comments, registrations, or requests to EIMS via email, fax or post; and/or
- Via telephone call.

It is important to note that the BA process is guided by legally stipulated timeframes and as such, in order to ensure your continued and valuable involvement in the project, we request that your registration requests and any preliminary comments are submitted to EIMS (contact details provided below) as soon as possible.

Please note that further to the above, all registered I&APs will also be notified in due course of further participation opportunities, as well as the availability of the Basic Assessment Report upon which comments will be solicited.

Environmental Impact Management Services (Pty) Ltd (EIMS)

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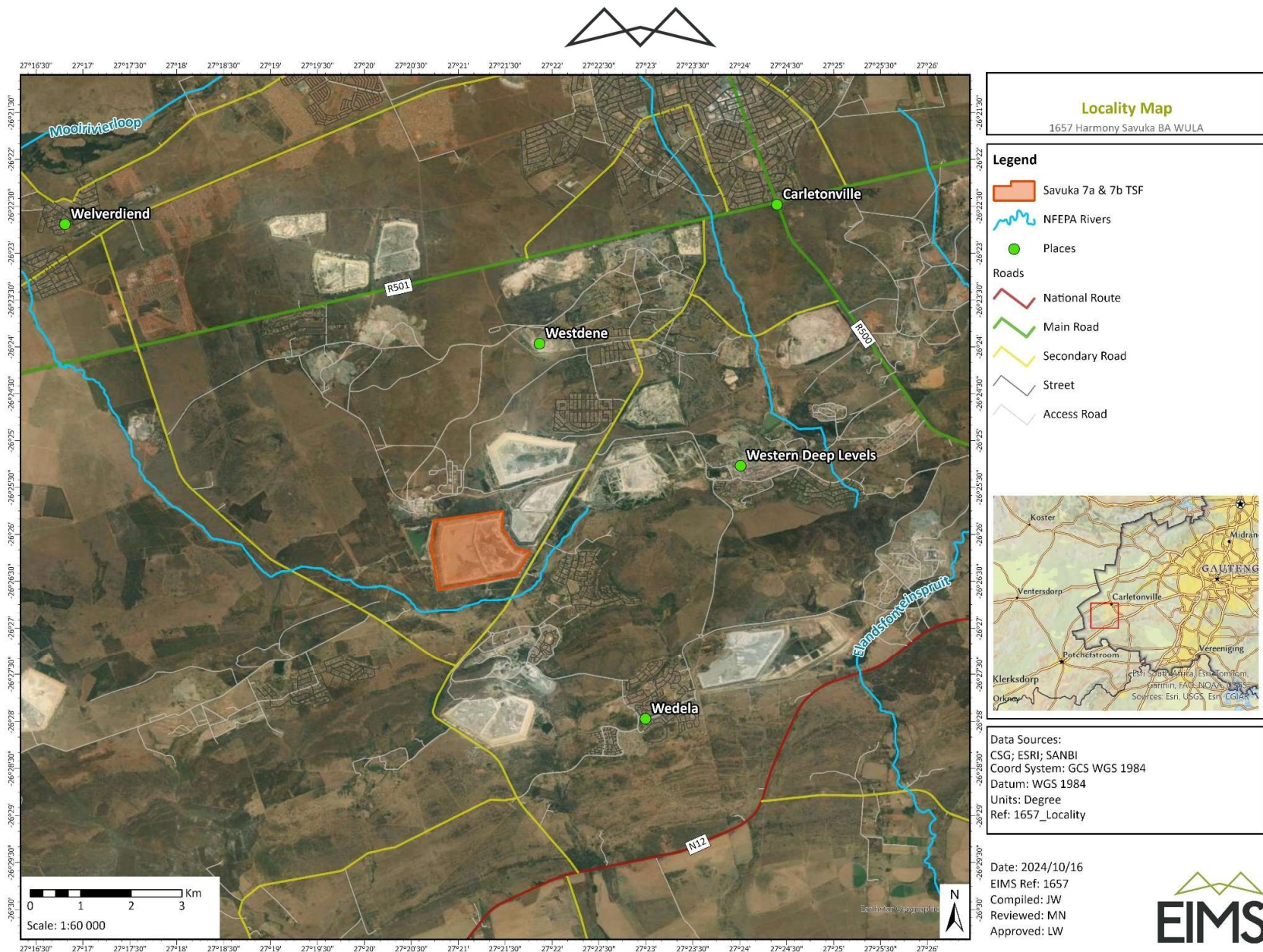
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DEPARTMENT : Information contact	REF: 1657/MN/am
COMPANY: World Wildlife Fund	DATE: 28 March 2025
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COMPANY: National Energy Regulator of South Africa (NERSA)	DATE: 28 March 2025
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DEPARTMENT : Head of Department	REF: 1657/MN/am
COMPANY: BirdLife South Africa	DATE: 28 March 2025
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TO: MR ALUTA NTSUKU

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REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Mining and Environmental Justice Community Network of South Africa

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TO: MS AMORETTE VAN ROOYEN

FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

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TO: MR BALDWIN MAHATLANI

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TO: MR BERNARD NCUBE

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TO: MR BETHUEL NETESHISWINZHE

FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

DEPARTMENT : Head of Department: Infrastructure Development

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Gauteng Provincial Government

DATE: 28 March 2025

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TO: MS C KHANILE

FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

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TO: MS CARIN BOSMAN

FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

DEPARTMENT

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COMPANY: Carin Bosman Sustainable Solutions

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TO: MR CHARLES HLEBELA

FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

DEPARTMENT : Head of Communications

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: National Energy Regulator of South Africa (NERSA)

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TO: MS CYNTHIA MMELA

FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

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COMPANY: Agri SA

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TO: MR DANIEL MOTAUNG

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REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Gauteng Department of Agriculture and Rural Development
(GDARD) DATE: 28 March 2025

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TO: MS DAWN ROBERTSON

FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

DEPARTMENT : Chief Executive Officer

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Gauteng Tourism Authority

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TO: DR DHIRAJ RAMA

FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

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COMPANY: Gauteng Department for Economic Development

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COMPANY: North West University

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DEPARTMENT : Water Pollution Control Officer

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Department of Water and Sanitation

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COMPANY: Department of Water and Sanitation

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REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Agricultural Research Council

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REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Wildlife and Environment Society of South Africa (WESSA) DATE: 28 March 2025

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COMPANY: National Nuclear Regulator (NNR)

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REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Tansnet Freight Rail

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TO: MR HEINE HOFFMAN

FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

DEPARTMENT : Manager: Water Strategy

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd

DATE: 28 March 2025

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TO: MS JACKIE SMIT

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DEPARTMENT : Agricultural Production & Resources Management

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: National Department of Agriculture (NDA)

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DEPARTMENT : Working for Wetlands	REF: 1657/MN/am
COMPANY: South African National Biodiversity Institute	DATE: 28 March 2025
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REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Rand Water

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TO: JR. KENNY	FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM
DEPARTMENT : (Chief of Logistics:	REF: 1657/MN/am
COMPANY: South African National Defence Force (SANDF)	DATE: 28 March 2025
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TO: MR JULIUS KLEYNHANS

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DEPARTMENT

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: AfriForum

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TO: MS KAREN MARX

FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

DEPARTMENT : Regional Manager: Gauteng, Limpopo, North West, REF: 1657/MN/am
Mpumalanga

COMPANY: Wildlife and Environment Society of South Africa (WESSA) DATE: 28 March 2025

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TO: KHANYISA NKUNA

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DEPARTMENT : Department of Health: Assistant to Head of REF: 1657/MN/am
Department

COMPANY: Gauteng Provincial Government

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FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

DEPARTMENT : Land & Soil Management - National LandCare REF: 1657/MN/am
Secretariat

COMPANY: National Department Of Agriculture, Land Reform And Rural DATE: 28 March 2025
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DEPARTMENT

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Merafong City Local Municipality

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REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Department of Water and Sanitation

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COMPANY: Wildlife and Environment Society of South Africa (WESSA) DATE: 28 March 2025

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FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

DEPARTMENT

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: South African Department of Defence (SO1 Military Integrated Environment Management (MIEM) Governance) DATE: 28 March 2025

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DEPARTMENT : Head Office contact

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Gauteng Department of Co-operative Governance and
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REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Gauteng Tourism Authority

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DEPARTMENT : Deputy Information Officer (PAIA)

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: National Department of Water and Sanitation

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TO: MR MARK BOTHA

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DEPARTMENT

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Botanical Society

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FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

DEPARTMENT : Director-General Office

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: National Department of Transport

DATE: 28 March 2025

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Development, Agriculture, Environment, and Rural
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TO: MS MEI HERMANUS

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REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Department of Mineral Resources

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COMPANY: National Department of Transport

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TO: MS MILLICENT SOLOMONS

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DEPARTMENT : Director - Environmental Impact Evaluation

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COMPANY: National Department of Forestry, Fisheries and Environment DATE: 28 March 2025
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TO: DR MKHULULI LUKHELE

FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

DEPARTMENT : Department of Health: Head of Department

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Gauteng Provincial Government

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COMPANY: Gauteng Department for Economic Development

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COMPANY: West Rand District Municipality

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REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: South African Heritage Resource Agency (SAHRA)

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COMPANY: Department of Water and Sanitation

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COMPANY: Agri SA

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COMPANY: Mineral Council South Africa

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TO: MR NKUNA VICTOR

FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

DEPARTMENT : Wonderfontein Catchment Forum

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Department of Water and Sanitation

DATE: 28 March 2025

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REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Transnet Soc Ltd

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TO: MRS ONICA PAPISO

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COMPANY: Gauteng Department of Health

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TO: MR ORION PHILLIPS

FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

DEPARTMENT

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: National Nuclear Regulator (NNR)

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TO: MR PAUL HERBST

FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

DEPARTMENT : Directorate: Water use Efficiency

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Department of Water and Sanitation

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TO: MR PAULO DE GOUVEIA

FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

DEPARTMENT

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Blyvoor Community Forum

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TO: MR PHEAGA KWATA

FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

DEPARTMENT

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Department of Mineral Resources

DATE: 28 March 2025

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TO: PHOPOLO KGOSI MAUBANE

FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

DEPARTMENT : Chairperson

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: National House of Traditional Leaders

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COMPANY: National Department of Water and Sanitation

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DEPARTMENT : Head of Department

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Gauteng Provincial Government

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DEPARTMENT : Environmental Health

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COMPANY: GroundWork

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REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: West Rand District Municipality

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DEPARTMENT : Regional Land Claims Commission Free State and REF: 1657/MN/am
Northern Cape

COMPANY: National Department Of Agriculture, Land Reform And Rural DATE: 28 March 2025
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DEPARTMENT

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Gauteng Department of Agriculture and Rural Development
(GDARD) DATE: 28 March 2025

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TO: MR SEBASTIAN JOOSTE

FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

DEPARTMENT : Principal Specialist Scientist

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Department of Water and Sanitation

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TO: DR SHADRACK MOEPHULI

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REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Agricultural Research Council

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FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

DEPARTMENT

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Gauteng Department of Agriculture and Rural Development
(GDARD) DATE: 28 March 2025

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TO: MR SHIRLEY MAKHAVHU	FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM
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REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: South African National Biodiversity Institute

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DEPARTMENT : Chief Directorate: Gauteng

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DEPARTMENT : Head of Department: Community Safety

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Gauteng Provincial Government

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COMPANY: Gauteng Provincial Government

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TO: MS STEPHINAH MUDAU

FROM: EIMS PUBLIC PARTICIPATION TEAM

DEPARTMENT

REF: 1657/MN/am

COMPANY: Chamber of Mines South Africa

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COMPANY: West Rand District Municipality

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COMPANY: South African Heritage Resource Agency (SAHRA)

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DEPARTMENT : Office of Director-General	REF: 1657/MN/am
COMPANY: National Department of Tourism	DATE: 28 March 2025
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COMPANY: National Department of Agriculture (NDA)

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COMPANY: Department of Water and Sanitation

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TO: MR WITEK JEZEWSKI

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TO: MR ZACHARIA MASWUMA

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Appendix 3: Newspaper and Gazette Notice Proof

Scorpions excited for first home game



Scorpions players in action during a seven-a-side rugby weekend in Alberton.

Adele Louw

The Scorpion Rugby Club will run onto the field in their first home game of the new season this coming Saturday.

According to the club's spokesperson, Joe Bosch, Scorpions will take on opponents from Ennerdale. All the games will be played at the rugby fields at the Gert van Rensburg Stadium in Fochville.

The day's action starts at 12:45 with the U19 team as the opening game. The U21s will start at 13:45, while the Second Team will be in action at 14:45. In the highlight of the day the First Team will go onto the field at 16:15.

The public is invited to go and support our area's

Scorpions players showed their skill during one of the recent seven-a-side matches.

only league rugby club.

Scorpions already warmed up for the new season when they played in a seven-a-side rugby weekend in Alberton.

This event, organised by the Golden Lions, was held on March 8 and 9.

The Scorpions players are ready for the new season.



Soccer players on the go

Adele Louw

The Merafong City Local Football Association (MCLFA) hosted a special U13 tournament for rural teams over the weekend.

According to the organisation's administrator, Noluthando Mofekeng, the event was held at the sporting grounds at Watersedge Plots 50 and 51 on March 22.

Dinaledi FC, Mightly Eagles, Ezinye Izinja and Mighty Chiefs took part in knockout matches.

Mightly Eagles walked off as winners, while Dinaledi FC were the runners-up. Ezinye Izinja finished third.

These teams were rewarded with gold, silver and bronze medals, as well as soccer kits and two Adidas soccer balls each.

The organisers thanked Zanele Tumane of the Department of Sports, Arts and Culture in the West Corridor, the MCLFA management and the residents of Watersedge, Tsatsabane and Rooipoort who came to support the players.



The event gave many young players the opportunity to develop and win prizes.

Jong skopbokkers ryg medaljes in

Adele Louw

Pretoria gehou.

Sowat 350 vegters, sommige van sover as Kathu in die Noord-Kaap, het deelgeneem.

Ontwikkelings en gevorderde vegters kon kragte meet.

"Dit was goeie voorbereiding vir die SA's wat van 28 tot 30 April gehou gaan word," sê die klub se afripter, Shihan Chimmy van Winkel.



Die vegters wat tydens Saterdag se kompetisie presteer het, is voor Reagan Burger (goud, silwer en brons), Jessi Kolbé (twee silwer en brons) en Lihan Steyn (drie vierde plekke). In die middel is Delaney Greyling (twee goud en silwer), Janco Kolbé (drie goud), Bea Koen (drie goud) en Emma Botha (drie goud). Agter is Shihan Chimmy van Winkel, Gordon du Plessis (silwer), Alex Tuz (goud), JT Tuz (silwer), Dewald Greyling (silwer), Albert Wright (twee silwer) en Danie Greyling (afripter).

KITSISO: TSAMAIISO YA KOPO YA TETELELO YA TIKOLOGO.

Go ya ka dithokego tsa Kgaolo 6 ya Melawana ya Tlhatlhobo ya Thotloetso ya Tikologo (EIA) (Kitsiso ya Mmuso R982 jaaka e fetotswe, e e phasaladitsweng ka fa tlase ga Molao wa Bosetshaba wa Taolo ya Tikologo wa 107 wa 1998-NEMA), kitsiso e e neetsweng fano ka fa tlase ga thulaganyo ya go tsaya karolo ga setshaba

Moikopedi: Golden Core Trade and Invest (Pty) Ltd - Mponeng Operations

Application/s: • Molao wa Bosetshaba wa Tsamaiso ya Tikologo (Molao wa bo 107 wa 1998) (NEMA);
• Molao wa Bosetshaba wa Tsamaiso ya Tikologo: Molao wa Matlakala (Molao wa bo 59 wa 2008) (NEMWA); le,
• Molao wa Bosetshaba wa Metsi (Molao wa bo 36 wa 1998) (NWA).
Ditiro tse dingwe tse di umakilweng le/kgotsa tiriso ya metsi di ka supiwa ka nako ya thulaganyo.

Lefelo: Porojeke e e solofetsweng e beilwe mo karolong ya bo25 ya Polase ya Doornfontein 118 IQ le Karolo ya bo93 ya Polase ya Blyvooruitzicht 116 IQ, Mmasepala wa Selegae wa Toropo ya Merafong, Porofense ya Gauteng. Lefelo leno le ~5km kwa borwa-bophirima jwa Carletonville. Ntsha ya bogare jwa lefelo ke -28,785582°S, 24,074790°E

Tirwana Dikago tsa Polokelo ya Masalela aSavuka 7a le 7b (di-TSF) di atamela bogodimo jwa tsone jwa bofelo le jo bo letleletsweng, mme Botshelo jwa Moepo (LOM) jo bo rulagantsweng ga jaana jwa kgaolo ya West Wits bo feta bokgoni jo bo leng teng jwa go tlhoma. Ka jalo, mokopi o eletsa go oketsa bogodimo jwa di-TSF tsa Savuka 7a le 7b.

EIMS e tla latela ditsamaiso tse di thalositweng mo Melawaneng ya EIA ya go dira thulaganyo ya Tlhatlhobo ya Motheo. Go ya ka Kgaolo 6 ya Melawana ya EIA, go tla dirwa thulaganyo ya go tsaya karolo ga setshaba. O lalediwa go ikwadisa le go tshwaela ka porojeke e e tshithintsweng le/dikopo. Tsweetswee ela tlhoko gore ke fela di-I&AP tse di kwaditsweng tse di tla itsisiweng ka tshedimosetso ya porojeke ya isago le ditshono tsa go tsaya karolo. Ka go ikwadisa jaaka motho yo o nang le kgaltheo le yo o amegang o dumela go kokoanngwa le go dirisiwa ga tshedimosetso ya gago ya poraefete go ya ka Kitsiso ya Sephiri ya EIMS e e leng teng mo go www.eims.co.za/public-participation. Go tla go lathe-gelwa ke ditshono tsa go tsaya karolo ga setshaba tsweetswee romela ikwadiso ya I&AP, kgotsa dipotso dipe, ditshwaelo, kgotsa matshwenyego mabapi le kopo eno, ka bonako jo bo kgonegang kwa EIMS mo go:

Motho yo go ka ikgolaganngwang le ene: Alexander Msipa
Nomoro ya Tshupetso ya EIMS: 1657
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Mogala: 011 789 7170/ Fax: 086 571 9047
Imeile: savukatsf@eims.co.za
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Tsweetswee ela tlhoko gore mo tiragalong ya fa o sa kgone go tsena mo webosaeteng ka ntsha ya mathata a tshedimosetso tsweetswee ikgolaganye le EIMS go bona dithulaganyo tse dingwe.



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NOTIFICATION : ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION APPLICATION

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Application/s: • National Environmental Management Act (Act 107 of 1998) (NEMA);
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Contact Person: Alexander Msipa
EIMS Reference Number: 1657
Postal Address: P.O. Box 2083; Pinegowrie; 2123
Telephone: 011 789 7170/ Fax: 086 571 9047
Email: savukatsf@eims.co.za



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Please include the project reference number **1657** in all correspondence.

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ALGEMENE KENNISGEWING 298 VAN 2025**KENNISGEWING: OMGEWINGSMAGTIGING AANSOEKPROSES.**

Ooreenkomstig die vereistes van Hoofstuk 6 van die Omgewingsimpakbepaling (OIB) Regulasies (Regeringskennisgewing R982 soos gewysig, afgekondig kragtens die Nasionale Omgewingsbestuurswet 107 van 1998-WNOB), word hiermee kennis gegee van 'n aansoek/e wat aan 'n openbare deelnameproses onderwerp sal word.

Aansoeker:	Golden Core Trade and Invest (Edms) Bpk- Mponeng Operations
Aansoek/s:	• Wet op Nasionale Omgewingsbestuur (Wet 107 van 1998) (NEMA); • Nasionale Omgewingsbestuur: Afvalwet (Wet 59 van 2008) (NEMWA); en • Nasionale Water Wet (Wet 36 van 1998) (NWA) Bykomende gelyste aktiwiteite en/of watergebruike kan tydens die proses geïdentifiseer word.
Ligging:	Die voorgestelde projek is geleë op Gedeelte 25 van die Plaas Doornfontein 118 IQ en Gedeelte 93 van die Plaas Blyvooruitzicht 116 IQ, Merafong City Plaaslike Munisipaliteit, Gauteng Provinsie. The terrein is ~5 km suid-wes van Carletonville. The sentrale punt van die terrein is by -28.785582°S, 24.074790°O.
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EIMS sal die prosedures volg soos omskryf in die OIB-regulasies vir die onderneming van 'n Basiese Evalueringsproses. In ooreenstemming met Hoofstuk 6 van die OIB-regulasies, sal 'n openbare deelnameproses onderneem word. U word hiermee uitgenooi om te registreer en kommentaar te lewer op die voorgestelde projek en aansoek/e. Neem asseblief kennis dat slegs geregistreerde Belangstellende & Geaffekteerde Partye (B&GP's) ingelig sal word oor toekomstige projekinligting en geleenthede vir deelname. Deur te registreer as 'n B&GP stem jy in tot die insameling en verwerking van jou persoonlike inligting soos per die EIMS Privaatheidskennisgewing beskikbaar by www.eims.co.za/public-participation. Om te verhoed dat geleenthede vir publieke deelname misgeloop word, dien asseblief B&GP-registrasies, of enige navrae, kommentaar of bekommernisse met betrekking tot hierdie aansoek, so gou moontlik in by EIMS by:

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E-pos: savukatsf@eims.co.za

Sluit asseblief die projekverwysingsnommer **1657** in alle korrespondensie in.

Verdere inligting sal beskikbaar wees by www.eims.co.za/public-participation/. Neem asseblief kennis dat in die geval dat u weens databeperkings nie toegang tot die webwerf kan kry nie, kontak asseblief EIMS vir alternatiewe reëlins.





Appendix 4: Site Notice Proof

Site Notice:

NOTIFICATION REGARDING OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ENVIRONMENTAL APPLICATION FOR THE PROPOSED SAVUKA TAILINGS STORAGE FACILITY EXTENSION PROJECT, IN MERAFONG CITY LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, GAUTENG, SOUTH AFRICA.

Golden Core Trade and Invest (Pty) Ltd. - Mponeng Operations (hereafter referred to as the applicant) has appointed Environmental Impact Management Services (Pty) Ltd (EIMS) as the Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) to undertake the necessary environmental authorisation and associated consultation processes. EIMS will compile and submit the required documentation in support of applications for: National Environmental Management Act (Act 107 of 1998) (NEMA); National Environmental Management: Waste Act (Act 59 of 2008) (NEMWA); and National Water Act (Act 36 of 1998) (NWA). Additional listed activities and/or water uses may be identified during the process.

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KENNISGEWING MET BETREKKING TOT GELEENTHEID OM AAN DIE OMGEWINGSANSOEK DEEL TE NEEM VIR DIE VOORGESTELDE SAVUKA UITSKOT BERGINGSFASILITEIT UITBREIDINGSPROEJ, IN MERAFONG STAD PLAASLIKE MUNISIPALITEIT, GAUTENG, SUID-AFRIKA.

Golden Core Trade and Invest (Pty) Ltd. - Mponeng Operations (hierna verwys as die aansoeker) het Environmental Impact Management Services (Edms) Bpk (EIMS) as die Omgewingsbeoordelingspraktisyn (EAP) aangestel om die nodige omgewingsmagtiging en gepaardgaande konsultasieprosesse te onderneem. EIMS sal die vereiste dokumentasie saamstel en in dien ter ondersteuning van aansoek vir: Wet op Nasionale Omgewingsbestuur (Wet 107 van 1998) (NEMA); Nasionale Omgewingsbestuur: Afvalwet (Wet 59 van 2008) (NEMWA); en Nasionale Waterwet (Wet 36 van 1998) (NWA). Bykomende gelyste aktiwiteite en/of watergebruik kan tydens die proses geïdentifiseer word.

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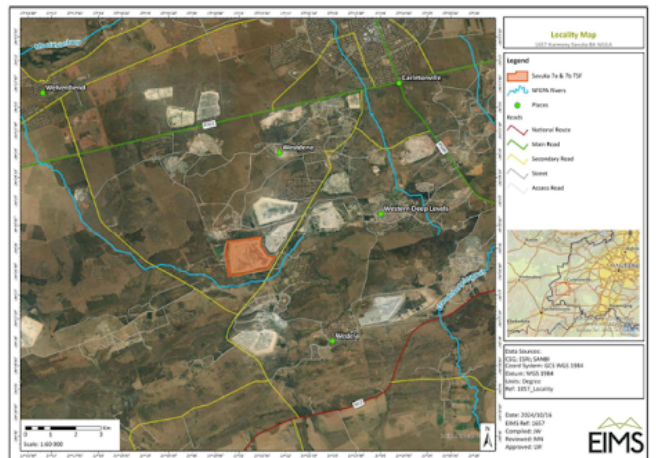
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KITSISO MABAPI LE MONYELA WA GO TSAYA KAROLO MO KOPO YA TIKOLOGO YA POROJEKE YA KATOLOSO YA LEFLELO LA POLOKELA YA MASALELA A SAVUKA, MO MASEPALA WA SELEGAE WA MERAFONG, GAUTENG AFRICA BORWA

Golden Core Trade and Invest (Pty) Ltd. - Mponeng Operations (e e tla bidiwang mokopi) e thomile Environmental Impact Management Services (Pty) Ltd (EIMS) jaaka Moitseanape yo o sekasekang maemo a tikologo (EAP) go dira dikopo tse di thokegang tsa tletla ya tikologo le ditlhalaganyo tsa dithelesano tse di amanang le seo. EIMS e tla le go romela ditokomane tse di thokegang go tshetsetsa dikopo tsa: Molao wa Bosetshaba wa Tsamaiso ya Tikologo (Molao wa bo 107 wa 1998) (NEMA); Molao wa Bosetshaba wa Tsamaiso ya Tikologo: Molao wa Matlakala (Molao wa bo 59 wa 2008) (NEMWA); le, Molao wa Bosetshaba wa Metsi (Molao wa bo 36 wa 1998) (NWA). Ditiro tse dingwe tse di umakileng le/kgotsa tiriso ya metsi e ka supiwana mo tsamaong.

Dikago tsa Polokela ya Masalela a Savuka 7a le 7b (di-TSF) di atamela bogodimo jwa tsone jwa bofelo le jo bo letletsweng, mme Botshelo jwa Moepo (LOM) jo bo rulagantsweng ga jaana jwa kgalo ya West Wits bo feta bokgoni jo bo leng teng jwa go thoma. Ka jalo, mokopi o eletsa go oketsa bogodimo jwa di-TSF tsa Savuka 7a le 7b. Porokeje e e tshitsweng e mo: Karolo 25 ya Polase ya Doornfontein 118 IQ le Karolo 93 ya Polase ya Blyvooruitzicht 116 IQ, Mmasepala wa Selegae wa Toropo ya Merafong, Porofense ya Gauteng. Lefelele le le "5km kwa borwa-bophirima jwa Carletonville. Nthi ya bogare jwa lefelo ke -28.785582°S, 24.074790°E.

EIMS e tla latela ditlhalaganyo tse di thaloisweng mo Melawaneng ya Tlhatlho ya Tlhatlholetso mo Tikologong (EIA) (GRN982 ya 2014, jaaka e thabolotswe) go dira thulaganyo ya Tlhatlho ya Motheo. Go ya ka Kgalo 6 ya Melawana ya EIA, go tla dirwa thulaganyo ya go nna le seabe ga setshaba. O kopiwa go ikwadisa le go alaga ka porokeje e e akantsweng le dikopo. Go netafatsa gore o supilwe le go kwadisiwa jaaka I&AP le gore ditshwaelo tsa gago di a tswa, tswetswee romela lema la gago, dintlha tsa kgolagano, le lebaka la kgatshigo ya gago, ka go kwala kgotsa ka mogala kwa EIMS. Tswetswee e la thoko gore ke I&APs fela e e kwaditsweng e e tla itiseng ka tshedimotso ya porokeje ya isagwe le ditshono tsa go nna le seabe. Ka go ikwadisa jaaka motho yo o nang le kgatshigo le yo o amegang, o dumela go kokaangwa le go dirwa ga tshedimotso ya gago ya sebele go ya ka Kitsiso ya Sephiri ya EIMS e e leng teng mo www.eims.co.za/public-participation. Go tla go lathegelwa ke ditshono tsa go nna le seabe ga setshaba, tswetswee romela dikwadiso tsa I&AP, kgotsa dipotso dingwe le dingwe, dikagelo, kgotsa dipolelo tse di amanang le kopo eno, ka bonako jo bo kgonegang kwa EIMS mo atseweng eno:



Contact Person/ Kontak Persoon/ Motho yo go ka ikgolagangwang le ene: Alexander Msipa

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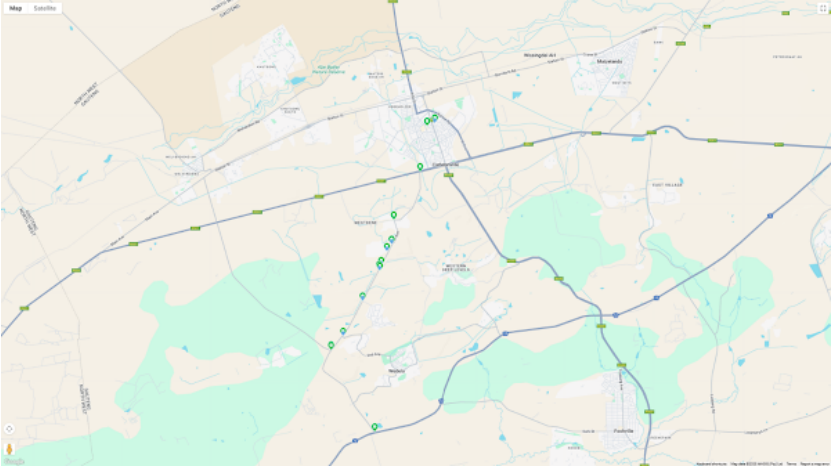
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Appendix 5: Table of Correspondence

Comments and Responses 1657 Harmony Savuka BA WULA

Mrs Mariette Liefferink

Date 2025/03/31 Method Email

Comment	Response
I thank you for the notification. Kindly register the FSE’s as an interested and affected party.	Thank you for your email. This is to confirm that FSE has been registered as an I&AP of this project.

Mr Itani Mashaba

Date 2025/03/31 Method Email

Comment	Response
Request to be registered as an interested and affected party. As the activity is proposed to take place within Merafong City Local Municipality jurisdiction and Environmental sub-Section within the municipality has to receive the EIA report , to review it and make comments that aid in EIA process and possible decision making. Please find below the Contact details Email: *****@merafong.gov.za Telephone: 0***** Mobile: 0*****	Thank you for your email. This is to confirm that Merafong City Local Municipality and your details have been registered on our database. We will notify the municipality of the availability of the project’s associated reports.

Amukelani Shiburi

Date 2025/04/15 Method Email

Comment	Response
Good day Kindly receive the attached confirmation letter for your attention. Regards	Good day, Please note that your comments regarding land claim enquiry have been acknowledged and will be updated as part of our public participation records. Thank you.

Evelyn Shogole

Date 2025/04/14 Method Email

Comment	Response
Kindly send all your communication to this email address. *****	Thank you for your response. Duly noted. Further communication about the project will be sent to the email address indicated.

Thami Hadebe

Date 2025/03/31 Method Email

Comment	Response
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Thami Hadebe

Your wayleave application with project reference number 1657/MW/am dated 28 March 2025 has reference. Transnet Pipelines, a division of Transnet SOC Limited, is not affected by the proposal. Your awareness of the existence of Transnet’s pipeline servitudes and concern for their integrity is highly appreciated. This authorisation shall be valid for 48 months from the date - 31 March 2025.

Thank you for your response. Transnet’s input and comment is much appreciated.

Mr Nsumbulana Mtsenga

Date 2025/04/15 Method Email

Comment

Good day Please receive the copy stamped as your approval.

Response

Good day, We acknowledge receipt of the stamped Notification Letter. We will update the information accordingly as part of the public participation records. Thank you.

Ms Susan Stoffberg

Date 2025/03/31 Method Email

Comment

Please register West Rand District Municipality as an I & AP.

Response

Thank you for your email. This is to confirm that West Rand District Municipality has been registered as an I&AP of this project.

Dr Simphiwe Chabalala

Date 2025/04/09 Method Email

Comment

Kindly note that the letter addressed to Dr Smangele Mgquba has reached the offices of the Department of Water and Sanitation. It is with regret to inform you that Dr Smangele Mgquba passed on in 2022. Kindly advise what needs to happen next, and if you will still need DWS official participation as well as the requirements.

Response

Dear Dr Chabalala, Thank you for your response. Please accept our apologies in this regard. I have respectfully removed Dr Mgquba from our database. The notification sent out was part of a call to register. I believe the DWS officials this message was sent to was to attain any comment should DWS wish to provide in relation to the intended development. It is worth noting that a Water Use License Formal Amendment is underway as part of the project.

Mr John Geeringh

Date 2025/04/14 Method Email

Comment

Response

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Mr John Geeringh

Please send me a KMZ file of the proposed development area. Please find attached Eskom requirements. Kind regards

Dear ***** Kindly find attached KMZ file for the proposed project. We take note of Eskom's provisional comments provided in your email, which will be duly considered in the formulation of the EIA/EMPr reports. Sincerely,

Dave Whittaker

Date 2025/04/30 Method Email

Comment

Please register me (Blyvoor Gold) as an interested and affected party. Reason Blyvoor Peter Skeat Shaft is in the zone of influence for a potential breach of the TSF

Response

Good day, Thank you for your email. We acknowledge that you have been registered as an I&AP and you will continue to receive notification for this project.

Department of Water and Sanitation

Date 2025/03/31 Method Email

Comment

On behalf of the Director-General, Dr Sean Phillips, this email serves to acknowledge receipt of your correspondence below which will receive the necessary attention by the Department of Water and Sanitation (DWS).

Response

Acknowledgement received and recorded. No further correspondence submitted at this time.

Mr Mojaki Marumo

Date 2025/04/17 Method Email

Comment

Good day, I would like to register as an i&AP for the project 1657.

Response

Good day, Thank you for your email. We acknowledge that you have been registered as an I&AP and you will continue to receive notification for this project.

Khanyisile Bonile

Date 2025/03/31 Method Email

Comment

Please note that all development applications are processed via our online portal, the South African Heritage Resources Information System (SAHRIS) found at the following link: <http://sahra.org.za/sahris/>. We do not accept emailed, posted, hardcopy, faxed, website links or Dropbox links as official submissions. Please create an application on SAHRIS for each EA

Response

Thank you for your email. Please refer to the attached BID. The project in question proposes to increase the height of existing TSFs. This means that no further disturbance of the surrounding landscape is to take place. It is my understanding that such developments do not fall under Section 38 of the NHRA. Therefore, a new development application would not be required as such

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Khanyisile Bonile

application and upload all documents pertaining to the Environmental Authorisation Application Process. As per section 24(4)b(iii) of NEMA and section 38(8) of the National Heritage Resources Act, Act 25 of 1999 (NHRA), an assessment of heritage resources must form part of the process, and the assessment must comply with section 38(3) of the NHRA. If a case already exists on SAHRIS regarding the development, please upload the documents to that case using the "Make an additional submission to an existing case" in the application selector wizard <https://sahris.org.za/form/application-selector>. Please ensure that all documents produced as part of the EA process are submitted as part of the application. ****PLEASE NOTE**** An application fee is now required for all section 38 applications. Please ensure that the SAHRIS application contains a proof of payment as per the notice at the following link: <https://sahris.org.za/help>. A payment of R 2 000.00 for each application is required. Please make separate payments with the specific reference numbers. Applications that do not include a proof of payment will be considered incomplete and will not be processed until proof of payment is provided. Please make use of the SAHRIS Case ID in the payment reference. e.g. 12345/38.8. Please upload the PoP using the "Make an additional submission to an existing case" in the application selector wizard <https://sahris.org.za/form/application-selector>. The case officer assigned to your case will approve the submission and begin to process the case.

a project will not involve the disturbance of heritage features as the impact will be limited to the footprint of the existing TSF. Please confirm this understanding. Your response will be greatly appreciated.



Appendix 6: Correspondence Document

Please note that in an effort to protect the personal information of the Registered I&AP's the contact information of the I&APs will not be made publicly available. Should you require access to this document for the purposes of fulfilling your obligations under the NEMA EIA Regulations or other lawful right, please feel free to contact the EIMS Information officer at 011 789 7170 or popia@eims.co.za
