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NOTIFICATION: ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION APPLICATION PROCESS.

In accordance with the requirements of Chapter 6 of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations (Government Notice R982 as amended, promulgated under the National Environmental Management Act 107 of 1998 (NEMA), notice is herewith given of an application which will be subjected to a public participation process.

Applicant: Golden Core Trade and Invest (Proprietary) Limited (Harmony Gold Mining Company Limited)

Application:

- Environmental Authorisation (EA) in accordance with the NEMA EIA Regulations, 2014 as amended;
- Waste Management Licence in accordance with the requirements of the National Environmental Management: Waste Act- NEM:WA (Act 59 of 2008); and
- Water Use Licence (WUL) in accordance with the National Water Act – NWA (Act 36 of 1998)

Location: The proposed project is located on the Remainder (RE) of Portion 23 of Elandsfontein 115/Q, RE of Portion 5 Elandsfontein 115/Q, Portions 3, 4 and 5 of Farm Blyvooruitzicht 116/Q, and the RE of Portion 27 of Farm Elandsfontein 144/Q, approximately 10km south of Carletonville in the Merafong City Local Municipality, Gauteng Province. Refer to the locality map.

Activity: The applicant is undertaking a feasibility assessment to recommence deposition on the Mponeng Lower Compartment TSF. EIMS is following the procedures defined in the EIA Regulations for undertaking a Scoping and EIA and WUL processes. In accordance with Chapter 6 of the EIA Regulations, a public participation process is being undertaken. You are hereby notified of the following:

Notification of Scoping Report for Public Review and comment

Description: Availability of the Scoping Report for Public Review and comment

Where: A hard copy of the report can be accessed from: Deelkraal Library y (Deelkraal Drive: Latitude 26° 27' 32.534° S, Longitude 27° 19' 28.271° E); and Carletonville Public Library (y/o Beryl & Emerald Street: Latitude 26° 21' 19.839° S, Longitude 27° 24' 4.129° E);

When: An electronic copy of the report can be downloaded from the EIMS website: <https://www.eims.co.za/2025/08/25/1658-harmony-mponeng/>. The opportunity for public participation and review will be open from **30 September 2025** to end of day on **31 October 2025**.

Notification of a public meeting

Description: Scoping Phase Public meeting

Where: Carletonville Civic Centre, 35 Beryl Street, Carletonville

When: Thursday, 09 October 2025 from 12h30 PM to 14h30

Notification of intention of surrendering Mponeng General Waste Management License (Gaut 002-09-10-W0011)

Description: The Mponeng Lower Compartment is no longer in operation and an approximate 200m² portion of the TSF is currently used as an authorized General Waste Landfill Facility (Gaut 002-09-10-W0011). The current Landfill Site will be discontinued for the purposes of the recommencement of the TSF. The License Holder intends to surrender the Waste Management License to allow for the recommencement of tailings deposition on the facility through Regulation 57 of NEMWA. Any comments / concerns regarding the proposed process of surrendering the Mponeng General Waste Management License should be submitted to EIMS as part of the comments and/or concerns of this Scoping Report.

When: The opportunity for comments / concerns against the proposed intention of surrendering the Mponeng General Waste Management License will be open from **30 September 2025** to end of day on **31 October 2025**.

KENNIGSWING: AANSOEKPROSES OM OMGEWINGSMACTIGING.

Ooreenkomstig die vereistes van hoofstuk 6 van die Omgewingsimpakstudie (OIB-) regulasies (staatskenningswag R982 soos gewysig, afgekondig kragtens die Wet op Nasionale Omgewingsbestuur – WNOB, Wet 107 van 1998), word hiermee kennis gegee van 'n aansoek/le wat aan 'n openbare deelnameproses onderwerp sal word.

Aansoeker: Golden Core Trade and Invest (Proprietary) Limited (Harmony Gold Mining Company)

Aansoek:

- Omgewingsmagtiging (OM) in ooreenstemming met die NEMA-Gelyke aktiwiteite;
- Afvalbestuurslisensie in ooreenstemming met die vereistes van die Nasionale Omgewingsbestuur: Afvalwet – NEM:WA (Wet 59 van 2008);
- Watergebruiksinsensie (WUJ) in ooreenstemming met die Nasionale Waterwet – NWA (Wet 36 van 1998).

Ligging: Die voorgestelde projek is geleë op die oortyfel (RE) van deel 23 van Elandsfontein 115/Q, RE van deel 5 Elandsfontein 115/Q, dele 3, 4 en 5 van Farm Blyvooruitzicht 116/Q, en die RE van deel 27 van Farm Elandsfontein 144/Q, ongeveer 10 km suid van Carletonville in die Merafong City Plaaslike Munisipaliteit, Gauteng Provinsie. Wersop na die kaart.

Althut: Die aansoeker onderneem 'n haalbaarheidstudie om weer met deponering op die Mponeng Lower Compartment TSF te begin. EIMS onderneem die prosedures wat in die EIA-regulasies omskryf is vir die uitvoering van die omvang-, OIB- en WUL-prosesse. In ooreenstemming met Hoofstuk 6 van die EIA-regulasies word 'n proses van openbare deelname onderneem. U word hiermee in kennis gestel van die volgende:

Kennigswing van omgewingswet: 'n versiening deur die publiek en kommentaar

Beskywing: Beskikbaarheid van die omgewingswet vir besiening deur die publiek en kommentaar

Waar: 'n Harde kopie van die verslag kan besigtig word by: Deelkraal Biblioteek (Deelkraalstraat: Breedtegraad 26°27'32.534°S, Lengtegraad 27°19'28.271°E); en Carletonville Openbare Biblioteek (y/v Beryl & Emerald St.: Breedtegraad 26°21'19.839°S, Lengtegraad 27°24'4.129°E); 'n **Elektroniese afskrif** van die verslag kan van die EIMS-website afgelaai word: <https://www.eims.co.za/2025/08/25/1658-harmony-mponeng/>

Wanneer: Die geleentheid vir publieke deelname en besiening is loop wees vanaf **30 September 2025** tot aan die einde van die dag op **31 Oktober 2025**.

Kennigswing van 'n openbare vergadering

Beskywing: Omvangstare publieke vergadering

Waar: Carletonville Burgerentrum, Berylstraat 35, Carletonville

Wanneer: Donderdag, 09 Oktober 2025 van 12h30 tot 14h30

Kennigswing van voorneme om Mponeng Algemene Afvalbestuurslisensie oor te gee (Gaut 002-09-10-W0011)

Beskywing: Die Mponeng Lower Compartment is nie meer in werking nie en ongeveer 200m² van die TSF word tans gebruik as 'n gemagtigde algemene afval stortingsreëls (Gaut 002-09-10-W0011). Die huidige stortingsreëls sal beëindig word vir die hervatting van die TSF. Die lisensiehouer is van voorneme om die afvalbestuurslisensie terug te gee om die hervatting van die afvoer van afval op die fasiliteit deur middel van regulasie 57 van NEMWA moontlik te maak. Enige opmerkings/bekommernisse rakende die voorgestelde proses rondom die Mponeng Algemene Afvalbestuurslisensie teruggevoer, moet aan EIMS voorgelê word as deel van die opmerkings en/of bekommernisse van hierdie omgewingswet.

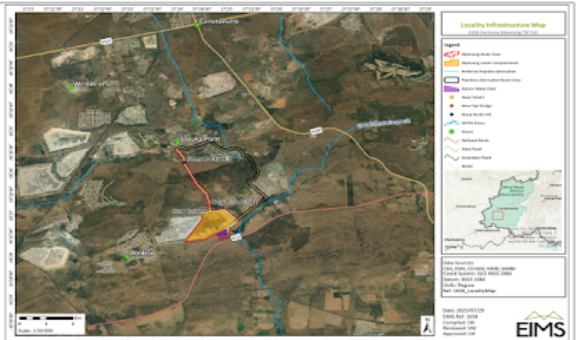
Wanneer: Belangstellende & Geïnteresseerde Partye het die geleentheid om kommentaar / bekommernisse in te dien, aangevande die voorgestelde voorneme om die Mponeng Algemene Afvalbestuurslisensie oor te gee, vanaf **30 September 2025** tot die einde van die dag op **31 Oktober 2025**.

EIMS Contact Details:

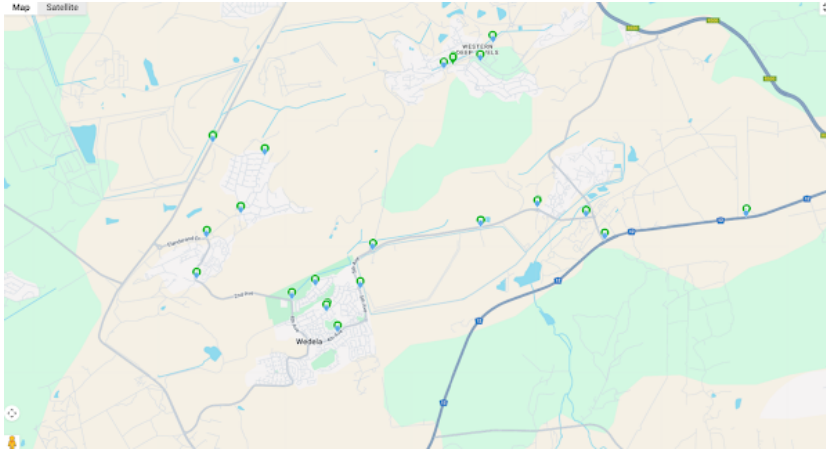
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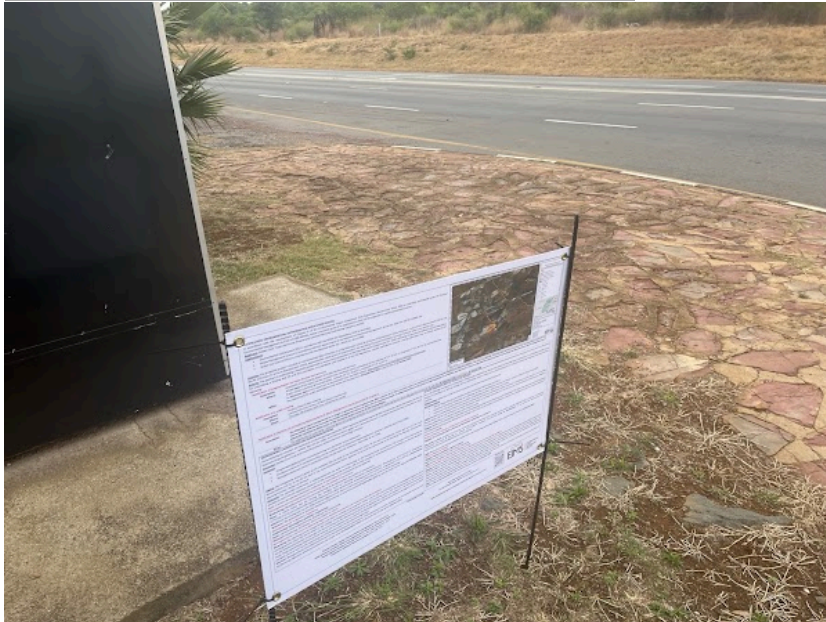
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Map

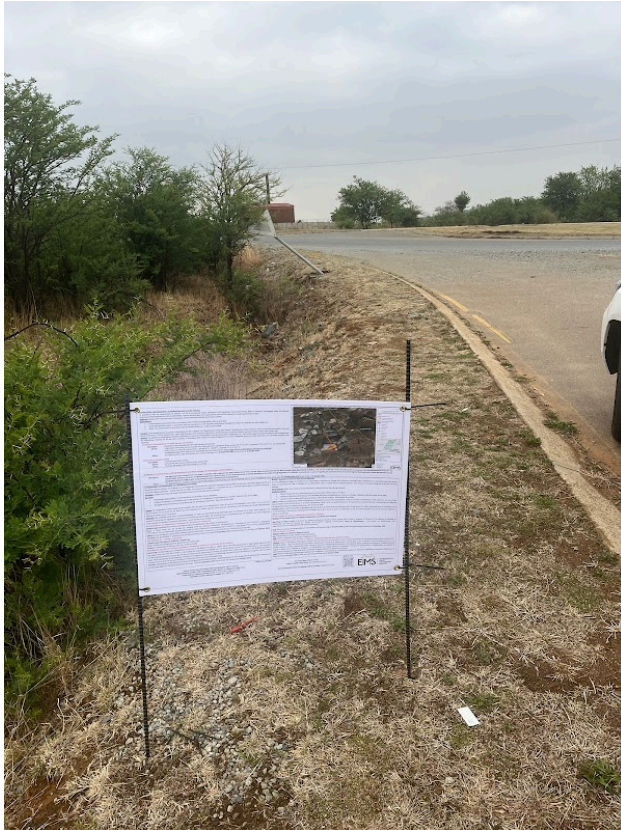


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