# APPENDIX E

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# APPENDIX E1

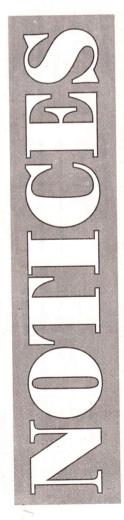
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WITBANK NUUS, Vrydag & November 2015 WITBANK NEWS, Friday 6 November 2015



# NOTICE OF BASIC ASSESSMENT PROCESS AND WATER USE LICENSE APPLICATION FOR THE PROPOSED KRIEL-MATLA ASH TRANSFER LINK, **MPUMALANGA**

# BACKGROUND

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- The return of all Kriel Ash Water from the Matla Power Station Ash Dam to Kriel Power Station.
- The proposed project will involve the development of four new ash pipelines from Kriel to Matla as well as an Ash Water Return (AWR) System comprising of three AWR pipelines. In addition, a new Booster Pump house for Kriels AWR will be constructed adjacent to the existing Matla Booster Pump house, which will accommodate

Notice is hereby given of a joint public participation process in terms of:

three new booster pumps.

- The National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998) ("NEMA") in accordance with
  - the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations, 2014 (Government Notice No. R.982); and
    - The National Water Act, 1998 (Act No. 36 of 1998) ("NWA").

# REGISTER AS AN INTERESTED AND AFFECTED PARTY (IAP)

This notice serves to notify all Interested and Affected Parties (IAPs) of the proposed development.

# REVIEW OF THE DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT

comments on the draft report, please contact the consultant below. The closing date for the public review The Draft Basic Assessment Report (BAR) and Water Use Licence Application (WULA) will be available for public review from 6 November 2015 to 8 December 2015 at the Kriel Public Library (Cnr Quentin and Henrich Street, Kriel) and the security office at Kriel Power Station (-26.250915, 29.179856). An electronic copy of the Sustainable Development/EnvironmentalImpact Assessments/Pages/Environment Impact Assessments. aspxs). In order to register as an IAP, to obtain more information on the proposed project or to provide Draft BAR and WULA can also be obtained from the Eskom website <u>(http://www.eskom.co.za/OurCompany/</u> period and IAP registration is 8 December 2015. We look forward to your input into the BAR process.



AngeliqueD@nemai.co.za (011) 781 1730 (011) 781 1731

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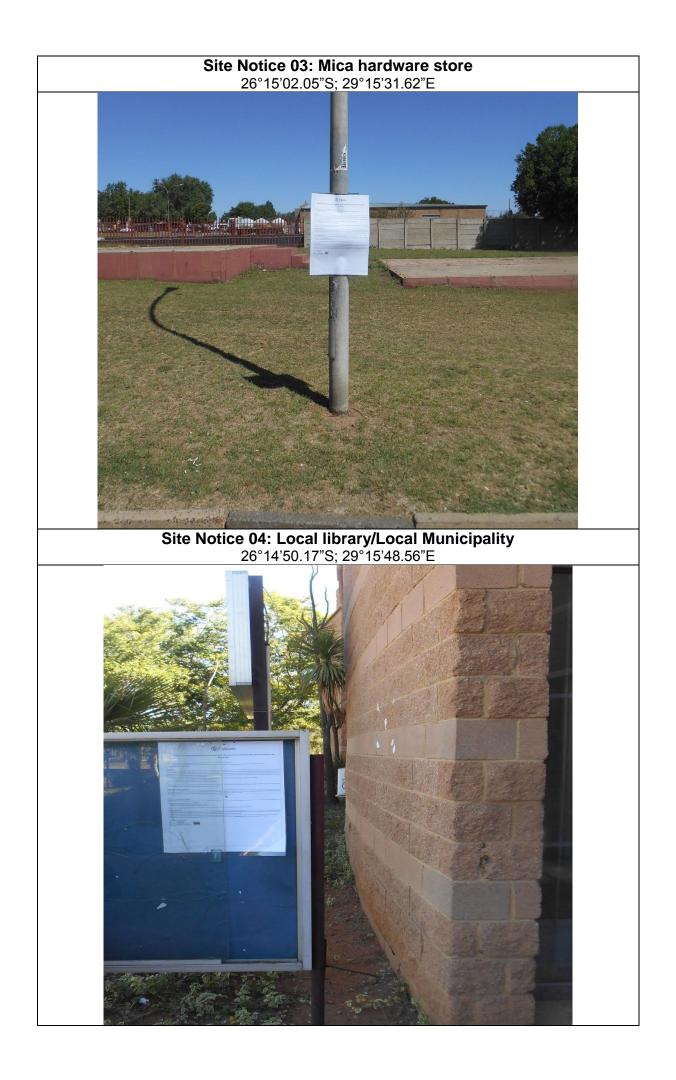
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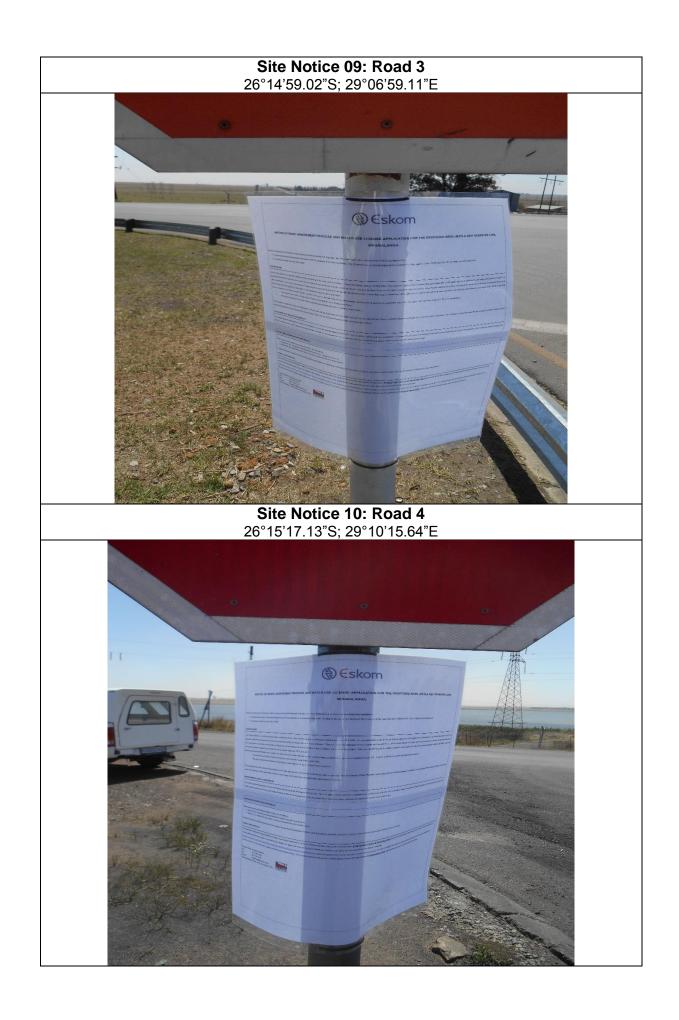
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#### WITBANK NUUS, Vrydag 27 November 2015

EMALAHLENI PLAASLIKE MUNISIPALITEIT ONDERVERDELING VAN GEDEELTE 354 (N GEDEELTE VAN GEDEELTE 157) VAN DIE PLAAS ZEEKOEWATER 311 JS Die Emalahleni Plaaslike Munisipaliteit gee hiermee ingevolge die bepalings van artikel 6(8)(a) van die Ordonnansie op die Verdeling van Grond, 1986, kennis dat `n aansoek ontvang is vir die onderverdeling van ondervermelde plaasgedeelte: Beskrywing van grond: Gedeelte 354 (`n gedeelte van Gedeelte 157) van die plaas Zeekoewater 311 JS . (7.6697ha in omvang) om onderverdeel te word in die volgende gedeeltes: Voorgestelde Gedeelte 1: 3ha Voorgestelde Gedeelte 2: 1ha Voorgestelde Restant: 3, 6697ha Verdere besonderhede van die aansoek lê ter insae by die kantoor van die Uitvoerende Direkteur: Ontwikkelings Beplanning, Mandela Straat, eMalahleni. Enige persoon wat teen die voorgestelde onderverdeling beswaar wil maak of vertoë in verband daarmee wil rig moet sy beswaar of vertoë skriftelik en in tweevoud by die ondergetekende te enige tyd binne `n tydperk van 28 (agt en twintig) dae vanaf die datum van

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KENNISGEWINGNOMMER: 65/2015 PUBLIKASIEDATUM: Witbank Nuus: 6 en 13 November 2015 Provinsiale Koerant (Mpumalanga): 6 en 13 November 2015 -VS017464

AANSOEK OM WYSIGING VAN DORPSBEPLANNING SKEMA INGEVOLGE ARTIKEL 56(1)(b)(i) EN 92 VAN DIE ORDONNANSIE OP DORPSBEPLANNING EN DORPE, 1986 (ORDONNANSIE 15 VAN 1986) EN DIE WET OP **BUIMTELIKE** BEPLANNING EN GRONDGEBRUIKS BESTUUR, 2013 (WET 16 VAN 2013) EMALAHLENI WYSIGINGSKEMA 2073 Ek, MWJ de Jager van die firma DE JAGER & MEDEWERKERS BK h/a PLANCENTRE REG NO. 1990/021605/23, synde die gemagtigde agent van die eienaar van Gedeelte 59 van Hoewe 30, Dixon Landou Hoewes, gesoneer "Landbou" gee hiermee ingevolge Artikel 56(1)(b)(i) van die Ordonnansie op Dorpsbeplanning en Dorpe, 1986, kennis dat ons by die eMalahleni Plaaslike Munisipaliteit aansoek gedoen het om die wysiging van die dorpsbeplanningskema bekend as eMalahleni Dorpsbeplanningskema, 2010, soos gewysig, deur die hersonering van bogenoemde eiendom leë te Koedoe Straat vanaf die bogenoemde sonering na "Spesiaal" vir Industrieël om `n Bushalte te akkomodeer Besonderhede van die aansoek lê ter insae gedurende gewone kantoorure by die kantoor van die Munisipale Bestuurder, Mandela Straat 29, eMalahleni, vir n tvdperk van 28 dae anaf 20 November 2015. Besware teen of vertoë ten opsigte van die aansoek moet binne `n tydperk van 28 dae vanaf 20 November 2015 skriftelik tot die Munisipale Bestuurder by bovermelde adres of by Posbus 3, Witbank, 1035, ingedien of gerig word. Adres van gemagtige agent PLANCENTRE, Posbus 21108 Noordbrug 2522 Tel : 072 597 5670 Ons verwysing : 201526

KENNISGEWING VAN MPUMALANGA LIQUOR LICENCING ACT (ACT NO. 5 OF 2006) INVITATION FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS IN RESPECT OF THE TRANSFER OF A LIQUOB LICENCE IN TERMS OF SECTION 43 OF THE MPUMALANGA LIQUOR LICENCING ACT, 2006 A. PERSONAL DETAILS Applicant Name: ELIZABETH ZODWA MOKOENA ID Number or Passport Number: 5110220196085 Gender: FEMALE Hereby invites written public comments concerning my application to the Mpumalanga Liquor Authority fot the transfer of: Liquor Licence Number: MPU/023607 to trade under the name: Trading Name: ZK BOTTLE STORE & BAR Application made on behalf of MYSELE **B. LICENSE TYPE** Licence type: THE RETAIL SALE OF LIQUOR IN TERMS OF A SPECIAL LIQUOR LICENSE FOF CONSUMPTION ON AND OFF THE PREMISES WHERE THE LIQUOR IS C. BUSINESS PREMISES Physical Address of the Premises: 219 PILGRIM STREET, RIETSPRUIT Postal Address of the Premises: PO BOX 49, RIETSPRUIT, 2231 **D. ADDRESSES TO** WHICH COMMENTS MUST BE SUBMITTED Municipality Name where comments must be submitted: EMALAHLENI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY District: NKANGALA **Municipality Address** QUINTIN STREET GA-NALA (KRIEL) Applicant Address where comments must be submitted: 2 ROOS STREET, KRIEL 2271 Advertiser Name: BJ MTSHALI ATTORNEYS Advertiser Address: PO BOX 2357, KRIEL 2271 Advertiser Email: bjmtshali@telkomsa.net Date Submitted: 2015/11 /23 Advertiser Telephone: 017 648 4163 For Publication in the

#### NEWS PAPER ADVERT NOTICE Notice of an Application for Atmospheric Emission Licence in terms of Section 22 of the National Environmental Management Air Quality Act (Act 39 of 2004) an Air Quality Amendment Act 2014(Act 20 of 2014) This notice serves to inform you that Infrabuild Cement (Pty) Limited ("the applicant"), has applied for the proposed recommissioning of cement blending operations at an industrial site on Middelburg Ferrochrome Grounds and Columbus Stainless Steel in Middelburg, Mpumalanga PROJECT LOCATION The proposed project will be located on a portion of an Industrial Site on Middelburg Ferrochrome Grounds, Steve Tshwete Local Municipality Mpumalanga DESCRIPTION The preparation of raw materials involving the blending of Original Portland Cement and grinding of granulated slag to produce cement and the packaging of finished cement bags. **PROJECT APPLICANT** Infrabuild Cement (Pty) Ltd AEL Reference Number: NDM/AEL/MP313/15/10 AUTHORITIES RESPONSIBLE Nkangala District Municipality Contact Person: Nembilwi Mpho ACTIVITIES APPLIED FOR AEL - The Preparation of Raw material Production and Cooling of Portland Cement , Klinker, Grinding and Blending of Klinker to produce cement and packaging of Finished Cement. Category No: 5 Subcategory No: 5.4 and Category 4 Subcategory 4.1, The drying and Calcining of mineral solids including co including ore. Should you wish to submit comments and/or register as an Interested and Affected Party (I&AP), please submit your name contact information, interest in the project and any comments you may have to the contact person Goverment Gazette on indicated below. This will ensure that you receive -VP019927 future correspondence

CLASSIFIEDS regarding the proposed

projects and associated licensing processes from 27 November 2015 - 28 December 2015 both days inclusive. Contact Person: Ian Smith Cellphone Number: 082 551 2326 Email: ians@ infrabuildcement.co.za

Mumutshe3@webmail.co.za rezoning of the Postal Address: P.O. Box 29248 Sandingham 2131

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NOTICE Jomauritz Investments (Pty) Ltd, 1968/005524/07 was deregistered with CIPC on the 20th July 2010 without my knowledge. This company started trading in 2006 and is still continuing doing business. The company was deregistered due to none compliance of annual submissions. I, Mr. Daniel Thedorus Van Rensburg, member of this company, Jomauritz Investments (Pty) Ltd declare that I was uninformed that private companies must comply with annual renewals with CIPC and neither did my previous accountant notify me. Should the community have no objection to the reinstatement of this company, I herewith request for the reinstatement of Jomauritz Investments (Pty) Ltd with CIPC. VP019912

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT OF TOWN PLANNING SCHEME IN TERMS OF SECTION 56 (1)(b)(i) AND 92 OF THE TOWN PLANNING AND TOWNSHIPS ORDINANCE, 1986 (ORDINANCE 15 OF 1986) AND THE SPATIAL PLANNING AND LAND USE MANAGEMENT ACT, 2013 (ACT 16 OF 2013) EMALAHLENI AMENDMENT 2073 I, MWJ de Jager of the firm DE JAGER & MEDEWERKERS BK t/a PLANCENTRE REG NO 1990/021605/23, being the

authorized agent of the owner of Portion 59 of Holding 30, Dixon Agricultural Holdings



Particulars of the application will lie for office hours at the office of the Municipal Manager, 29 Mandela Street, eMalahleni, for a period of 28 days from 20 November 2015 Objection to or representations in respect of the application must be lodged with or made in writing to the Municipal Manager at the above address or posted to him at P.O. Box 3, Witbank, 1035, within a period of 28 days from 20 November 2015.

Address of authorised agent: PLANCENTRE, PO Box 21108 Noordbrug 2522 Tel: 072 597 5670

Our Reference: 201526 VS017558



# NOTICES

**GLENCORE OPERATIONS SOUTH AFRICA (PTY) LTD: ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION FOR THE GOEDGEVONDEN EXPANSION PROJECT ON VARIOUS PORTIONS AND FARMS, EMALAHLENI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY: MPUMALANGA PROVINCE** 

NEAS Reference Number MPP/EIA/0000674/2013 & Authorisation Reference Number 17/2/3N-273 Herewith final notification of the granting of the Environmental Authorisation by the Mpumalanga Department of Economic Development, Environment and Tourism (MDEDET) on 8 September 2015 for the Goedgevonden Expansion Project in terms of the National Environmental Management Act (NEMA), 1998 (Act 107 of 1998), as amended. All registered Interested and Affected Parties were notified of the said authorisation on 15 September 2015 and informed of the appeal procedure in terms of Chapter 7, Regulation 60 of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations of 2010.

appeals were received by the specified date. A copy of the Environmental Authorisation is available on request from the Public Participation Manager, which details the conditions as well as reasons for granting the Environmental Authorisation.

Public Participation Manager: Lizinda Dickson Fransis de la Rosa, Naledi Development (Pty) Ltd, Phone: 012 543 9093, Fax: 086 776 3478, Email: lizinda@naledidev.co.za



Notice is hereby given to all Emalahleni Local Municipality consumers/Services account holders that payments of accounts can be made through debit order.

Please note that debit order forms must be collected at the Municipal offices and can also be obtained on the Municipal official website.

For more information please contact Ms M S Sithole on (013) 690 6468

#### **Mr T JANSE VAN VUUREN MUNICIPAL MANAGER**

**Civic Centre** Mandela Street eMalahleni 1035

PO Box 3 eMalahleni 1035

www.emalahleni.gov.za

NOTICE NUMBER :71/2015

**Tender Notice** 

Eskom has the following enquiries out on tender:

Special Welding and Stellite Welding Services (ROSH/2015/STR/14)

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2015/11/27

Deep Hole Drilling Services (ROSH/2015/STR/13)

Should you wish to participate in this enquiry process, please visit the website of Eskom Holdings SOC Limited by going on the following link: http://web.eskom.co.za/tenderbulletin/

Eskom Rotek Industries SOC Limited Reg No 1990/006897/30

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INVITATION TO REGISTER ON DPW DATABASE (DAY TO DAY **EMERGENCY WORK) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS -**

#### BACKROUND

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#### PUBLIC MEETING

Notification of the review of the draft Basic Assessment Report was undertaken on 6 November 2015 in terms of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulation, 2014 (Government Notice No. R982) and the review is currently taking place between 11 November 2015 and 11 **December 2015.** However in order to ensure that stakeholders, have an opportunity to discuss the proposed development and raise comments and questions, a public meeting will be held on Wednesday 2 December 2015 at Thubelihle Community Hall, Kriel (Opposite Sibongamandla Secondary School - 26.215649S, 29.290163E) from 17h00 to 18h30. Please contact the consultant below to RSVP or for more information.

PO Box 1673 Sunninghill 2157	Contact: Tel: Fax: Email:	Angelique Daniell (011) 781 1730 (011) 781 1731 AngeliqueD@nemai.co.za	
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REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

#### **NELSPRUIT REGIONAL OFFICE (NDPW)**

#### ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION

TENDER NO	SERVICE DESCRIPTION	CIDB Grading	SCORING System	COMPULSORY SITE Meeting	DOC PRICE (NON - REFUNDABLE)	CLOSING DATE
NST15/067	NDPW NELSPRUIT REGION: Database for day to day emergency work	ALL CIDB GRADES			R50.00	8-12-2015

#### Tender to be awarded to the highest scoring acceptable tender. Points will be allocated for:

a. Price: According to the formula in PPPFA: Regulation 2011 - Regulations 5(1) or 6(1), which ever will be applicable and Regulation 10. b. Preference: According to B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution as stipulated in PPPFA: Regulation 2011 - Regulations 5(2) or 6(2), which ever will be applicable and Regulation 10.

#### FUNCTIONALITY: •STAFF/LABOUR = 20 •TRANSPORT = 15 •FINANCIAL CAPACITY = 15 •LOCALITY = 50 •TOTAL = 100%.

#### The minimum functionality score to qualify for further evaluation is 70%

The points scored by a tenderer in respect of the level of B-BREF contribution contemplated in Sub-Begulation 5(2) and 6(2) will be added to the points scored for price as calculated in accordance with Sub-Regulation 5(1) and 6(1) of the PPPFA Regulations of 2011

BUSINESS HOURS FOR COLLECTING TENDER DOCUMENTS: 07h45 to 12h45 and 13h30 to 14h45.

Bid documents are available from 9 November 2015 - the physical address for the collection of tender documents is 30 Brown Street, Nedbank Centre, 9th Floor, Nelspruit CBD, Capital Procurement Section.

Sealed bid documents, with the bid number and description of bid endorsed on the envelope, must be deposited into the tender box addressed above not later than 11h00 on the closing date mentioned above.

Telegraphic, facsimile and late tenders will not be accepted.

Requirements for technicality, addressing, delivery, opening, evaluation models/criteria, conditions of tender and contract are found in the single volume document that will be sold by the Department of Public Works.

BID ENQUIRIES: Mr M.V. Mbukushe, tel. 013 753 6399 / fax: 013 755 4748 / 1705.

# **APPENDIX E2**

#### PROOF OF WRITTEN NOTICES ISSUED

Appendix E2(i):Background Information Document (BID) Appendix E2(ii): Proof of IAPs Notification of the BAR Appendix E2(iii): Proof of IAPs Notification of the Public Meeting 01



# THE PROPOSED KRIEL-MATLA ASH **TRANSFER LINK**

### **Background Information Document**

December 2015



Environmental, Social and OHS Consultants

P.O. Box 1673 147 Bram Fisher Drive Tel: 011 781 1730 Sunninghill Ferndale Fax: 011 781 1731 2157 2194 Email: info@nemai.co.za



#### 1 PROJECT BACKGROUND

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Notice is hereby given, in terms of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998) (NEMA) and the 2014 EIA Regulations (Government Notice (GN) No. R983 and R985 of 04 December 2014) of the intent to carry out a Basic Assessment (BA) Process for the proposed Kriel-Matla Ash Transfer Link.

#### 2 PURPOSE OF THE BACKGROUND INFORMATION DOCUMENT

The key objective of the Background Information Document (BID) revolves around conveying relevant and key information regarding the proposed project to all those parties who are likely to be affected by the proposed bulk water development, thereby also fostering public involvement. The BID provides an overview of the following:

- The various aspects of the environmental processes that is required for the implementation of the proposed project;
- An understanding of the proposed project; and
- A locality map indicating the position of the development.

Furthermore the BID also provides stakeholders with the opportunity to register as Interested and Affected Parties (IAPs) and to raise their issues and concerns with regards to the proposed Kriel-Matla Transfer link. Please see the





end of this document for details as to how to register as an IAP.

#### 3 PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The proposed project will involve the development of four new ash pipelines from Kriel to Matla as well as an Ash Water Return (AWR) System comprising of three AWR pipelines. In addition, a new Booster Pump House for Kriels AWR will be constructed adjacent to the existing Matla Booster Pump House, which will accommodate three new booster pumps. New solution trenches will also be put in place. The proposed pipelines are indicated in **Figure 1**.

#### 4 PROJECT LOCATION

The proposed pipelines will be located between the Kriel Power Station and Matla Power Station, both of which are situated within the Emalahleni Local Municipality and Nkanagla District Municipality in the Mpumalanga Province of South Africa between the towns of Bethal and Ogies on the R545 road.

#### 5 REGULATORY FRAMEWORK

The proposed development falls within the ambit of the NEMA, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998) and National Water Act, 1998 (Act No. 36 of 1998) (NWA).

#### 5.1 Basic Assessment (BA):

In terms of GN No. R983 and R985 of 04 December 2014 of the NEMA (Act No. 107 of 1998), a specific list of activities were identified which could have a detrimental impact on the receiving environment. These listed activities require Environmental Authorisation from the Competent Authority, i.e. the Department of Environmental Affairs (DEA). Details of the triggered listed activities are provided in **Table 1**.

Accordingly, the proposed project requires authorisation from DEA via the BA process outlined in GN No. 982 of 04 December 2014 of NEMA, 1998.

The Basic Assessment Report (BAR) contains the details of the assessment conducted. specialist investigations, project design and impacts that have been identified and proposed mitigation measures to counter potential impacts. A Draft copy of the BAR is available for public review from 11 November 2015 to 11 December 2015, prior to finalisation and submission of the BAR to DEA. Only registered IAPs will continue to be notified of the BA process. Please see the end of this document for details as to how to register as an IAP.





Table 1: Detailed description of listed activities associated with the proposed the Kriel-Matla Ash
Transfer Link.

Notice No.	Activity No.	Activity description
GN R 983	10 (i) and (ii)	Four Ash Slurry Pipelines with a design flow rate of approximately 210 litres/s (753 m <sup>3</sup> /hour) and three Ash Water Return Pipelines with a design flow rate of 200 litres/s (720 m <sup>3</sup> /hour) will be put in place to transport ash from Kriel Ash Dam to Matla Ash Dam and Ash Return Water from Matla Ash Dam to Kriel Ash Dam. This activity will take place outside an urban area. In addition, two 0.675 m diameter concrete drain pipes will be placed on either side of the pipe servitude to divert any slurry or ash water spillage to Matla Ash Dam.
GN R 983	12 (iii) and (xii)	Two pipe bridges of approximately 308 m <sup>2</sup> and 187 m <sup>2</sup> respectively will be constructed within a watercourse outside an urban area.
GN R 983	19 (i)	The infilling or depositing of any material of more than 5 $m^3$ into, or the dredging, excavation, removal or moving of soil, sand, shells, shell grit, pebbles or rock of more than 5 $m^3$ from (i) a watercourse;
GN R 983	24 (ii)	Two access roads with a combined width of 10 m $(2 \times 5 m)$ will be constructed on either side of the pipelines.

#### 5.2 <u>Water Use License Application</u> (WULA):

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A WULA has been compiled by Digby Wells Environmental and a draft copy of the WULA is included an Annexure to the Draft BAR and will also be available for review between 11 November 2015 to 11 December 2015.

#### **6** PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Public Participation will be conducted in terms of Chapter 6 of GN No. 982 of 04 December 2014, NEMA, (Act No. 107 of 1998) and the Public Participation Guideline (Government Gazette No. 35769 on 10 October 2012). The Public Participation Process will involve the following:

- Site notices will be erected at prominent points on and around the study area;
- BIDs will be distributed by email to general IAPs. Where email addresses are not available, notification messages will be sent;





- BIDs will be .left at prominent points in Kriel such as the Kriel Public Library and the security office at Kriel and Matla Power Stations;
- BIDs regarding the project will be e-mailed or faxed to the councillors in the area;
- 5. Copies of the Draft BAR will be submitted to commenting authorities;
- An advertisement will be placed in Witbank News.

IAPs are encouraged to participate in the process in order for concerns to be addressed and included in the BAR and WULA. IAPs are to review and comment on the draft documents which will be lodged at the following place for review from <u>11 November 2015 to 11 December</u> <u>2015</u>:

### Table 2: Venues for public review of draft BAR and WULA

Location	Address	Telephone No.
Kriel Library	Cnr Quentin & Henrich Street, Kriel	017 648 6249
Kriel Power Station Security office	-26.250915, 29.179856	017 615 2000

An electronic copy of the Draft BAR and WULA can also be obtained from the Eskom website

(http://www.eskom.co.za/OurCompany/Su



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In order to register as an IAP, to obtain more information on the proposed project or to provide comments on the draft report, please contact the consultant below. Please note that whilst the initial notification indicated that the review would take place from **6 November 2015**, the actual review period was delayed and is therefore been extended until **11 December 2015**. We look forward to your input into the BAR process:



Contact Person: Angelique Daniell

Tel:	(011) 781 1730
Fax:	(011) 781 1731
Email:	angeliqued@nemai.co.za
Postal Address:	PO Box 1673, Sunninghill, 2157



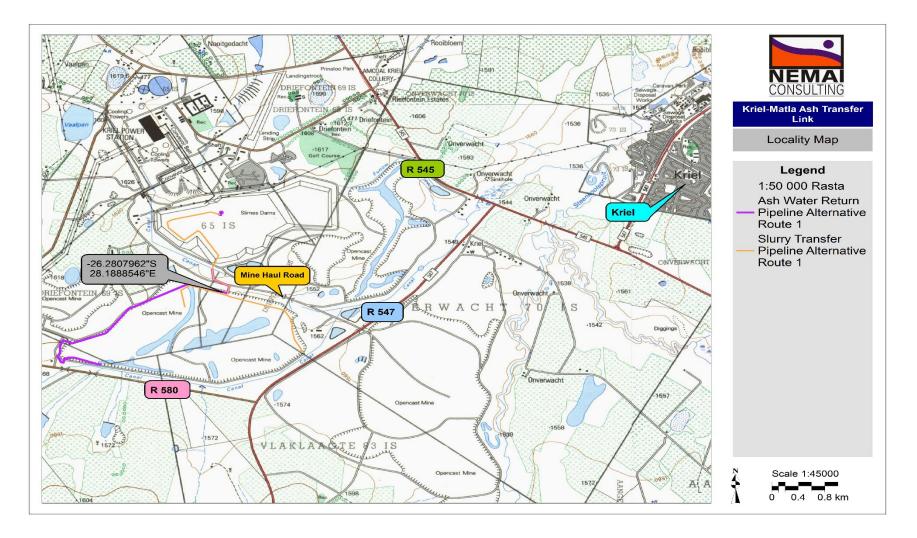


Figure 1: Topographical Map (1: 50 000) of the Kriel-Matla Transfer Link.





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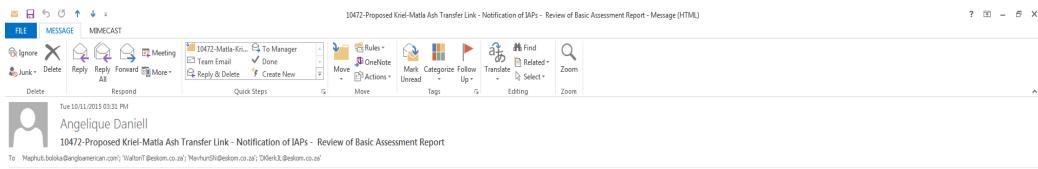
#### Proposed Matla-Kriel Transfer link.

(Complete and return to: Angelique Daniell. This form should be returned no later than the 8 December 2015)

Date:		
Name of organisation:		
Name of Interested and Affected Party:		
Address:	Postal:	Physical:
Tel No:		
Fax No:		
E-mail:		
Registration as an IAP:	YES	NO
Comments:		



#### Appendix E2(ii)



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Kind Regards,

#### Angelique Daniell

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Sublime Technologies Plot 141, Remainder of the farm. Matla Power station. GaNala. Tel: 017 648 6000/8/6/6035

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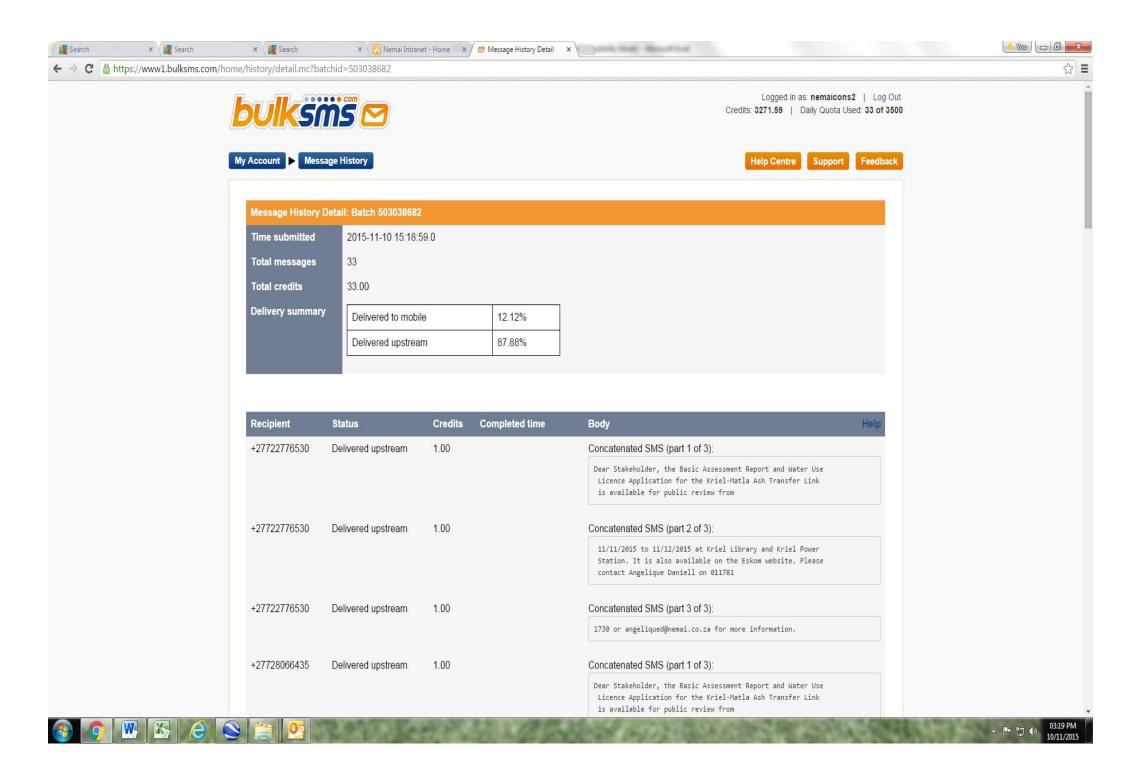
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Yours Sincerely,

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Please feel free to contact me should you require any additional information.

Kind Regards,

Vanessa Stippel **Environmental Consultant** 



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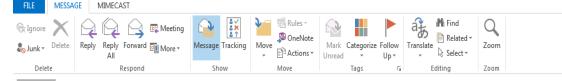


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RE: 10472-Proposed Kriel-Matla Ash Transfer Link - Notification of IAPs - Public Meeting

To Angelique Daniell; 'MavimbCJ@eskom.co.za'; 'Bruce.Moyo@eskom.co.za'

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Please feel free to contact me should you require any additional information.

Kind Regards,

Vanessa Stippel Environmental Consultant



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From: Angelique Daniell Sent: 10 November 2015 05:24 PM To: 'MavimbCJ@eskom.co.za'; 'Bruce.Moyo@eskom.co.za' Cc: Vanessa Stippel Subject: 10472-Proposed Kriel-Matla Ash Transfer Link - Notification of IAPs - Review of Basic Assessment Report

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Sublime Technologies Plot 141, Remainder of the farm. Matla Power station. GaNala. Tel: 017 648 6000/8/6/6035

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# APPENDIX E3

#### COMMENTS AND RESPONSE REPORT

Comments received during the review of the Draft BAR is included in the Final BAR.



#### Kriel-Matla Ash Transfer Link

**BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT** 

#### COMMENTS AND RESPONSE REPORT

#### **1** INTRODUCTION

This Comments and Response Report summarises the salient issues and queries raised, as well as statements made, by Interested and Affected Parties (IAPs) through correspondence received (including completed Reply Forms and Comments Sheets, letters, faxes and emails) and discussions at meetings during the **Public Participation** phase. This report also attempts to address the comments through responses and input provided by the project team.

No details comments on the Draft Basic Assessment Report (BAR) were received and as a result, no changes to the Final BAR were necessary. A summary of the comments received are provided below.

The Comments and Response Report is separated into the following main categories:

- General
- Authorities
- Stakeholders
- Landowners

#### GENERAL

No	COMMENT / QUERY / ISSUE	RAISED BY	SOURCE	RESPONSE
1.	<b>Claire Threadingham (CT)</b> wanted to know if she can register as an IAP and CT also asked for an electronic copy of the BID report.	Claire Threadingham (CT)	Email on the 23/11/ 2015 04:43	Angelique Daniell (AD) send CT a copy of the BID and gave her instruction on how to register if she like do so. CT details were automatically added to the IAP data base as registered IAP.
2.	Mark Whitcombe (MW) requested more information on how to be involved in the construction of the project as well as information on the tender process.	Mark Whitcombe (MW)	Public Meeting 02/12/2015	Riaan Louw (RL) responded by stating that this would be an open tender which would be advertised on the Eskom website as well as the usual newspapers etc. It was also mentioned that Eskom has a vender database and it was recommended that he register as a vendor.

#### AUTHORITIES

No	COMMENT / QUERY / ISSUE	RAISED BY	SOURCE	RESPONSE
3.	Milicent Solomons (MS) asked to please submit all project related documents to Khashiwe Masinga.	Milicent Solomons (MS)	Email on the 11/11/2015	Noted. Ms Khashiwe Masinga was added to the IAP database.
4.	A written acknowledgment of the Draft BAR was also received from the Department of Environmental Affairs (DEA) on 23 November 2015 stating that the Environmental Authorisation will lapse if the submission of the Final BAR do not meet the time- frames prescribed in terms of the Regulations.	DEA	Email on the 23/11/2015	Noted. The Final BAR was submitted on the 14 December 2015 which is in line with the EIA Regulations, 2014

#### STAKEHOLDERS

No	COMMENT / QUERY / ISSUE	RAISED BY	SOURCE	RESPONSE
5.	N/A			

#### LANDOWNERS

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6.	N/A			

# APPENDIX E4

#### PROOF OF WRITTEN NOTICE TO AUTHORITY AND ORGANS OF STATE

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#### Cc Vanessa Stippel

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We look forward to your input into the process.

Kind Regards,

#### Angelique Daniell

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As per the Public Participation Guidelines of 2012, this notice serves to notify Authorities of the proposed development. A hard copy of the Draft BAR will be delivered to key Commenting Authorities tomorrow, **11 November 2015**. The Authority Review of the Draft BAR will take place from **11 November 2015** to **11 December 2015** (30 day review period).

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Ward Councillor Quenton Street. GaNala, Private Bag 5014 Tel: (017) 648 6200/076 652 1282

ATTENTION: Zingisa Cameron Mbuku

RE: Proposed Kriel-Matla Ash Transfer Link

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If you require further information please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

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Yours Sincerely,

Nemai Consulting (Angelique Daniell)

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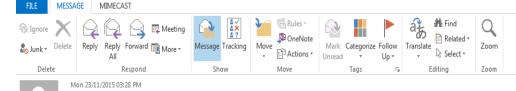
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RE: 10472-Proposed Kriel-Matla Ash Transfer Link - Notification of General Authorities - Review of Basic Assessment Report

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However in order to ensure that stakeholders, have an opportunity to discuss the proposed development and raise comments or questions, you are invited to attend a public meeting which will be held on Wednesday 2 December 2015 at Thubelihle Community Hall, Kriel (Opposite Sibongamandla Secondary School - -26.215649S, 29.290163E) from 17h00 to 18h30.

Please feel free to contact me should you require any additional information.

Kind Regards,

Vanessa Stippel **Environmental Consultant** 



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#### RE: 10472-Proposed Kriel-Matla Ash Transfer Link - Notification of Commenting Authorities - Public Meeting Invitation

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Please feel free to contact me should you require any additional information.

Kind Regards,

Vanessa Stippel Environmental Consultant



147 Bram Fischer Drive Ferndale Tel: 011 781 1730 Fax: 011 781 1731 Mobile: 076 128 9126

🙆 Vanessa Stippel 10472 - Matla -Kriel Ash Transfer Link





2015/11/23

Ward Councillor Quenton Street, GaNala, Private Bag 5014 Tel: (017) 648 6200/076 652 1282

#### ATTENTION: Zingisa Cameron Mbuku

RE: Proposed Kriel-Matla Ash Transfer Link

Dear Councillor Zingisa Cameron Mbuku

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We look forward to your input into the process.

If you require further information please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

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### **APPENDIX E5**

### REGISTERED I&APS

A copy of the Interested and Affected Party (I&APs) database included registered I&APs have been included.



### Landowners

No.	21 Digit Code	Farm/erf Detail	Owner	Occupier							
										Notification	
				Name	Address	Phone 1	Phone 2	Fax	Email	Method	Company
		Plot 141, Remainder of the farm.				017 648					
1		Matla Power station	Eskom	Reception	P O Box 2178, Kriel, 2271	6000/8/6/6035		086 580 3506		Fax	Sublime Technologies
		Plot 141, Remainder of the farm.									
2	T0IS0000000014100000	Matla Power station	Eskom	Lucky	P O Box 2178, Kriel, 2271	017 648 6935		086 580 3506		Fax	Sublime Technologies
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						011 800 3759 or					
			Eskom	Tersia Walton		8221-393	082 921 3857		WaltonT@eskom.co.za	Email	Eskom
		84 IS, 69 IS, 65 IS and 70 IS, 2/83 and	Eskom	Shumani Mavhungu		011 800 3751	079 733 2173		MavhunSN@eskom.co.za	Email	Eskom
4	1	4/83	Eskom	Jan De Klerk		011 800 2264	072 806 6435		DKlerkJL@eskom.co.za	Email	Eskom
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	T0IS0000000014100000	Matla PS, Plot 141	Eskom	Power Station Manager)	Private Bag X 5012, Kriel	017 612 6440	082 878 0982		Bruce.Moyo@eskom.co.za	Email	Eskom

### General I&APs

Organisation	Name	Position	Tel	Cell	Fax	Email Address	Notification Method	Comments
Exxaro	Security	Security officer	017 616 2286		None	None		
Exxaro		Receptionist	017 616 2286		None	None		
Anglo American	Dolly Mathethwa	Environmental officer			None	None		
Anglo American	Security	Security officer	017 612 1219		None	None		
Anglo American		Reception	017 617 1117/3/1121		None	None		
Dorsfontien mine		Reception	017 648 2640 or 017 648 2593		None	None		
Khuthala Pump station	Control room	Receptionist	013 648 5201		None	None		
Gerico pump station	Danie Louw	Supervisor	013 648 51 79 / 5000	082 806 7714	None	None	SMS	
Gerico pump station	Control room	Receptionist	017 846 6013		None	None		
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Grootpan	Roux Bnnie	None	017 697 21 49		None	None		
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Bakenlaagte	Jacobs JH	None	017 687 2088		None	None		Number does not exsit
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Authority I&	APs						
Organisation	Name	Position	Address	Tel	Fax	Email Address	Notification Metho
Department of Environmental Affairs	Khashiwe Masinga		Cnr. Steve Biko (previously Beatrix Street) and Soutpansberg Road, Environment House, 473 Steve Biko, Arcadia, Pretoria, 0083	012 395 1582	013 3207539	KMasinga@environment.gov.za	Email
Department of Environmental Affairs - Waste Unit	Lucas Mahlangu	None	Cnr. Steve Biko (previously Beatrix Street) and Soutpansberg Road, Environment House, 473 Steve Biko, Arcadia, Pretoria, 0083	012 310 3536	013 3207539	Lmahlangu@environment.gov.za	Email
Mpumalanga Department of Water Affairs	Mr Masala Mulaudzi	Chief Director Mpumalanga	Cnr Brown and Paul Kruger Street, Prorom Building, Nelspruit, 1200	013 759 7310	013 759 7525	mulaudzim@dwa.gov.za/ ralekoaw@dwa.gov.za	Email
Nkangala District Municipality	M.M Skosana	Municipal Manager	2A Walter Sisulu Street, Middelburg, Mpumalanga, 1055	013 2492 006	013 2492 050	nkosinm@nkangaladm.org.za	Fax
Emalahleni LocalMunicipality	Mr J Van Vuuren (Acting)	Municipal Manager	Civic Centre, Cnr Mandela & Arras Streets, eMalahleni	013 690 6208	013 690 6207	tjvvuuren01@gmail.com/mbethefak @emalahleni.gov.za	Fax
Ward Councillor	Zingisa Cameron Mbuku	Ward Councillor, Ward 27	Quenton Street, GaNala, Private Bag 5014	017 648 6200/076 652 1282	017 648 6251	none	Fax
Department of Labour	Bahlulile Tshabalala		Department of Labour (Mpumalanga), Labour Building, Cnr Hofmeyer Street and Beatty Avenue, Witbank	013 655 8741	013 7663 463	bahlulile.tshabalala@labour.gov.za	Email
Department of Health	Dr Aggrey Mabuti Morake	Head of Department	7 Government Boulevard Riverside Park Ex 2, Mbonbela 1200	013 7666 554	013 7668 449	aggreym@mpuhealth.gov.za	Email
Mpumalanga Department of Mineral Resources	Samual Mathabhela		Province House, C/o Paul Kruger & Botha Street, EMALAHLENI, 1035	013 6530 500	013 6563 288	samual.mathabhela@dmr.gov.za	Email
DEDET	Mr Selby Hlatshwayo	Head of Department	18 Jones Street, Nelspruit 2100	013 766 6983	None	shlatshwayo@mpg.gov.za	Email
Department of Public Works	Mr K.M. Moholasedi	Head of Department	7 Government Boulevard Riverside Park Ex 2, Mbonbela 1200	013 7666 554	013 7668 449	kmohlasedi@mpg.gov.za	Email
Emalahleni Local Municipality	Nico Bongers	Health Department	Quenton Street, GaNala, Private Bag 5014	017 648 6255 / 082 788 1747	017 648 4764	Bongersnic@gmail.com	Email

### Registered I&APs

Name	Postal Address	<b>Residential Address</b>	Phone 1	Phone 2	Email
Claire Threadingham			086 083 6337	0860 TENDER	ClaireT@L2B.co.za
Mark Whitcombe	42 Allenby Street Witbank 1035		074 190 7723	013 656 1976	vaspco@xsinet.co.za
James Sauls	42 Allenby Street Witbank 1035		083 227 2481	013 656 1976	vaspco@xsinet.co.za
Sipo Moroame	Emalahleni		076 858 2649		
Mpho Muswubi	1 Maxwell drive, Megawatt Park, Sunninghill, Johannesburg		011 800 2346	082 593 3339	Mpho.muswubi@eskom.co.za
Riaan Louw	Kriel Power Station		017 615 2088		louwab@eskom.co.za
Khaliso Rasimphi	Kriel Power Station		017 615 2634		rasimpkj@eskom.co.za
Thaudokazi Myingia	Kriel Power Station		017 615 2025	071 871 4079	myingwt@eskom.co.za
T.V Guambe	63 Eyce sec		078 537 8888		thabisoguambe@gemil.com

### APPENDIX E6

CORRESPONDENCE AND MINUTES



	Minutes of Meeting Public Meeting 01	Queries:	Angelique Daniell ☎ +27 11 781 1730 ♣ +27 11 781 1731 ⊠ angeliqued@nemai.co.za
		Project Name:	Kriel-Matla Ash Transfer Link
Client	Eskom	Project Number:	10472
Date:	02/12/2015	Time:	17H00
Chairman:	Vanessa Stippel	Venue:	Thubelihle Community Hall

Attendees	Organisation & Designation	Contact Number	Email
Vanessa Stippel	Nemai Consulting	011 781 1730	vanessab@nemai.co.za
Angelique Daniell	Nemai Consulting	011 781 1730	angeliqued@nemai.co.za
Mpho Muswubi	Eskom	011 800 2346	Mpho.muswubi@eskom.co.za
Sipo Moroame	Emalahleni	076 858 2649	N/A
Mark Whitcombe	VAPSCO	074 190 7723	vapsco@xsinet.co.za
Riaan Louw	Kriel Power Station	017 615 2088	louwab@eskom.co.za
Khaliso Rasimphi	Kriel Power Station	017 615 2634	rasimpkj@eskom.co.za
Thaudokazi Myingia	Kriel Power Station	017 615 2025/071 871 4079	myingwt@eskom.co.za
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### Refer to the completed Attendance Register contained in Appendix A.

Apologies	Organisation & Designation	Contact Number	Email
N/A			

Item	Details	Response
1.	Welcome	
1.1.	Vanessa Stippel (VS) welcomed everyone to the meeting. VS explained that this is the first public meeting for the proposed Kriel-Matla Ash Transfer Link and gave an introduction to the project. VS explained the purpose and rules of the public meeting.	Noted
2.	Attendance	
2.1.	Attendance Register	Everyone signed
2.2.	Apologies	N/A
3.	Project Background and Motivation	

Item	Details	Response
1.1.	Riaan Louw (RL) gave an overview of the project description which includes the location, the process, workings and engineering aspects of the proposed project	Noted
4.	Basic Assessment Process	
1.2.	VS explained the EA and BA process for the proposed project.	Noted
2.	Issues and Questions Raised	
2.1.	Mark Whitcombe (MW) requested information on how to be involved in the construction and what tender process would be followed.	RL responded by stating that this would be an open tender and Eskom has a database for tenders on their website. VS commented that being on the vender list of Eskom is possibly the best way forward in this regard.
3.	Close	
4.1	VS thanked everyone who attended	Noted
4.2	The meeting was closed at 17H45.	

Item	Annexure Items
1.	Attendance Register
2.	Power Point Presentation

Minutes Complied By: Angelique Daniell

**Nemai Consulting** 

2015/12/11

Date

Minutes Accepted By: Mpho Muswubi

Eskom

Date

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-	Angelique Daniell	147 Bram Fischer Drive, Ferndale, Randburg	011 781 1730	angeliqued@nemai.co.za	Hart
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# Proposed Kriel-Matla Ash Transfer Link

Public Meeting 01

2 December 2015





WELCOME! Thank you so much for coming to the Public Meeting. We would like to thank your for your time !

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Slide #2



- Introduction to the project team.
- Rules of the Public Meeting
- Purpose of the Public Meeting
- Project Background and Motivation
- Project Description
- Environmental Authorisation Processes
- Conclusion
- Timeframes

# **MEET THE PROJECT TEAM**

### Proponent

Organisation

Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd

Environmental Practitioner's

Representative	Responsibility	Organisation
Angelique Daniell	Environmental Assessment Practitioner	Nemai Consulting
Vanessa Stippel	Facilitator	C C

## **RULES OF THE PUBLIC MEETING**

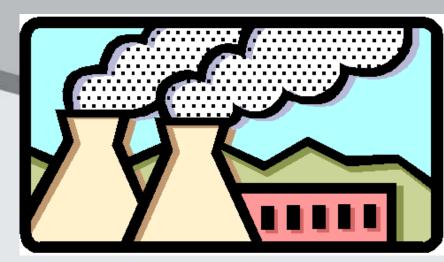
- 1. Questions to relate to project at hand;
- Opportunities for seeking clarification at end of presentations;
- 3. Address project team through facilitator;
- 4. Identify yourself before asking a question;
- 5. Meeting closing time; and
- 6. Cell phones off, please.

## PURPOSE OF THE PUBLIC MEETING

- 1. To provide an introduction and background;
- 2. To provide an overview of the proposed project;
- 3. To discuss the environmental authorisation processes; and
- 4. To provide an overview of BAR.

## **PROJECT BACKGROUND AND MOTIVATION**

- Kriel Power Station Existing Ash Dam will run out of capacity in June 2017. Thus a temporary solution is required:
  - The transferring of 100% of Kriel Power Station Ash to Matla Power Station Ash Dam.
  - The return of all Kriel Ash Water from the Matla Power Station Ash Dam to Kriel Power Station.





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# **PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

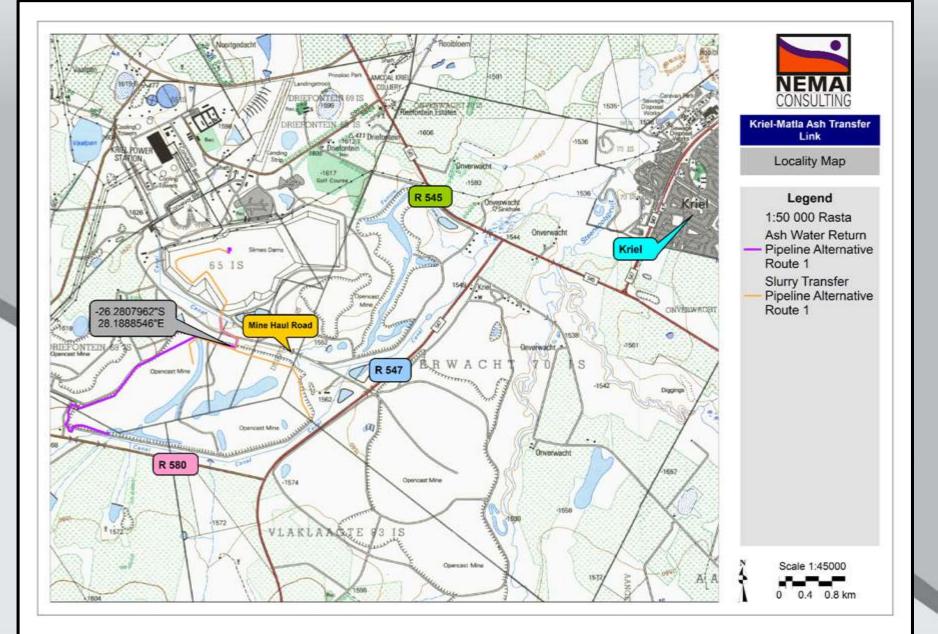
- Location
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- Alternatives



Proposed Kriel-Matla Ash Transfer Link

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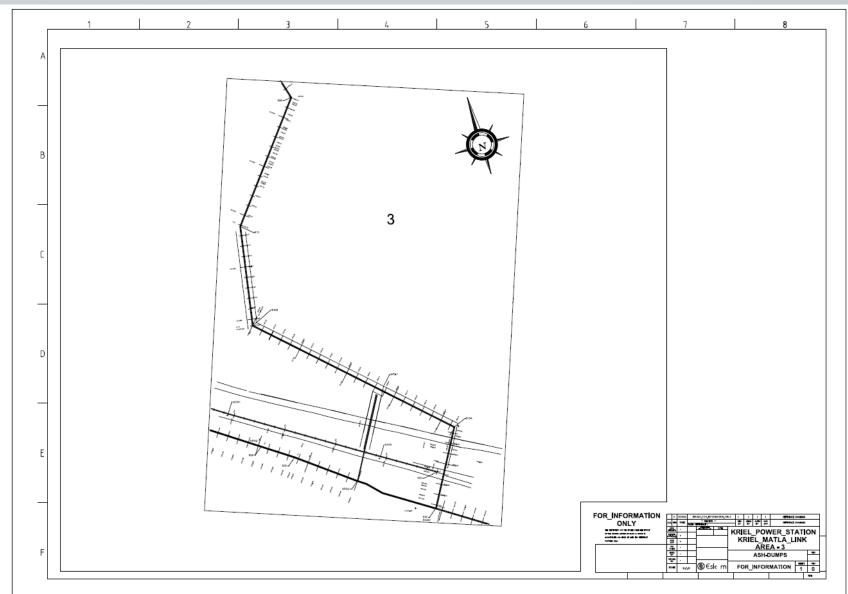
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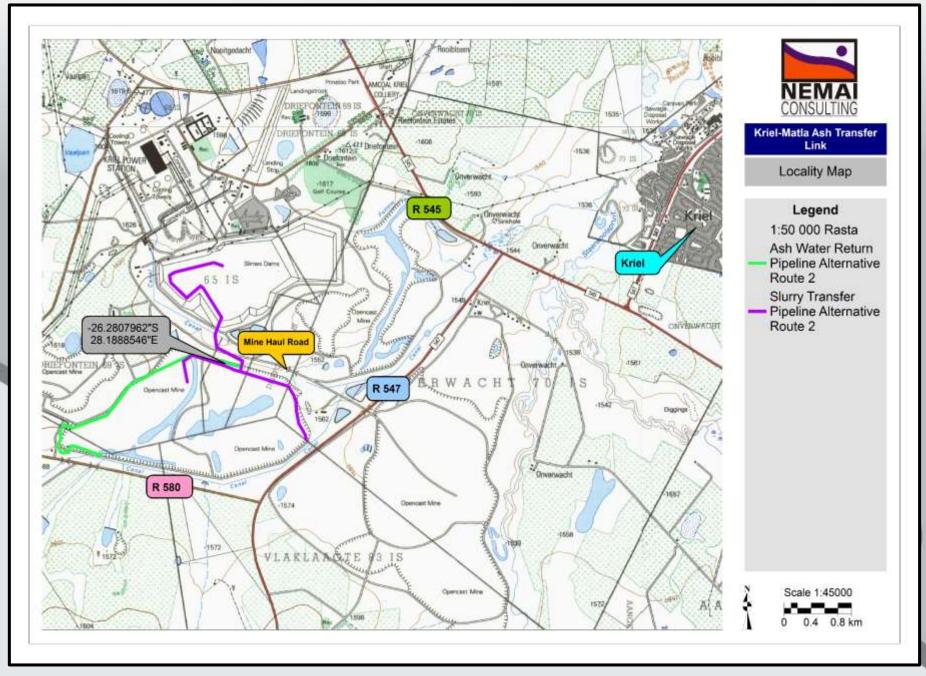


# **PROJECT PROCESSES**

- The proposed project will involve the development of four new ash pipelines from Kriel to Matla as well as an Ash Water Return (AWR)
- System comprising of three AWR pipelines. In addition, a new Booster Pump House for Kriels AWR will be constructed adjacent to the existing Matla Booster Pump House, which will accommodate three new booster pumps.
- New solution trenches will also be put in place.

# Alternatives

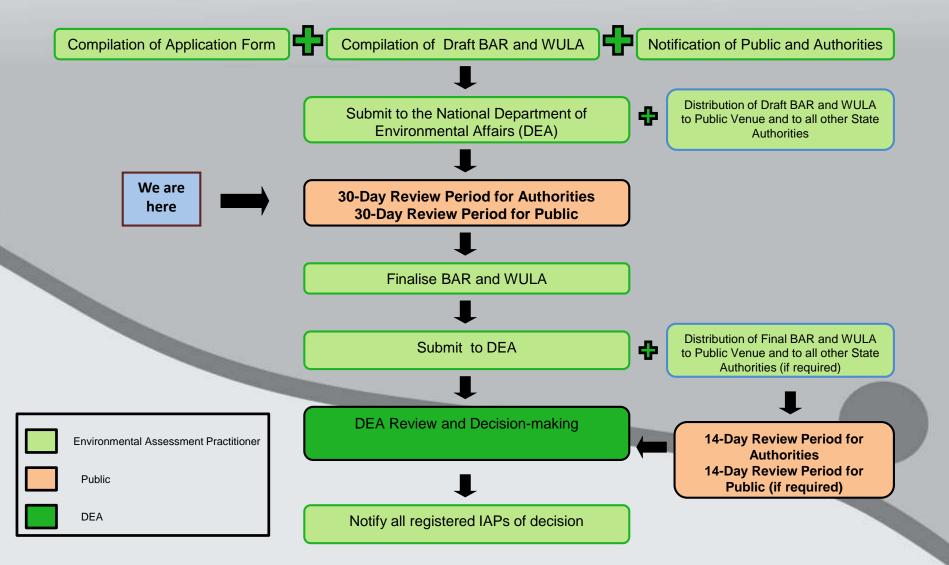




Proposed Kriel-Matla Ash Transfer Link

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## ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION PROCESSES



Proposed Kriel-Matla Ash Transfer Link

2 December 2015

## **BASIC ASSESSMENT PROCESS**

- 1. NEMA BAR
- 2. NWA-WULA
- 3. Public Participation
- 4. Specialist Studies
- 5. EMPr
- 6. Conclusion
- 7. Timeframes

# 1. NEMA - BAR

- National Environmental Management Act (NEMA)
   > BAR
- Development triggers Listing Notice 10, 12, 19 and 24 of GN 983 (2014 EIA Regulations)
- Lead Authority = DEA
  - Commenting Authorities:
    - Mpumalanga Department of Water and Sanitation (DWS);
    - Nkangala District Municipality;
    - Emalahleni Local Municipality;
    - Mpumalanga Department of Mineral Resources (DMR); and
    - Mpumalanga Department of Economic Development, Environment and Tourism (DEDET).
    - ➢ Ward Councillor for Ward No. 27

# 2. NWA - WULA

- National Water Act (NWA)
  - > WULA
- Water Uses triggered:
  - Section 21 (c) and (i)
  - Lead Authority = DWS
- Undertaken by Digby Wells Environmental
- Public participation however has been integrated

# 3. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

- Notification of Public: All Landowners within 100m of the Listed Activities and any Interested and Affected Parties (IAPs) – Eskom
  - Background Information Documents (BIDs)
    - Placed at the designated areas and Emailed to IAPs
  - Site Notices
    - 10 Site Notices placed in Kriel Town, Kriel and Matla Power Station and along the roads
  - Newspaper Advert
    - The Witbank News 6 November 2015

Proposed Kriel-Matla Ash Transfer Link

2 December 2015

# **Background Information Document**

Proposed	Kriel-Matla Ash	Transfer lir	۱k.
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(Complete and return to: **Angelique Daniell**. This form should be returned no later than the **11 December 2015**)

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Date:								
Name of organisation:								
Name of Interested and Affected Party:								
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Fax No:								
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Registration as an IAP:	YES	NO						
Comments:								



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#### NOTICE OF BASIC ASSESSMENT PROCESS AND WATER USE LICENSE APPLICATION FOR THE PROPOSED KRIEL-MATLA ASH TRANSFER LINK, MPUMALANGA

#### BACKGROUND

Krist Power Station is a coal fired power station comprising of six units which produce a combiner base load of 5 000 MW. The power station has a remaining operating life of 26 years and is scheduled to be decommissioned. in 2020. To generate 3 080 MW of electricity coal is burnt by the bollers which produces ash as a waste product. The ash is then disposed of and stored on the Ash Dam. Wel Power Station Ash Dam will reach its maximum capacity in approximately Jane 2017 and Eskom is camently in the process of designing and undertaking the environmental authorisation for a new Ash Dam. However, according to the latest schedule a new ash dam will only be commissioned in September 2020, thus Kriel will not have sufficient capacity to deal with the ash generated between 2017 and 2020.

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Notice is hereby given of a joint public particulation process in terms of:

The National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998) ("NEMA") in accordance with the Environmental Impact Assessment (EA) Regulations, 2014 [Seveniment Notice No. R.962]; and The National Water Act, 1998 (Act No. 36 of 1998) ("NWW").

#### REGISTER AS AN INTERESTED AND AFFECTED PARTY (IAF)

This number terves to notify all interested and Affected Parties SAPs) office proposal development.

#### REVIEW OF THE DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT

The Draft Basic Assessment Report (848) and Water Use Lipster Application (WALA) will be available for public inview from 6 Nevember 2015 to 8 December 2015 at the Kriel Public Library Car Questin and Nerrich Street, Kriel) and the security office at Kriel Power Station (26.250915, 29.179856). An electronic copy of the Draft BAR and WULA can also be obtained from the Tskom subsite: Bittp://www.eskom.cs.au/OurCompens/ SuntainableDevelopment/EnvironmentalImple;Mesetsmenta/Fagm/Environment\_Impact\_Assetsments associal in order to regular as an IAP, to obtain menu information wit the proposed project or to provide comments on the draft report, places contact the consultant below The closing date for the public miner period and IAP registration is 8 December 2015. We look forward to your input into the BAR process.



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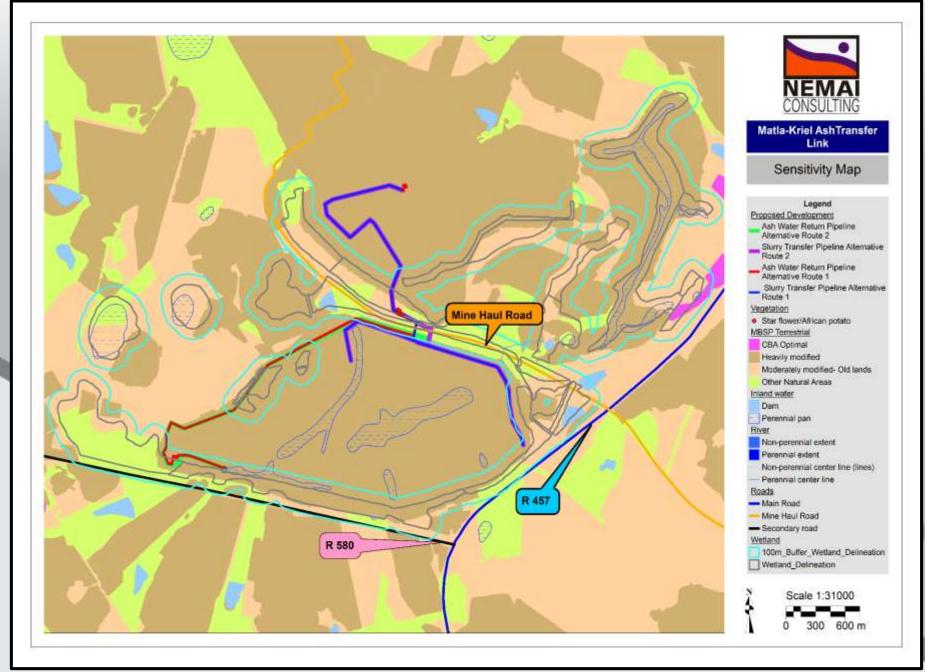
# 3. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

- Public Review of Draft BAR which included the WULA
  - Venue: Kriel Power Station and Kriel Library
  - Review Period: 11 November 11 December 2015 (30-Days)
  - Public Meeting:
    - 2 December 2015

# 4. SPECIALIST STUDIES

- Aquatic, surface water and wetland delineation assessment
- Ecological assessment
- Heritage impact assessment





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# 5. ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGE-MENT PROGRAMME (EMPr)

- Environmental management programme (EMPr) states all mitigation measures that should be followed
  - Pre-construction
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2 December 2015

# 6. CONCLUSION

The following pertinent conditions for inclusion in the Environmental Authorisation are recommended:

- Appointment of an Environmental Control Officer to monitor compliance with the Environmental Authorisation and the approved Environmental Management Programme;
- All mitigation measures provided in Appendix D, Appendix F, Appendix I and Appendix G (Specialist reports, WULA, Impact Assessment and EMPr) of the BAR are to be adhered to. Specifically the following:
- Site clearing of flora, taking into account the rehabilitation potential.
- Search and rescue of plant species of conservation importance.
- Encroachment of alien vegetation should be monitored regularly and controlled.
- Should any remains be found on site that is potentially human remains, the South African Police Service should also be contacted.
- Rehabilitate and revegetate the excavated areas.
- Erosion prevention and sediment control measures need to be implemented

If the above recommendations and the EMPr are strictly enforced to mitigate the identified possible impacts associated to it, then construction disruptions should have minimal lasting effect on the ecosystems of the proposed development

# 7. TIMEFRAMES

BAR Milestones	Proposed Timeframes
30-Day Authority Review of Draft BAR	11 November 2015 – 11 December 2015
30-Day Public Review of Draft BAR	11 November 2015 – 11 December 2015
Submission of Final BAR	18 January 2016
Review and Decision of Final BAR by DEA	18 January 2016 – 10 May 2016
Notify IAPs of decision	Dependent on above – Approximately May 2016
Appeal Period	Dependent on above – Approximately May 2016



# THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME AND PARTICIPATION IN THE PROCESS

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To Angeligue Daniell

1 You replied to this message on 26/11/2015 08:15 AM.

#### Good day,

I recently came across the notice for the Basic assessment process for the above proposed development.

Please may I register as an Interested and Affected Party.

Would you have a copy of the Background Information Document available by any chance?

Looking forward to hearing from you.

Kindest regards

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Hi Angelique						
Please forward any information related to the abovementioned application to the relevant Director; Ms Khashiwe Masinga (copied on this email).						

Regards

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Department of Environmental Affairs Director: Strategic Infrastructure Development P O Box 447, Pretoria

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#### Dear Commenting Authorities,

Kriel Power Station Ash Dam will reach its maximum capacity in approximately June 2017 and Eskom is currently in the process of designing and undertaking the environmental authorisation for a new Ash Dam. However, according to the latest schedule a new ash dam will only be commissioned in September 2020, thus Kriel will not have sufficient capacity to deal with the ash generated between 2017 and 2020. Eskom has therefore proposed the Kriel-Matla Ash Transfer Link which will involve the following, as an intermediate solution for a period of approximately 3.5 - 4 years until the new Kriel Ash Dam is developed:

- The transferring of 100% of Kriel Power Station Ash to Matla Power Station Ash Dam.
- The return of all Kriel Ash Water from the Matla Power Station Ash Dam to Kriel Power Station.

Notice is hereby given, in terms of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998) (NEMA) and the 2014 EIA Regulations (Government Notice (GN) No. R983 and R985 of 04 December 2014) of the intent to carry out a Basic Assessment (BA) Process for the proposed Kriel-Matla Ash Transfer Link. Please note that in terms of the National Water Act, 1998 (Act No. 36 of 1998) (NWA), a Water Use Licence Application (WULA), is also required for the following uses:

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Cc Nicky Naidoo; KMasinga@environment.gov.za; PSkepe@environment.gov.za; Angelique Daniell; Kristy Robertson

#### Dear Millicent,

Thank you for the email.

We will add Ms Khashiwe Masinga to the Interested and Affected Party (IAP) database and will ensure she is provided with all relevant information.

The Draft Basic Assessment Report (BAR) and Application form for the proposed development was delivered to the Department today for your attention. Should we arrange for the document to be resubmitted for Ms Masinga's attention or will it be possible for the EIA Admin Unit to ensure the documents are sent to the correct person?

We do appreciate your assistance and apologise for any inconvenience caused.

Kind Regards,

Vanessa Stippel Environmental Consultant



147 Bram Fischer Drive Ferndale Tel: 011 781 1730 Fax: 011 781 1731 Mobile: 076 128 9126

From: Angelique Daniell Sent: 11 November 2015 01:35 PM To: Vanessa Stippel Subject: FW: 10472-Proposed Kriel-Matla Ash Transfer Link - Notification of Commenting Authorities - Review of Draft Basic Assessment Report

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### PER EMAIL / MAIL

Dear Vanessa Stippel

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF A NEW APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION (BASIC ASSESSMENT PROCESS) AND THE DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR THE PROPOSED KRIEL-MATLA ASH TRANSFER LINK, MPUMALANGA PROVINCE

The Department confirms having received the application for environmental authorisation and the Draft Basic report for the abovementioned project on 12 November 2015. You have submitted these documents to comply with the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations, 2014.

Further note that in terms of regulation 45 of the EIA Regulations, 2014 this application will lapse if the applicant fails to meet any of the time-frames prescribed in terms of these Regulations, unless an extension has been granted in terms of regulation 3(7).

You are hereby reminded of Section 24F of the National Environmental Management Act, Act No 107 of 1998, as amended, that no activity may commence prior to an environmental authorisation being granted by the Department.

Yours sincerely

Sachramany Mr Sabelo Malaza Chief Director: Integrated Environmental Authorisations Department of Environmental Affairs: Designation: Control Environmental Officer (Grade A): Integrated Environmental Authorisations Letter signed by: Ms Senisha Soobramany Date: 23 November 2015 harbot@oskom.co.72

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