



## environmental affairs

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### **PER FACSIMILE / MAIL**

Dear Mr Moeng

### **EXTENSION OF VALIDITY PERIOD OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION ISSUED ON 08 OCTOBER 2009 FOR THE PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF A 400kV POWER LINE FROM BRAVO POWER STATION TO LULAMISA SUBSTATION (BRAVO INTEGRATION PROJECT PHASE 3) GAUTENG AND MPUMALANGA PROVINCES**

The environmental authorisation (EA) (Reference number 12/12/20/1096) for the above project issued by the Department on 08 October 2009, and your amendment application received by the Department on 19 May 2014, refer.

With reference to the abovementioned letter for the extension of the EA; please be advised that the Department has decided to grant an extension of the EA issued on 08 October 2009 for the proposed construction of a 400kV power line from Bravo Power Station to Lulamisa Substation (Bravo Integration Project phase 3) in the Gauteng and Mpumalanga Provinces.

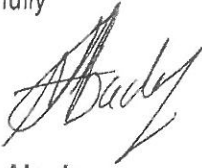
The extension is subject to the following conditions:

- i. The activity must commence within a period of three (3) years from the date of expiry of the EA issued on 08 October 2009 now extended to 08 October 2017. If commencement of the activity does not occur within that period, the authorisation lapses and a new application for environmental authorisation must be made in order for the activity to be undertaken.
- ii. The correspondence is only for the extension of the validity period as stated herein above and all conditions set out in the original Environmental Authorisation dated 08 October 2009 remain unchanged and must be adhered to.

In terms of regulation 10(2) of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations, 2010 (the Regulations), you are instructed to notify all registered interested and affected parties, in writing and within 12 (twelve) days of the date of the Department's decision in respect of the amendment made as well as the provisions regarding the submission of appeals that are contained in the Regulations.

Please include the Department (Attention: Director: Integrated Environmental Authorisations) in the list of interested and affected parties, notified through your notification letter to interested and affected parties, for record purposes.

Yours faithfully



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**Date:** 8/07/2014

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