

Comments Received report

Interested Parties			
Capacity	Contact	Comments	Response
Land Owner – Mr J F Muller – Plot 1 Havre 60	0785679783	What will the negative impact of the line be on my farm and farming. In my/wife interest I cannot allow it	Comment Noted
Land Owner – Mr C H Nel – Various farms including Waterkloof, Vebaard, Cromer, Elsabat, Pangbourn	0828760731	Currently involved in farming , hunting and eco-tourism on these farms. Eco tourism and hunting is very susceptible for visual impacts due to the nature of these type of developments	Comment Noted, Visual Impact Assessment will form part of the Specialist Studies in EIA
Land Owner – Mr C H Nel (snr) – Variuos farms including Hertzog, Koedoesfontein, Verbaard Lucianna, Cromer, Pangbourn, Elsabat, Sterkfontein	0829259494	Proposed lines can possibly go through the farms and will not be happy with this	Comment Noted
Land Owner – Mr S Brookman – plot 60 Havre 60	0823351915	Power line not needed for us and appose to the development	Comment Noted
Land Owner – Mr GJ Vos – Various farms including Shanyani, Bush and Bosvark	0799805661	Nature lover and enjoy nature undisturbed. Have 6 chalets in the area basically invisible to the naked eye	Comment Noted
Land Owner – Mr JWF Small – plot 15 Havre 60	0829244692	Not interested in project and reject project. Valuation of property will decline drastically	Comments Noted, property valuation impact to be looked at in EIA
Land Owner – MR JA Loots – Plot 61 Havre 60	0155340706	Proposed lines go through my property and I have residential and farming infrastructure on site that will be impacted on	Comments Noted. Line routing to form part of EIA

Land Owner – MR P Lee – Various farms including Munnichshoser and Tempelhof	0832687051	The proposed line crosses over both farms. Various development options on the farms have been approved and further developments are being considered.	Comment noted, Owner requested to send Baagi the proposed and approved developments to include in the specialist studies.
Labourer – Mr MJ Manganye – Stay on the farm Dorothy	0798408072	Subsistence farming and hunting and how these can be affected by the proposed power lines	Comment Noted. Economic study is part of the EIA.
Land Owner - Hein Goldschagg – Plot 45 Havre 60	GoldscHe@eskom.co.za	How will the proposed lines impact on my farm	Comment Noted
Interested Party and Developer Estelle Smith	0834552189	Dorpsstigting goedgekeur aan weste van Musina (x28). Aansoek vir 300kva Krag reeds by Eunice op Louis Trichardt ingedien. Landelike Bewonings aansoek tans in proses vir 50 x 1ha erwe op plaas Vogelenzang 3MT x16restant EIA op 200ha in finale proses. Reg vir indiening van finale EIA. Plaas Vogelenzang 3MT x 16	Comments Noted and will form part of EIA
I&AP – Mr CP Ramunenyiwa	0733646617	Social responsibility of the project to the community and SME's of Musina	Comment notes Social Impact assessment to be done as part of the EIA
I&AP – Mr MF Phiri	0724969847	Employment and economic growth possibility for the local communities	Comments Noted
&AP – Mr RB Masuhuke	0829507776	Social Impact	Comment notes Social Impact assessment to be done as part of the EIA
I&AP – Mr P Dhliwayo	0730681166	Social Impact	Comment notes Social Impact assessment to be done as part of the EIA
Maremani Nature Reserve – Mr R Botha Manager	0846529879	Nature reserve with the main aim to restore previously developed farming areas back to their natural state. Power lines will be in contradiction with the aim of the reserve	Comments noted to be included in the EIA studies
Land Owner – Mr J Wolvaart – Various farms including Dorethy, Vebaard	0828523065	Impact on hunting and tourism as well as farming activities on farms	Comments Noted

<p>COXWELL, STEYN, VISE & NAUDE Attorneys for the Land Owner - Mount Stuart Boerdery (Edens) Bpktghe farm Mentz,</p>	<p>TEL NO: (015) 516 0116/7</p>	<p>See attached letter - Objection to the proposed construction of the following bases:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bush clearance to place the power line through the middle of the 821ha farm • The farm is mainly utilised for hunting, tourism and the breeding of rare game i.e. Black Springbok • The power line will destroy the main utilisation of the farm as well as 12 employment opportunities • The farm has been in the family of the current landowner since 1917 and the power lines will destroy 97years of farming operations • There is a unique accumulation of Motopi trees on the farm which will be destroyed if the power lines go through the farm <p>The owner suggests that the new proposed lines be constructed where there are already current power lines such as the Caborra Bassa power lines. This will ensure that there is no negative impact on the current utilisation activities on the farm.</p> <p>The land owner keeps the right to further raising issues as and when they arise throughout the process.</p>	<p>Comments Noted</p>
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<p>Land Owner – Mr C H Nel – Various farms including Waterkloof, Vebaard, Cromer, Elsabat, Pangbourn</p>	<p>0828760731</p>	<p>No mention is made of Game Farming or Wildlife Ranching as a land use in the area and this entails over 70% of the area and still expanding. There are existing and planned specialized game breeding farms. This is not mentioned as a land use and must be taken into account in the EIA. The specialist studies indicated for the EIA includes agricultural potential studies, but wildlife ranching and game farming required a separate specialist study and this does not fall within the context of agricultural potential.</p> <p>There is a requirement for a full economic assessment on all the corridors as to which corridor will have the biggest negative economic impact (cost) and which will add the greatest economic advantages?</p> <p>No clear indication of the existing tourist activities, including overnight and eco /hunting accommodation (Camps), within the area are indicated in the report.</p> <p>The impact of the power lines on hunting and eco-tourism activities must be investigated, not only when construction is finalized but also during construction. No construction, for obvious reasons, can take place in the hunting season which is April to October each year. This must also be taken onto account with maintenance of the line as no maintenance can take place in the hunting season.</p> <p>The decrease in value of the land as well as the threat to the existence and value of the entities operating as running concerns regarding these types of activities are in the light of the above mentioned points also of grave concern to all involved from landowners and investors to farm workers etc. This is regarding current and planned future activities of the nature as mentioned above.</p> <p>Please see that these concerns are properly addressed and taken into consideration as soon as possible in a relevant EIA report and/or any others as may require</p>	<p>Thank you for your comments and it is much appreciated and the suggestion are taken into account for the EIA</p>
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<p>Mount Stuart Boerdery (Edens) Bpk</p>	<p>Mr C Voster - 0828157715</p>	<p>1. Ons klient se plaas is groot, 821 hektaar. U is van voornemens om by die 55 hektaar van gemelde grond te ontbos, ten einde die kraglyne deur feitlik die middel van die plaas op te rig.</p> <p>2. Die plaas word hoofsaaklik gebruik vir die jag van wild, die bevordering van toerisme en inkomstegenererende toerisme sowel as die teel van eksotiese wild ander as swart rooibokke 3. Indien die konstruksie van die kraglyne sou plaas vind, sal die totale hoofdoel van besigheid op die plaas vernietig word en wegval wat korttermyn, medium- en langtermyn welvaart vernietig sowel 12 werksgeleenthede.</p> <p>4. Ons klient besit gemelde grond reeds binne die families sedert 1917 en word 'n streep deur al die hoofdoel besighede getrek wat 97 jaar se besigheids doelwitte vernietig.</p> <p>5. Unieke versameling van Matopi borne sal in die proses vernietig word wat onvervangbaar is en sal die natuur onherstelbaar vernietig word deur die oprigting van die kraglyne en die ontbossing van die bosse.</p> <p>Ons klient wil voorstel dat die kraglyne opgerig word waar die reeds bestaande Kaborra Bassa dam kraglyne opgerig is, ten einde 'n beperkte impak op boerdery, die wildsbedryf, toerisme, jagbedryf en skep van werksgeleenthede in te hou.</p> <p>Dit word verder bevestig dat ons klient sy regte ten voile voorbehou om meer volledig die besware te formuleer soos en wanneer vereis en dat hierdie maar net 'n gedeelte van die besware is.</p>	
<p>Limpopo Department of Economic Development, Environment and Tourism</p>	<p>MJ Mahlatji - 0152907154</p>	<p>Page 20 of the Draft Scoping Report indicates the relevant legal framework applicable to the proposed project, Department urge that Occupational Health and Safety Act (Act no 85 of 1993) should have been included and considered as applicable to the project</p> <p>All land owners comments and concerns in all the affected properties must be addressed satisfactorily</p>	<p>Thank you for your comments and it is much appreciated and the suggestion are taken into account for the EIA.</p>

