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### DETAILS OF SPECIALIST AND DECLARATION OF INTEREST

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Application for authorisation in terms of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998), as amended and the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations, 2010

### PROJECT TITLE

Proposed Aberdeen 200 MW Wind Farm in the Eastern Cape Province

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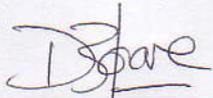
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4.2 The specialist appointed in terms of the Regulations \_

I, David Hoare, declare that --

General declaration:

- I act as the independent specialist in this application
- I will perform the work relating to the application in an objective manner, even if this results in views and findings that are not favourable to the applicant
- I declare that there are no circumstances that may compromise my objectivity in performing such work;
- I have expertise in conducting the specialist report relevant to this application, including knowledge of the Act, regulations and any guidelines that have relevance to the proposed activity;
- I will comply with the Act, regulations and all other applicable legislation;
- I have no, and will not engage in, conflicting interests in the undertaking of the activity;
- I undertake to disclose to the applicant and the competent authority all material information in my possession that reasonably has or may have the potential of influencing - any decision to be taken with respect to the application by the competent authority; and - the objectivity of any report, plan or document to be prepared by myself for submission to the competent authority;
- all the particulars furnished by me in this form are true and correct; and
- I realise that a false declaration is an offence in terms of Regulation 71 and is punishable in terms of section 24F of the Act.



Signature of the specialist:

David Hoare Consulting cc

Name of company (if applicable):

19 July 2011

Date:



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I, Laurens Du Plessis, declare that --

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Signature of the specialist:

MetroGas

Name of company (if applicable):

05 July 2011

Date:

Endangered Wildlife Trust (EWT)  
Private Bag X 11  
Modderfontein  
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22 June 2011

**Attention:** Jon Smallie

Dear Jon,

**LETTER OF APPOINTMENT**

**SPECIALIST INPUT FOR THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT AND  
ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME FOR THE PROPOSED  
ABERDEEN 200MW WIND FARM IN THE EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE**

Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd has been appointed by Eskom to undertake an Environmental Impact Assessment Process and compile an Environmental Management Programme (EMP) for the proposed Aberdeen 200 MW Wind Farm in the Eastern Cape Province. As previously agreed, The Endangered Wildlife Trust (EWT) will provide specialist consulting services for the project. This letter serves to confirm the appointment of EWT and sets out the conditions of appointment.

**Professional Fees and Associated Arrangements**

- 1.1 A maximum value of **R35 860.00** (including disbursements and excluding VAT) has been budgeted for EWT's specialist input to conduct a avifauna study. The budget and the scope of work are set out in Appendix A. The total budget cannot be exceeded without prior agreement and written consent from Savannah Environmental.
- 1.2 EWT will be reimbursed on a time and cost basis. Invoices must be detailed and specify the nature of services rendered, time spent, rate per hour and expenses incurred. Where possible, copies of receipts for disbursements should be forwarded together with the invoice in order to facilitate payment.
- 1.3 Invoices must reflect Savannah Environmental's VAT registration number (4780226736).

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VAT REGISTRATION NO.: 4780226736



- 1.4 Invoices must be submitted to Savannah Environmental by the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month to ensure inclusion on the monthly invoice to the Client. Savannah Environmental will reimburse EWT within 21 days of receipt of payment from the Client.
- 1.5 No payments will be made if this letter of appointment has not been signed and returned to Savannah Environmental. Please note that payment will only be made on deliverables deemed to be complete and acceptable by Savannah Environmental and the Client.
- 1.6 No advance payment or mobilisation fee will be paid, unless by previous agreement with Savannah Environmental and the Client.
- 1.7 During the performance of its duties in terms of this Agreement, EWT shall provide its own resources.
- 1.8 Deadline dates for deliverables must be strictly adhered to. The deadlines for specialist input at various stages of the project are outlined in Appendix A. Deadlines outlined within this Letter of Appointment remain fixed unless otherwise indicated in writing from the project manager. Failure to meet deadlines as a result of EWT's negligence may result in a penalty being imposed. As Savannah Environmental will be subject to financial penalty on late deliverables to the client, a penalty of 5% of this contract value per day per delay will be imposed should deliverables arrive after a stated deadline (unless otherwise agreed in writing with the project manager).
- 1.9 EWT is required to submit all input in electronic copy (i.e. MS Word) in the style as denoted in the style guide, attached as Appendix B. It is a condition of appointment that the style guide be adhered to. Strict adherence to the style guide is required as several documents will be required to be integrated during the final report compilation. Should reports not be provided in the required formats, these will not be accepted and will be returned.
- 1.10 Should EWT not be able to deliver the services required, Savannah Environmental shall provide (or arrange for an alternative specialist consultant to provide) the services in which case the above-mentioned division of work performed will be adjusted accordingly and confirmed in writing.
- 1.11 The tasks of this project for which your firm is responsible must be covered by EWT's own professional indemnity (PI) cover, and EWT will bear the cost of any excess. Sub-consultants will not be covered by Savannah Environmental's PI insurance.
- 1.12 EWT will be required to be covered by EWT's own Compensation for Injury insurance. Savannah Environmental's insurance will not cover sub-consultants.

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**2 Other Contractual Items**

- 2.1 It is hereby unconditionally agreed that in the event of EWT making themselves guilty of any deed of insolvency or dereliction of their obligations to the client or to Savannah Environmental, as defined in any statute or in common law, it will result in Savannah Environmental continuing with the entire duties attached to the appointment, as if singly appointed, and will have no claim or right to fees earned after the date of the deed of insolvency or dereliction or any other claim against Savannah Environmental continuing with the appointment.
- 2.2 EWT may not, without prior written approval from Savannah Environmental and the Client, engage or sub-contract a third party or parties to perform the services to be performed by the consultant.
- 2.3 Specialist studies must conform to the requirements of Section 32 of the EIA Regulations in terms of the National Environmental Management Act (NEMA; Act No 107 of 1998) published in Government Notice R543 of 2010. The control sheet included in Section 1 of Appendix A must be completed and returned with each deliverable.
- 2.4 The parties hereto respectively choose domicilium citandi et executandi for all purposes of and in connection with the agreement as follows:

Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd  
Unit 606, 1410 Eglin Office Park  
4 Eglin Road  
Sunninghill  
2157

and

EWT

~~The Gold Fields Environment Centre~~  
~~Johannesburg Zoological Gardens~~  
~~Erlsworld Way~~  
~~Parkview~~

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Building K2  
Pinelands Office Park  
Ardeer Road  
Modderfontein 1609

Any of the parties hereto shall be entitled to change its domicilium from time to time, provided that any such change shall only be effective upon receipt of notice in writing by the other party of such change.

All notices, demands or communications intended for any party, shall be made or given at such party's domicilium for the time being by prepaid registered post, telefax,

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e-mail or hand delivery, and, if forwarded by prepaid registered post, shall be deemed to have been made or given 5 (five) days after the date of posting, if given by telefax/e-mail shall be deemed to have been given on the date of transmission of such telefax/e-mail, and if delivered by hand shall be deemed to have been made or given on the date of delivery.

2.5 This agreement is the sole agreement between Savannah Environmental and EWT hereto relative to the subject matter hereof, and no variation, modification or waiver of any provisions of this agreement, or consent to any departure there from shall in any event be of any force or effect unless confirmed in writing and signed by the parties, and then such variation, modification, waiver or consent shall be effective only in the specific instance and for the purpose and to the extent for which made or given.

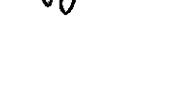
2.6 The expiry or termination of this agreement shall not prejudice the rights of any party in respect of any antecedent breach or non-performance by any other party of any of the terms and conditions hereof.

2.7 This agreement shall continue to have full force and effect until confirmation has been received from the Client that the services have been completed, except as stipulated.

2.8 No amendment, alteration, cancellation, variation of or addition to this Agreement shall be of any force or effect unless reduced to writing and signed by the parties or their duly authorised representatives.

2.9 This agreement is executed for and on behalf of:

(i) Savannah Environmental by Jo-Anne Thomas in her capacity as Director, she being duly authorised thereto.

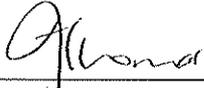
(ii) EWT by Mandy Poole  in his/her capacity as Chief Operations Officer   
he/she being duly authorised thereto.

2.10 All communication with the Client is to be routed through Savannah Environmental unless otherwise advised. All documentation is to be submitted under your firm's name, in association with Savannah Environmental. Your attention is drawn to the Copyright Act which states that work commissioned by another party is the property of the party commissioning the work. This means that all documents remain the property of Savannah Environmental or the Client, dependent upon the agreement between these two parties, and may be used in whichever way they see fit in the context of the project to which this agreement applies. In signing this document you hereby agree that copyright in all work commissioned by and done on behalf of Savannah Environmental shall vest in Savannah Environmental.



Please return a signed copy of this letter of appointment to us as an indication of your acceptance of the above conditions relating to your appointment.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED by Jo-Anne Thomas of Savannah Environmental at Sunninghill on this 22 June 2011, in the presence of the undersigned witnesses.



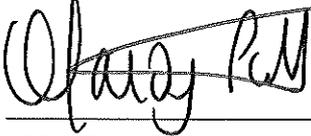
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AS WITNESSES:

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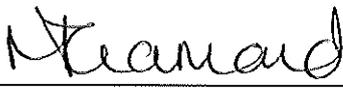
2.  \_\_\_\_\_

THUS DONE AND SIGNED by MANDY POOLE of EWT at Mudderfontein on this 14<sup>th</sup> day of July 2011, in the presence of the undersigned witnesses.



SIGNATURE

AS WITNESSES:

1.  \_\_\_\_\_

2.  \_\_\_\_\_

**APPENDIX A:  
REPORTING, BUDGET &  
DELIVERABLE DEADLINES**

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## 1. CONTROL SHEET FOR SPECIALIST REPORTS

Specialist studies must conform to the requirements of Section 32 of the EIA Regulations in terms of the National Environmental Management Act (NEMA; Act No 107 of 1998) published in Government Notice R543 of 2010. The following control sheet must be completed and returned with each deliverable.

Activity	Yes	No	Comment
Details of:			
(i) the person who prepared the report; and			
(ii) the expertise of that person to carry out the specialist study or specialised process			
A declaration that the person is independent in a form as may be specified by the competent authority			
An indication of the scope of, and the purpose for which, the report was prepared			
A description of the methodology adopted in preparing the report or carrying out the specialised process			
A description of any assumptions made and any uncertainties or gaps in knowledge			
A description of the findings & potential implications of such findings on the impact of the proposed activity, including identified alternatives, on the environment			
Recommendations in respect of any mitigation measures that should be considered by the applicant & the competent authority			
A description of any consultation process that was undertaken during the course of carrying out the study			
A summary and copies of any comments that were received during any consultation process			
Any other information requested by the competent authority			

## 2. REPORT FORMAT

### **Scoping Report**

A scoping study of the identified alternatives for all components of the project must be undertaken. The scoping report must include:

- » a description of the environment that may be affected by the activity and the manner in which the environment may be affected by the proposed project

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- » a description and evaluation of environmental issues and potential impacts (including direct, indirect and cumulative impacts) that have been identified
- » Direct, indirect and cumulative impacts of the identified issues must be evaluated within the Scoping Report in terms of the following criteria:
  - \* the *nature*, which shall include a description of what causes the effect, what will be affected and how it will be affected;
  - \* the *extent*, wherein it will be indicated whether the impact will be local (limited to the immediate area or site of development), regional, national or international
- » a statement regarding the potential significance of the identified issues based on the evaluation of the issues/impacts
- » a comparative evaluation of the identified feasible alternatives, and nomination of a preferred alternative for consideration in the EIA phase
- » identification of potentially significant impacts to be assessed within the EIA phase and details of the methodology to be adopted in assessing these impacts. This should be detailed enough to include within the Plan of Study for EIA and must include a description of the proposed method of assessing the potential environmental impacts associated with the project.

### ***Environmental Impact Assessment Report***

The EIA report must include:

- » an indication of the methodology used in determining the significance of potential environmental impacts
- » a description of all environmental issues that were identified during the environmental impact assessment process
- » an assessment of the significance of direct, indirect and cumulative impacts in terms of the following criteria:
  - \* the *nature* of the impact, which shall include a description of what causes the effect, what will be affected and how it will be affected
  - \* the *extent* of the impact, indicating whether the impact will be local (limited to the immediate area or site of development), regional, national or international
  - \* the *duration* of the impact, indicating whether the lifetime of the impact will be of a short-term duration (0–5 years), medium-term (5–15 years), long-term (> 15 years, where the impact will cease after the operational life of the activity) or permanent
  - \* the *probability* of the impact, describing the likelihood of the impact actually occurring, indicated as improbable (low likelihood), probable (distinct possibility), highly probable (most likely), or definite (impact will occur regardless of any preventative measures)

- \* the *severity/beneficial scale*, indicating whether the impact will be very severe/beneficial (a permanent change which cannot be mitigated/permanent and significant benefit, with no real alternative to achieving this benefit), severe/beneficial (long-term impact that could be mitigated/long-term benefit), moderately severe/beneficial (medium- to long-term impact that could be mitigated/ medium- to long-term benefit), slight or have no effect
- \* the *significance*, which shall be determined through a synthesis of the characteristics described above and can be assessed as low, medium or high
- \* the *status*, which will be described as either positive, negative or neutral
- \* the *degree* to which the impact can be reversed
- \* the *degree* to which the impact may cause irreplaceable loss of resources
- \* the *degree* to which the impact can be *mitigated*
- » a description and comparative assessment of all alternatives identified during the environmental impact assessment process
- » recommendations regarding practical mitigation measures for potentially significant impacts, *for inclusion in the Environmental Management Plan (EMP)*
- » an indication of the extent to which the issue could be addressed by the adoption of mitigation measures
- » a description of any assumptions, uncertainties and gaps in knowledge
- » an environmental impact statement which contains:
  - \* a summary of the key findings of the environmental impact assessment;
  - \* an assessment of the positive and negative implications of the proposed activity (one alternative only in EIA phase);
  - \* a comparative assessment of the positive and negative implications of identified alternatives

### **Assessment of Impacts**

Direct, indirect and cumulative impacts of the issues identified through the scoping study, as well as all other issues identified in the EIA phase must be assessed in terms of the following criteria:

- » The **nature**, which shall include a description of what causes the effect, what will be affected and how it will be affected.
- » The **extent**, wherein it will be indicated whether the impact will be local (limited to the immediate area or site of development) or regional, and a value between 1 and 5 will be assigned as appropriate (with 1 being low and 5 being high):
- » The **duration**, wherein it will be indicated whether:
  - \* the lifetime of the impact will be of a very short duration (0-1 years) – assigned a score of 1;

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- \* the lifetime of the impact will be of a short duration (2-5 years) - assigned a score of 2;
  - \* medium-term (5-15 years) – assigned a score of 3;
  - \* long term (> 15 years) - assigned a score of 4; or
  - \* permanent - assigned a score of 5;
- » The **magnitude**, quantified on a scale from 0-10, where 0 is small and will have no effect on the environment, 2 is minor and will not result in an impact on processes, 4 is low and will cause a slight impact on processes, 6 is moderate and will result in processes continuing but in a modified way, 8 is high (processes are altered to the extent that they temporarily cease), and 10 is very high and results in complete destruction of patterns and permanent cessation of processes.
  - » The **probability of occurrence**, which shall describe the likelihood of the impact actually occurring. Probability will be estimated on a scale of 1-5, where 1 is very improbable (probably will not happen), 2 is improbable (some possibility, but low likelihood), 3 is probable (distinct possibility), 4 is highly probable (most likely) and 5 is definite (impact will occur regardless of any prevention measures).
  - » the **significance**, which shall be determined through a synthesis of the characteristics described above and can be assessed as low, medium or high; and
  - » the **status**, which will be described as either positive, negative or neutral.
  - » the degree to which the impact can be reversed.
  - » the degree to which the impact may cause irreplaceable loss of resources.
  - » the *degree* to which the impact can be *mitigated*.

The **significance** is calculated by combining the criteria in the following formula:

$$S=(E+D+M)P$$

S = Significance weighting

E = Extent

D = Duration

M = Magnitude

P = Probability

The **significance weightings** for each potential impact are as follows:

- » < 30 points: Low (i.e. where this impact would not have a direct influence on the decision to develop in the area),
- » 30-60 points: Medium (i.e. where the impact could influence the decision to develop in the area unless it is effectively mitigated),

- » > 60 points: High (i.e. where the impact must have an influence on the decision process to develop in the area).

Assessment of Impacts must be summarised in the following table format. The rating values as per the above criteria must also be included.

**Example of Impact table summarising the significance of impacts (with and without mitigation)**

<b>Nature:</b>		
	<b>Without mitigation</b>	<b>With mitigation</b>
<b>Extent</b>	High (3)	Low (1)
<b>Duration</b>	Medium-term (3)	Medium-term (3)
<b>Magnitude</b>	Moderate (6)	Low (4)
<b>Probability</b>	Probable (3)	Probable (3)
<b>Significance</b>	<b>36 (Medium)</b>	<b>24 (Low)</b>
<b>Status (positive or negative)</b>	Negative	Negative
<b>Reversibility</b>	Low	Low
<b>Irreplaceable loss of resources?</b>	Yes	Yes
<b>Can impacts be mitigated?</b>	Yes	
<b>Mitigation:</b> Mitigation Measures		
<b>Cumulative impacts:</b> Cumulative Impacts		
<b>Residual Impacts:</b> Residual Impacts		

Measures for inclusion in the draft Environmental Management Plan must be laid out as detailed below:

**OBJECTIVE:** Description of the objective, which is necessary in order to meet the overall goals; these take into account the findings of the environmental impact assessment specialist studies

<b>Project component/s</b>	List of project components affecting the objective
<b>Potential Impact</b>	Brief description of potential environmental impact if objective is not met
<b>Activity/risk source</b>	Description of activities which could impact on achieving objective
<b>Mitigation: Target/Objective</b>	Description of the target; include quantitative measures and/or dates of completion

Mitigation: Action/control	Responsibility	Timeframe
List specific action(s) required to meet the mitigation target/objective described above	Who is responsible for the measures	Time periods for implementation of measures

<b>Performance Indicator</b>	Description of key indicator(s) that track progress/indicate the effectiveness of the management plan.
<b>Monitoring</b>	Mechanisms for monitoring compliance; the key monitoring actions required to check whether the objectives are being achieved, taking into consideration responsibility, frequency, methods and reporting

### 3. DELIVERABLE DEADLINES

#### Key dates for specialist input:

- » Submission of a draft Scoping Report to Savannah Environmental – ~~24~~ July 2011.

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### 4. BUDGET

A total budget of **R35 860.00** (Including disbursements, but excluding VAT) has been allowed for EWT's specialist input for the proposed Project

Disbursements include travel, accommodation, subsistence and miscellaneous disbursements associated with undertaking the required specialist studies. Where possible, receipts for disbursements should be forwarded together with the invoice in order to facilitate payment.

**APPENDIX B:  
STYLE GUIDE**

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Please adhere to **ALL** of the following guidelines for report writing.

Type-set specifications:

**1. HEADING** (Verdana, Bold, 10 point, all caps)

Enter once after the heading. The body of the document must be in Verdana point size 10, with 1,3 line spacing. The text must be aligned with the left margin and justified to fit the full page. When typing, two spaces must be left after a full stop; and 1 space must be left after a comma.

**1.1. Sub-heading** (Verdana, Bold, 10 point)

**1.1.1. Sub-sub-heading** (Verdana, Bold, Italic, 10 point)

All margins, tabs, etc are as default for MS Word. Please do not automatically generate a Table of Contents, or add any headers, footers etc, as the document will be integrated with other documents. The headings must be manually-typed rather than automatically numbered.

Numbering should only go up to a sub-sub heading. Thereafter bullets should be used.

Bullets must be as follows:

- » 1<sup>st</sup> bullet (tabs: bullet position - indent at 0 cm; text position - tabs space after at 0,68 cm; indent at 0,68 cm)
  - \* 2<sup>nd</sup> bullet (tabs: bullet position - indent at 0,68 cm; text position - tabs space after at 1,5 cm; indent at 1,5 cm)

Type-set in bullets must be Verdana, point size 10, with 1,3 spacing.

**TABLES**

Tables must be auto-formatted as Grid 5. Font must be Verdana, point size 9, with 1,3 line spacing.

**REFERENCES**

A comprehensive reference list must be included at the end of the document and not as footers within the main body of the report. In the body of the report, references to be cited as, for example, (Acocks, 1988). In the reference list, the reference should be as follows:

ACOCKS, J.P.H. (1988). *Veld Types of South Africa, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition*. Botanical Research Institute, South Africa.

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- I undertake to disclose to the applicant and the competent authority all material information in my possession that reasonably has or may have the potential of influencing - any decision to be taken with respect to the application by the competent authority; and - the objectivity of any report, plan or document to be prepared by myself for submission to the competent authority;
- all the particulars furnished by me in this form are true and correct; and
- I realise that a false declaration is an offence in terms of Regulation 71 and is punishable in terms of section 24F of the Act.



Signature of the specialist:

**M2 Environmental Connections**

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### DETAILS OF SPECIALIST AND DECLARATION OF INTEREST

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4.2 The specialist appointed in terms of the Regulations\_

I, **CelesteBooth**..... , declare that --

General declaration:

- I act as the independent specialist in this application
- I will perform the work relating to the application in an objective manner, even if this results in views and findings that are not favourable to the applicant
- I declare that there are no circumstances that may compromise my objectivity in performing such work;
- I have expertise in conducting the specialist report relevant to this application, including knowledge of the Act, regulations and any guidelines that have relevance to the proposed activity;
- I will comply with the Act, regulations and all other applicable legislation;
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