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Department of Environmental Affairs
Integrated Environmental Authorisation (Integrated Permitting System)
473 Steve Biko Road
Arcadia
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Attention: Masina Litsoane

Dear Masina

PROPOSED EXPANSION OF ASH DISPOSAL FACILITY AT KRIEL POWER STATION, MPUMALANGA:

SCOPING REPORT FOR DECISION

DEA Ref. No.: 14/12/16/3/3/3/217

This letter has reference to the proposed expansion of the ash disposal facility at Kriel Power Station, Mpumalanga, the pre-application meeting held with the Department of Environmental Affairs (DEA) in Pretoria on 21 September 2016 and comments received on 19 December 2016.

Please find attached herewith:

- Two hard copies of the Scoping Report; and
- Two electronic copies of the Scoping Report for DEA decision making purposes.

Cognisance has been taken of the comments received from DEA on 19 December 2016. The Scoping Report has been updated to reflect the required changes and a response is provided to all comments in the comment response report, Annexure E.2 of the Scoping Report.

As requested an amended application with original signatures will be submitted to DEA soonest.

We trust you find this in order, please contact the undersigned if you have any queries.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Franci Gresse".

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