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Dear Ms Mashiteng

ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE PROPOSED NEW DEDISA SUBSTATION AND THE DEDISA – GRASSRIDGE 400KV TRANSMISSION POWER LINE IN THE COEGA INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT ZONE, NEAR PORT ELIZABETH

With reference to the Environmental Management Plan (EMP) dated August 2007, submitted to this department regarding the above-mentioned project. You have submitted this document in order to comply with the requirements of the conditions of the Record of Decision.

The Department has evaluated the submitted EMP and is satisfied that the EMP covers all the environmental aspects of the construction process to be implemented during the construction of the new substation and power line. The EMP is hereby accepted for implementation. Eskom is hereby reminded that the EMP is a living document, which can be amended when required, to address aspects not previously covered. However, Eskom should submit any amendments to the Department for acceptance before implementation.

Please be reminded that the approved EMP forms part of the conditions of the Record of Decision to be implemented during the construction process.

Yours sincerely

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