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Dear Stakeholder

ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION: CONSTRUCTION OF 400 KV POWER LINES FOR THE BRAVO INTEGRATION PROJECT (REF NRS: 12/12/20/1095, 12/12/20/1096, 12/12/20/1097)

- A 400kV power line from Bravo (Kusile) Power Station to Lulamisa Substation (Bravo 3)
- Two 400kV power lines between Kendal Power Station and Zeus Substation (Bravo 4)
- A 400kV by-pass power line, to by-pass Duvha Power Station to form the new Bravo-Vulcan power line (Bravo 5)

Thank you for your interest and participation in the projects.

Notice is hereby given to inform all Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) that the National Department of Environmental Affairs (DEA) has granted authorisation for the aforementioned projects on 8 October 2009.

Please refer to the attached Environmental Authorisations (three separate authorisations) issued by the DEA, reference numbers: (12/12/20/1095, 12/12/20/1096, 12/12/20/1097).

In terms of Chapter 7 of Regulation 385 of 2006, stakeholders may lodge an appeal against any decision by the DEAT.

Any party wishing to appeal any aspect of the decision must lodge a Notice of Intent to Appeal with the Minister of Environmental Affairs and Tourism, within ten days of receiving this notice on the decision.

Such a submission can be made by any of the following methods: Facsimile – (012) 310 7561, Post - Private Bag X447, Pretoria, 0001 or by Hand - 2nd Floor, Fedsure Forum Building, North Tower, corner of Van der Walt and Pretorius Streets, Pretoria.

Following the submission of the Notice of Intent to Appeal, the appellant has 30 days in which to submit the full appeal and its supporting documentation.

The full appeal can be submitted through an official appeal form, which can be obtained from Mr PKM Retief, Appeals Administrator, Tel 012 310 3705, pretief@deat.gov.za, or Mr H Grove, Appeals Administrator, Tel 012 320 3070, hgrove@deat.gov.za.

The appellant should also submit both the Notice of Intent to Appeal and the full appeal to Ms Anelle Odendaal on Tel: 011 254 4855, Fax 011 805 2100 or email: aodendaal@zitholele.co.za at Zitholele Consulting as per the Appeals procedure.

The letters of authorisation (Environmental Authorisations) from the DEAT with the reasons for and conditions of the decision, as well as the appeal process is attached to this letter for your perusal. The letter is also published on www.zitholele.co.za – click on public review documents (right corner) on Bravo Integration Project.

Yours faithfully

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Anelle Odendaal

