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## APPLICATION AND PLAN OF STUDY FOR SCOPING - GAMMA RIDGE 765KV TRANSMISSION POWER LINES

The above-mentioned documents dated 14 and 24 April 2006 respectively, refer.

This letter serves to inform you that the Directorate: Integrated Environmental Management (Region A) ("this Directorate") has accepted the abovementioned documents, subject to the following:

- The applicant must ensure that all the adjacent landowners, residents registered as l&APs, and neighbouring communities have reasonable access to the public day meeting or alternatively provide transport, should some of these interested and affected parties not have reasonable access to the meeting venue;
- Please ensure that any advertisements meet the requirements of this Directorate's Guideline on Public Participation (September 2001), prior to publication thereof in the newspapers; and

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3. Consideration should also be given to the relevant policy guidelines and forward planning documents, including amongst others the Western Cape Provincial Spatial Development Framework (PSDF), Growth Potential of Towns in the Western Cape and Provincial Urban Edge Guideline.

You must now proceed with the scoping report as prescribed by Regulation 6 of GN. R.1183 of 5 September 1997, as amended. Furthermore, a site visit at your earliest convenience is requested. The Director reserves the right to revise initial comments and request further information from you based on the revised information received.

For your further attention.

Yours faithfully

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