ANNEXURE 1 FORMS

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REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA ENVIRONMENTAL

MANAGEMENT ACT, 2007

(Section32)

APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE

MINISTRY OF MINES





PARTA: DETAILS OF APPLICANT

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2. Details of the activity(s) covered by the environmental clearance certificate:

The ECC covers the proposed exploration activities covering the following project programs:

- (a) Soil and geochemical sampling
- (b) Geophysical surveys and Drilling
- (c) Pitting, trenching and excavations
- (d) Rehabilitation, environmental monitoring
- (e) Site closure

[Note: Please attach plans to show the location and scope of the designated activity(s), and use additional sheets if necessary:

Attached are the EMP and EIA reports with annex for the proposed minerals exploration on Exclusive prospecting licence (EPL 8749) in Karibib District, Erongo Region.

Title of the Activity: Mineral exploration on Exclusive prospecting licence (EPL 8749) in Karibib District, Erongo Region

Nature of the activity: Xinfeng Investment (Pty) Ltd (the proponent) proposes to undertake exploration activities on Exclusive Prospecting License (EPL 8749) for base and rare metals, dimension stone, industrial minerals and precious metals. The proposed exploration activities include desktop studies, geophysical surveys, geochemical survey, geological mapping, trenching, drilling and geochemical sampling as well as laboratory analysis aimed discovering mineral resources of economic interest. The EPL extends over Farms: Etusis 75, Goas 79, Neikhoes 74, Habis 71, Neu Schwaben 148, Neu Schwaben 148 Portion No. 1, Okongogava-ost 72, Gamikaub 78, Nuwerus 147 Nuwerus 147 Portion No. 1 Nuwerus 147 Portion No. 2 Kubas 77 Nordenburg 76 Portion No. 1 Nordenburg 76 Portion No. 5 Dostrivier 15 Portion No. 1 Dostrivier 15 Portion No. 2 Dostrivier 15 Portion No. 3.

Location of the activity: Karibib District, Erongo region, Namibia.

Scale and scope of the activity: Small to medium scale and scope of the project covers: the proposed exploration activities, supporting infrastructures, decommissioning, closure and rehabilitation.

Exploration

- 1. Initial stages will involve site clearing paving of access roads, upgrading of existing access roads
- 2. This is the phase where the proponent will be carrying out exploration of target minerals
- 3. Exploration will involve: Geochemical sampling and analysis, Geophysical surveys, Drilling, Trenching and pitting.

Environmental monitoring phase

- 1. The phase when mitigation measures are implemented, and the monitoring plan put in place
- 2. runs concurrently with the exploration and decommissioning.

Decommissioning, site closure and rehabilitation

- 1. This is the phase when exploration activities cease as a result of either poor exploration results or loss of market demand for the targeted commodity.
- 2. Rehabilitation measures will have to put in place during exploration and before decommissioning.
- 3. The main aim of rehabilitation is the returning disturbed environment close to its pre exploration state.
- 4. It involves Remediation of Contaminated Areas, Waste Management, plugging of Boreholes Land reclamation as well as restoration of access roads

PARTC: DECLARATION BYAPPLICANT

I hereby certify that the particulars given above are correct and true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand the environmental clearance certificate may be suspended or cancelled if any information given above is false, misleading or incomplete.

Malakenda	Nangula Ndakunda	Environmental Assessment Practitioner
Signature of Applicant	Full name in block letters	Position
On behalf of <u>E N Shikomba</u>		./06/2022