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## Environmental Impact Assessment & Public Participation Process

### Proposed Namibia Satellite Data Direct Receiving Ground Station

Notice is hereby given to interested and affected parties that an application will be made to the Environmental Commissioner in accordance with the Environmental Management Act (No. 7 of 2012) and the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations (Government Notice No. 4878 of 2012) as follows:

#### Project Title:

Proposed Namibia Satellite Data Direct Receiving Ground Station

#### Project Location:

Telecom Earth Station, Windhoek

#### Project Description:

To construct a Direct Ground Satellite Data Receiving Station at the Telecom's Earth Station

In Windhoek that will enable Namibia to obtain remote sensing satellite data for research on Namibia's land cover & use, atmospheric condition, environmental condition, resources distribution, among others.

#### Proponent:

Ministry of Higher Education, Training and Innovation (MHEIT)

#### Environmental Assessment Practitioner: University of Namibia (UNAM)

- All interested and affected parties are invited to register and submit their comments to the contacts below.
- The full Background Information Document (BID) is also available from the contacts below.
- The Public Meeting for stakeholder consultation will be communicated to the registered interested and affected parties.

#### Deadline for registration and submission of comments: 31 December 2019

To register and submit comments, or request for the BID document, please contact:

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high-profile corruption trials for two other former prime ministers, Ahmed Ouyaha and Abdelmalek Sellal. But even those verdicts did little to win over the protesters, who see the trials as little more than a high-level without Bouteflika" - Nampu/AFP

In 1962, the military high command, which long wielded power from the shadows, has been forced to take a more visible role and has pushed for the election as a way to resolve the political crisis. Demonstrators have also directed their ire at the powerful army chief Ahmed Gaid Salah, who has emerged as Algeria's de facto strongman. A previous poll set for July was scrapped for lack of viable

rigging. "This is a matter before the court," Kentse told AFP on Wednesday. "We want to allow the court to rule on the matter." "As the BDP we believe we won a mandate in a free and fair election," he added. Mohadi's affidavit was lodged as part of the UDC's petition on November 26, in which they are challenging the results of 16 constituencies won by the BDP. BDP lawyers are calling for the case to be dismissed on the basis of technicalities. "There is enough evidence to prove that these elections were rigged," said UDC spokesman Moeti Mhohasa in a statement on Tuesday. "The state of affairs is bad for our country," he added. Botswana, famed for its diamonds and wildlife, is hailed across Africa as a beacon of democracy and the BDP has ruled the southern African country since independence from Britain in 1966. But the party suffered a seismic jolt in May when former president Ian Khama renounced his hand-picked successor Masi and backed a new party.

The October polls were predicted to offset the divided BDP's hold on power and reduce its majority in parliament. Instead it secured a sweeping victory.

Botswana's election "was fraudulently rigged to favour the BDP," said a South Africa-based anti-corruption organisation, Forensics for Justice, in a report last week. -Nampu/AFP

of the five candidates to be considered "in the eyes of" Middle East and Africa director at risk company Verisk predicted that "the vote indicated that the vote

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