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Memorandum

Subject: EIA APPLICATION APP-001268 ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT (EIA) FOR THE TUMAS PROJECT AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE IN THE ERONGO REGION OF NAMIBIA

Submission of the final EIA report to the Ministry of Mines and Energy (MME) – Directorate of Mines

The EIA process for the proposed Tumas Project (and Associated infrastructure) has been completed and the final EIA Report and Environmental Management Plans (EMPs) and other relevant Appendices compiled.

The Final EIA report was submitted to the MME – Directorate of Mines (i.e. Competent Authority for the proposed activity) on the 5th of April 2023, for their review and consideration.

Once the MME – Directorate of Mines have completed their review, they will share the report as well as their recommendations with the Ministry of Environment, Forestry and Tourism (MEFT): Department of Environmental Affairs (i.e. office of the Environmental Commissioner) for their final review and decision regarding the application (MEFT Application number - APP-001268).

A "Consent Letter" can therefore not be uploaded by Namisun at this stage, due to the fact that the correspondence will take place between MME and MEFT, as per the above mentioned. The "Consent Letter" will be uploaded when it becomes available.