

April 2023

Memorandum

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

**Submission of the final EIA report and Archaeological Impact Assessment
to the National Heritage Council (NHC)**

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 with all Appendices was submitted to the Ministry of Environment, Forestry and Tourism (MEFT): Department of Environmental Affairs (DEA) as well as the relevant Competent Authorities for the proposed Project and associated activities and infrastructure on the 5th of April 2023, for review and consideration.

The relevant EIA Documents, including the “Archaeological Impact Assessment of the proposed Tumas Project and associated infrastructure”, the EIA Report and EMPs will be submitted to the NHC as part of the Application for their Consent.

Once the NHC have completed their review and issue their Consent, this will be shared with MEFT (DEA) (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. The “Consent Letter” will be uploaded when it becomes available.