# ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR PROPOSED REZONING OF ERF 90 IN OKONGO VILLAGE OHANGWENA REGION.

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## 7.Environmental management plan

This section of the scope aims to outline the identified potential impact associated with the project and their extent while proposing the mitigation measures to avoid and lessen the impacts.

ASPECT	POTENTIAL IMPACTS	RATING (If it does occur)				SIGNIFICANCE OF IMPACT	MITIGATION/ENHAN CEMENT MEASURES
		Extent	Duration	Intensity	Probability		
1.BIOPHYSICAL						I	
Impact biodiversity (positive)	No impact	1	1	1	1	Low	The site is already a buildup area
Visual impacts (positive)	• The existing building might pose visual impacts to the surrounding environment.	1	1	1	1	Low	The existing building is compatible with the surrounding environment.
Impact on the soil	No impact	1	1	1	1	Low	The site is already a buildup area
Contamination of surface water	Contamination of water sources during operation stemming from sewage	1	1	1	1	Low	• The site is connected to the Municipal sewage system

The roles and responsibilities are allocated to ensure the success of the implementation of the environmental management plan.

	erflows, poor waste anagement etc.					• No waste should be dumped in the open environment.
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Erosion and surface runoff	• Due to increase hard surface, the surface will become impermeable, thus increasing the surface runoff.	1	1	1	1	Low	<ul> <li>The site is not within a drainage line</li> <li>Provision has been made for stormwater drainage.</li> </ul>
Traffic impacts (positive)	• Operating the business at the site will increase traffic flow in the nearby street.	1	1	1	1	Low	• The existing access roads (street) is sufficient to accommodate new traffic flows.

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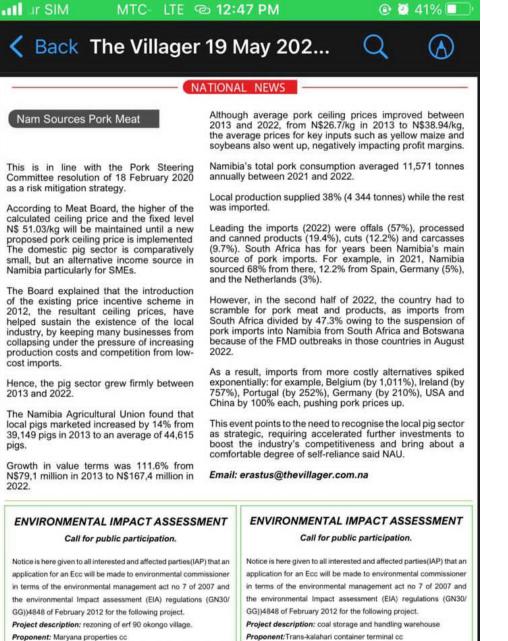
### 8. Public consultation

It is a norm that public consultation is required by legislation (EMA No. 7 of 2007) to be included in an EIA process, it is a major element of the EIA. By incorporating Interested and Affected Parties, public consultation ensures sound decision-making. As a result, the Public Participation Process has been constructed to give I&APs the opportunity to learn more about the proposed project, provide input through document/report reviews, and raise any issues of concern during the public consultation process.

Notification of the proposed activities were advertised in two local newspapers to consult the public as presented in Appendix, to identify and contact as many potential I&APs as possible. In addition, notices were also prepared to be displayed at the proposed project site. This allowed the community to participate in the process by submitting comments and expressing their worries about the project's operations as well as any environmental issues that the project may cause. No registered Interested and Affected Parties recorded and thus no comments or concerns were raised.

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Location: Gobabis

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### Nam Sources Pork Meat

This is in line with the Pork Steering Committee resolution of 18 February 2020 as a risk mitigation strategy.

According to Meat Board, the higher of the calculated ceiling price and the fixed level N\$ 51.03/kg will be maintained until a new proposed pork ceiling price is implemented The domestic pig sector is comparatively small, but an alternative income source in Namibia particularly for SMEs.

The Board explained that the introduction of the existing price incentive scheme in 2012, the resultant ceiling prices, have helped sustain the existence of the local industry, by keeping many businesses from collapsing under the pressure of increasing production costs and competition from lowcost imports.

Hence, the pig sector grew firmly between 2013 and 2022.

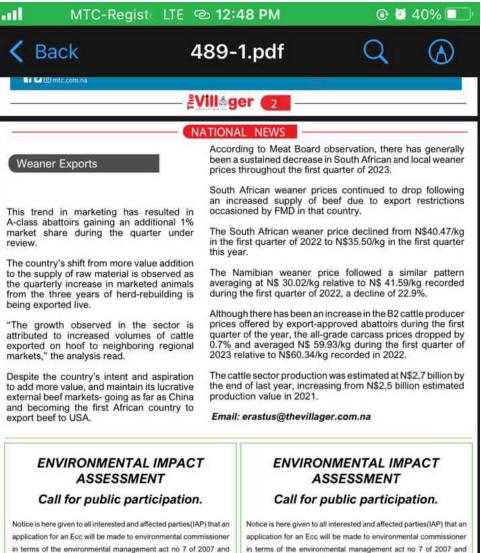
The Namibia Agricultural Union found that local pigs marketed increased by 14% from 39,149 pigs in 2013 to an average of 44,615 pigs.

Growth in value terms was 111.6% from N\$79,1 million in 2013 to N\$167,4 million in 2022.

#### ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT

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Project description: coal storage and handling warehouse

Proponent: Trans-kalahari container terminal cc.

Location: Gobabis

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### 9.Conclusion

The objective of the Scoping Phase was to define the range of the impact assessment and determine the need to conduct any specialist study. It is believed that these objectives have been achieved and adequately documented in the Scoping Report. All possible environment aspects have been adequately assessed and necessary control measures have been formulated to meet statutory requirements thus implementing this project will not have any appreciable negative impacts.

# **10.Assumptions and Conclusions:**

- The proposed rezoning will not compromise the environmental integrity of the surrounding environment.
- There are no objections or critical issues to the proposed activities.
- The findings of the Scoping Assessment are considered sufficient, and no additional specialist study is required.

It is therefore recommended that the Environmental Commissioner do consider the findings and recommendations of this Scoping process with mitigation measures as outlined herein and in the Environmental Management Plan and subsequently, consider issuing an Environmental Clearance Certificate to authorize the proposed Rezoning of 90 okongo village ohangwena region

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