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## OFFICE OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSIONER

Mr. Miguel Geraldes Managing Director P.O. Box 23051, Windhoek, 9000 Namibia

Dear Mr Geraldes

## SUBJECT: ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE FOR THE PROPOSED INSTALLATION OF TEMPORARY MTC TELECOMMUNICATION ANTENNAE ON EXISTING INFRASTRUCTURES THROUGHOUT NAMIBIA

The Environmental Scoping Report and Environmental Management Plan submitted are sufficient as it made provisions of the environmental management concerning the project's activities. From this perspective regular environmental monitoring and evaluations on environmental performance should be conducted. Targets for improvements should be established and monitored throughout this process.

This Ministry reserves the right to attach further legislative and regulatory conditions during the operational phase of the project. In addition, the Environmental clearance certificate is issued with the condition that: all applicable and required permits or consent from relevant affected stakeholders and authorities is obtained before any installations are done.

On the basis of the above, this letter serves as an environmental clearance for the proposed installation of temporary mobile telecommunication antennae on existing infrastructures throughout Namibia. However, this clearance letter does not in any way hold the Ministry of Environment and Tourism accountable for misleading information, nor any adverse effects that may arise from these activities. Instead, full accountability rests with MTC Namibia and its consultants.

This environmental clearance is valid for a period of 3 (three) years, effective from the date of issue unless withdrawn by this office.

Yours sincerely.

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