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OFFICE OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSIONER

The Managing Director GFG Slasto Supplies CC P O Box 40056 Ausspannplatz Windhoek Namibia

Dear Sir /Madam

SUBJECT: ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE FOR THE MINING OF DIMENSION STONES (ON MINING CLAIMS 70322, 70323 AND 70324) AT FARM BERGHOEK 506, REHOBOTH DISTRICT, HARDAP REGION

The Environmental Scoping Report and the Environmental Management Plan submitted are sufficient as these 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. From this perspective, I issue this clearance with the following condition: (a) relevant permitting authorities involved must be properly consulted and written consent obtained from them; (b) any key biodiversity must be protected; and (c) progressive rehabilitation of the site should be undertaken simultaneously with the mining operation.

On the basis of the above, this letter serves as an environmental clearance for the project to commence. 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 this project's activities. Instead, full accountability rests with GFG Slasto Supplies CC and its consultants.

This environmental clearance is valid for a period of 3 (three) years, from the date of issue unless withdrawn by this office.

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Yours sincerely,

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