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Ms. Erica Ndalikokule

DIRECTOR

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Dear Ms. Ndalikokule

## SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR CONSENT LETTER FOR TIPTON INVESTMENT PTY Ltd

Tipton Investment Pty Ltd is a company with interest in mining. The company owns an Exclusive Prospecting License (EPL) Number 7728, as per the Mineral Act 1992 and intent to carry out exploration activities for Dimension Stones on the EPL. The EPL is located about 40km south of Karibib town in Erongo region.

Tipton contracted Red-Dune Consulting, an independed environmental consulting company to undertake the Environmental Impact Assessment process and the Environmental Management Plan for the application of an environmental clearance certificate at the office of the Environmental Commissioner.

The Ministry of Environment and Tourism (MET) requested that a consent letter must be provided from your office to ensure that the proposed activities does not have impact on cultural, heritage or archaeological materials.

During the site assessment and consultation with a broad array of stakeholders, the study area do not have known cultural, heritage or archaeological materials. However, a number of protected trees were identified and conservation measures were developed. Furthermore, a chance find is developed and incorporated in the Environmental Management Plan.

This letter seeks your good office to grant consent to the proposed exploration activities by Tipton Investment. Attached, kindly find the Scoping and Environmental Management Plan reports

Looking forward to your favorable reply

Yours Sincerely

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