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OFFICE OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSIONER

The Chief Executive Officer Rundu Town Council Private Bag 2128 Rundu Namibia

Dear Sic /Madam

SUBJECT: ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE FOR THE OPERATION OF EXISTING RUNDU MUNICIPAL DUMPSITE, RUNDU, KAVANGO EAST REGION.

The Environmental Management Plan submitted is 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. From this perspective, I issue the clearance with the following conditions; (a) Hazardous and medical wastes should not be disposed at this site, (b) Wastes dumped along the access road to the site be removed and disposed within the fenced area, (c) Proper access road should be in place to allow easy access to the site by waste management operators.

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This environmental clearance is valid for a period of 3 (three) years, from the date of issue unless withdrawn by this office.

Yours sincerely,

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