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OFFICE OF THE PERMANENT SECRETARY

The Managing Director
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Dear Sir

Re: Environmental Clearance for the Environmental Assessment and Plan for the Proposed New Fuel Retail Facility, at Erf 1230, Arandis

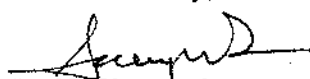
Thank you for your submission of the Environmental Assessment and Plan for the above-mentioned project. The assessment done is sufficient as it takes into account the key environmental issues concerning the proposed activities. It is recommended that once the project is implemented regular environmental monitoring and possible improvements should be conducted.

In view of the environmental sensitivity of the area, the MET reserves the right to attach further regulatory conditions during the operational phase of the project. From this perspective, we issue the clearance with the following condition: *all key stakeholders must be properly consulted and their consent taken into account prior to any development activities.*

On the basis of the above, this letter serves as a conditional environmental clearance for the project to proceed. However, this clearance letter does not in any way hold the Ministry of Environment and Tourism accountable of any wrong or insufficient information, nor any adverse effects that may arise from this project's activities. Instead, full accountability rests with the developer and his/her consultants.

Thank you once again for your kind co-operation.

Yours sincerely,


Dr. K. Shangula
Permanent Secretary



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