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## Memorandum

## Subject: EIA / ECC APPLICATION APP-002365

## ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT (EIA) PROCESS FOR THE PROPOSED OSHIVELA PILOT PROJECT ON PORTION 4 OF FARM BLOEMHOF 109, ERONGO REGION

## Submission of the final EIA Scoping (including Impact Assessment) Report to the Ministry of Mines and Energy (MME) (Energy Directorate)

The EIA process for the above mentioned Oshivela Pilot Project has been completed. The Final EIA Scoping (including Impact Assessment) Report was submitted to the MME (Energy Directorate) (i.e. Competent Authority for the proposed activity) on the 7<sup>th</sup> of February 2024, for their review and consideration.

Once the MME have completed their review, they will share the report as well as their recommendations with the Ministry of Environment, Forestry and Tourism (MEFT): Department of Environmental Affairs (i.e. office of the Environmental Commissioner) for their final review and decision regarding the application (MEFT Application number - **APP-002365**).

A "Consent Letter" can therefore not be uploaded by Namisun at this stage, due to the fact that the correspondence will take place between MME and MEFT, as per the above mentioned.