

On the spot



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Governors should be elected – LPM

Much has been said about the Landless People's Movement (LPM) good showing in last year's regional council and local authority elections. This week, *New Era* journalist Kuzeeko Tjitemisa (KT) caught up with operative secretary and parliamentarian Edson Isaacks (EI) to share his party's long-term vision as well as his stance on other pertinent issues and challenges in the country.

KT: When one speaks of LPM, names that come to mind are that of Bernadus Swartbooi, Henny Seibeb, or Utaara Mootu. But as the party operative secretary, you are the engine of the party and yet people know little about you. Who is Edson Isaacks and what role did you play in the establishment of LPM?

EI: Well, I am a teacher by profession with over 20 years' experience. I'm humbled to have made my contribution to the birth, growth and formation of the LPM.

Initially, we started as a social movement that advocated for the return of ancestral land to the dispossessed people of Namibia. During the initial phase, we worked extremely hard to build a strong support base.

I was instrumental in organising

community engagements. We furthermore had consultative meetings, which were called smart talks where we invited land experts, lawyers and various academics to discuss the burning land question, with a view to influence public policy.

I was fortunate enough to have played an instrumental role with the LPM even since it was a social movement. I am a leader in my own right, and my contributions speak for itself, therefore I command the respect and cooperation of the LPM rank and file leaders.

I was never wheelbarrowed into any position. We have campaigned and fought for the poor, landless and destitute Namibians, even when we as a movement didn't have any finances. We have worked extremely hard to build this organisation on a solid foundation of integrity and tenacity.

KT: During last year's regional council and local authority elections, your party relatively did well, especially in the //Kharas and the Hardap regions. To what is this performance attributed?

EI: We are first and foremost extremely grateful to all voters who went out in numbers to cast



Chief administrator... LPM operative secretary and parliamentarian Edson Isaacks. Photo: Contributed

their votes. Particularly those that demonstrated confidence in LPM and voted for us during the regional and local authority elections. I want to emphasise that fact that we are one of the fastest growing parties in Namibia.

We have local authority councillors throughout Namibia. In towns, villages and cities. From Okakarara, Khorixas, Walvis Bay, Swakopmund and City of Windhoek. We have demonstrated that we are a party for all Namibians regardless of race, sex, and origin. We have also made history by being the first to control two regions.

Our success we attribute to the relentless pursuit of justice, equity and truth by the movement. We have also worked hard to groom youthful leaders in the movement who were able to galvanise the electorate.

For example, the chairperson of the management committee of the Keetmanshoop municipality Easter Isaak is a youthful leader who has been groomed and now serves the community in a key position in the council. Therefore, our performance is the cumulative effort of four years of diligent work, in which we fought for social justice matters.

It does not make sense to have a democratic process where the people elect their local and regional leaders and then have an autocratic system of governance where the President solely appoints a governor. It is contradictory to the values of democracy.

KT: The perception or narrative has been derived that LPM is predominantly a party of the people of the South, or that it only serves the interest of the people of the South. What is your take on these perceptions and what is the party doing to change this?

EI: I can't respond to frivolous perceptions, which are not rooted in reality. We are a party for all Namibians. Anyone that has been following us for the past four years knows what issues we have advanced. Anyone that has listened to parliamentary debates knows

the issues we have advanced. This question is unfounded, frivolous and without any factual basis.

KT: Seeing that the ruling party Swapo has lost control of almost all constituencies in the //Kharas and Hardap regions during last year's regional council and local authority elections, will your party be lobbying for governors to be directly elected by the people to enable better representation of the people's aspirations?

EI: As LPM, we believe that the position of regional governors should be done away with. Appointment of regional governors should be done away with. Governors should be elected by the people and not imposed by the head of state on the people.

It is contradictory to the values of democracy. In essence, the governor should form part of the portfolios of regional councils that can be snapped up by any party that gets the most votes in a particular region. A party cannot claim to have been given the mandate to govern a region, but then have a governor appointed from another political party who may not share the mandate of the victor and the aspirations of the majority of the people.

The appointment of regional governors is Swapo's attempt to control regional structures where it has lost popularity. It is dictatorial.

KT: How will LPM ensure good service delivery amidst claims that your elected representatives lack experience?

EI: We have brought in performance agreements with all our councillors, which will ensure that our elected councillors execute the mandate and vision of the party. We have set up a technical team of experts, which will work closely with our councillors in order to offer advice and guidance.

KT: What is your party's stance on issues such as youth unemployment and the Fishrot matter before the court?

EI: Youth unemployment has reached an alarming rate in Namibia. For LPM, youth are our backbone. You will know that we have one of the youngest MPs in the National Assembly, Hon. Utaara Mootu. Therefore, we believe that youth should be on the decision-making table in order to influence public policy. We will work hard to ensure youth empowerment in Namibia.

Regarding the Fishrot matter, we believe that the entire Swapo leadership, starting from [President] Geingob must answer

to the charges. It seems that high-level corruption, as alleged, always involves the highest office in the land. Swapo has created a cesspool of corruption in Namibia. Our desire is the speedy prosecution of all implicated in this matter.

KT: What is your party's short and long-term vision?

EI: Our short-term vision is to deliver on our party manifesto in all localities where we won.

We intend to work with tenacity to ensure that the dignity of Namibians is restored. It is becoming abundantly clear that Swapo is a dead and decomposing party. We are working towards taking over national government in order to serve Namibians in their interest.

KT: How is the party preparing for the general election in 2024?

EI: This question is a little too premature at this time. While we have our systems in place for the 2024 national elections, we are just coming out of a rigorous elections campaign where we emerged victorious and need to ensure that our councillors are well equipped for the enormous task in front of them.

Our strategy is not just about winning votes; it is about the people whose trust in us cannot be betrayed. We must ensure that we act on our mandate to truly restore the dignity of our people. It starts at the local level. So, for now, we will not respond to this question until the time is ripe and right.

KT: Many opposition parties have struggled to make a meaningful impact over the years. How different is your party from those that have been rendered irrelevant?

EI: Taking over two regions and controlling a good number of local authorities through coalitions where we were not expected to win was not by coincidence. It means that we have already made a meaningful impact on the electorate.

What you should be asking is how we will maintain the momentum and continue to win over the hearts and minds of our people. We are guided by our political values, which are to alleviate poverty, create decent jobs, and have a well-crafted agrarian reform programme, to achieve restitution of ancestral land rights, fair and just urban and rural land reform, access to land and housing.

All these rest on the absolute commitment to protect citizens from corruption and greed by destroying and defaming corruption, patronage and lack of service delivery.

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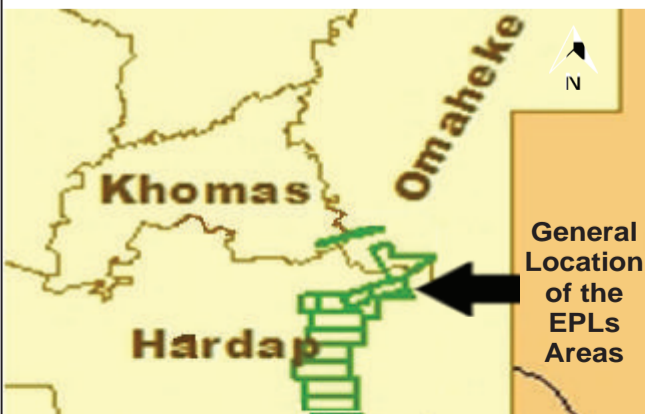
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Desert Jewelz to take part in Spar Challenge

By Michael Uugwanga

NAMIBIA'S senior women netball team, the Desert Jewelz are set to take part in the Spar International Netball Challenge to be hosted by Netball South Africa this month from February 24 to February 28.

This was confirmed by Netball Namibia technical director, Vhongo 'Wency' Ndjitaviua to Confidante Sport this week, after Netball Namibia held its first training camp for the senior players over the weekend in Windhoek.

The netball tournament has been hosted by Netball South Africa since 2016 of which Namibia will be making its first appearance at the tournament that has been contested by the likes of South Africa, Uganda, Malawi and two other South African sides Proteas U/20 and the South Africa

Presidential Invitational squad.

The final 15-woman squad will only be announced after the next training camp to be hosted from 19 to 21 February.

Namibia will be making its return to the international netball stage after a year's absence due to Covid-19, with the country's last international participation going back to October 2019 in the M1 Nations Cup in Singapore, which Namibia won.

"The aim is really to improve ranking and ensure players are kept active during that season. This will be our first time in the tournament but in the past we did participate in the Diamond Netball Challenge there. With the Covid-19 pandemic, Namibia was unable to secure any ranking points as all international games were cancelled. If this stays the same, Namibia will lose their current ranking of 23rd place in the world,"

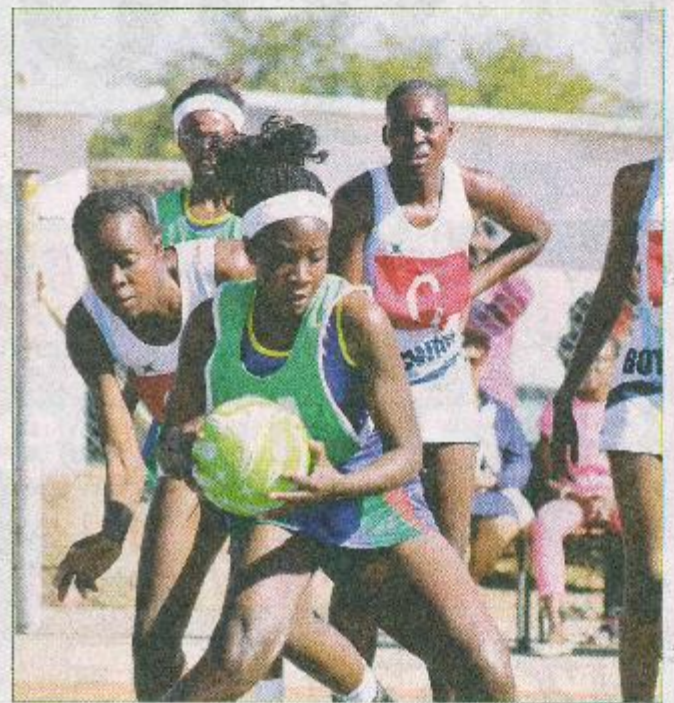
said Ndjitaviua.

Netball Namibia will be hoping to get cash injection from their regular sponsor Debmarine Namibia that has been the official sponsor for three years, while more financial support is expected to come from the Namibia Sports Commission (NSC).

The current national team is comprised of:

Jatjinda 'Toetsie' Tjihero, Kambirongo Tjeripo, Rachele Roets, Anna Kasper, Eve Karututshi, Selma Bittler, Zante Farmer, Anna Shipanga, Rachel Hanyanya, Imbeleni Frans, Venjee Maharero, Emmy Katuko, Monica Gomases, Corey Mupenda, Mwale Mulenamaswe

Players waiting to be assessed are: Juzelri Garbers, Uahengisa Tjozongoro, Maria Malunga, Vijanda Kamberipa, Tusnelde Fillemon, Bytjie Zuana.



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Justus Stanley Vei and **Maria Nandelila Vei**, the **Proponents**, have applied for Mining Claims (MCs) Nos. 72254-72263 and 72264-72273, respectively, for base and rare metals. The MCs were applied on 13/11/2020 and falls within the Exclusive Prospecting License (EPL) No. 3980 for Imprint Investments (Pty) Ltd. The MCs Nos. 72254-72263 and 72264-72273 falls in privately owned commercial farmlands, Eendrag374 and Otjeherane 216, respectively.

The Proponents intends to conduct prospecting activities starting with desktop studies and aerial surveys, followed by regional field-based reconnaissance work and if the results are positive, implement detailed site-specific field-based activities using techniques such as geological mapping, geophysical surveys, trenching, drilling, and sampling for laboratory tests before starting with the small-scale mining operations specifically targeting manganese. The proposed prospecting and small-scale mining activities are listed in the Environmental Management Act, 2007, (Act No. 7 of 2007) and the EIA Regulations 30 of 2012 and cannot be undertaken without an Environmental Clearance Certificates (ECCs) for each proposed project.

In fulfilment of these environmental requirements, the Proponents have appointed Risk-Based Solutions (RBS) CC as the Environmental Consultant, led by Dr Sindila Mwiya as the Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) to prepare the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) and Environmental Management Plan (EMP) Reports to support the applications for ECCs. All Interested and Affected Parties (I&AP) are hereby invited to register and submit written comments / objections / inputs with respect to the proposed prospecting activities. A Background Information Document (BID) is available upon registration.

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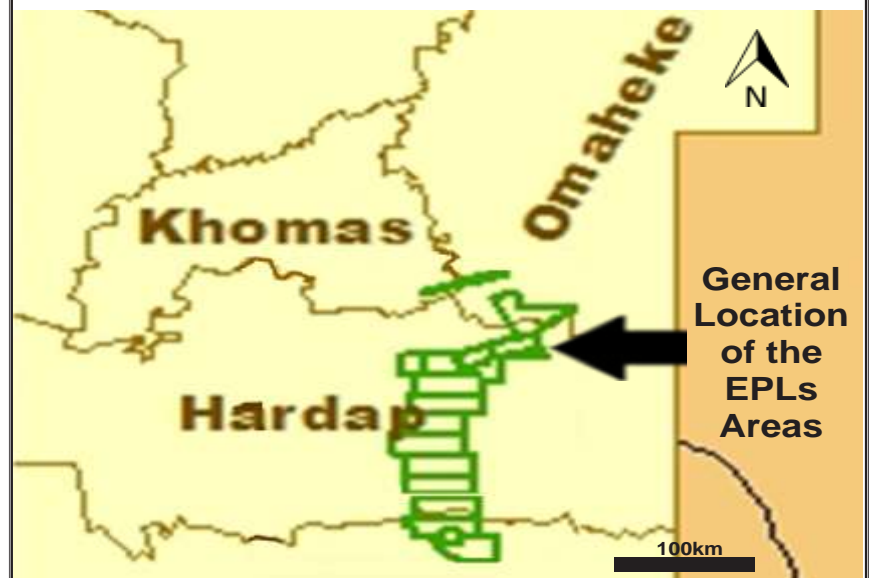
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26th February 2021

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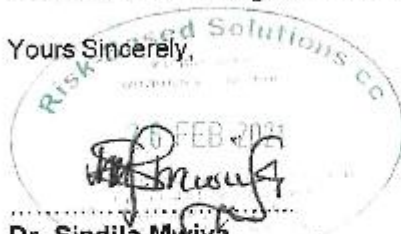
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26th February 2021

Dear Sir/ Madam,

RE: KEY STAKEHOLDER NOTICE ON THE APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE (ECC) BY GREEN MINING (Pty) Ltd FOR PROPOSED MINERALS PROSPECTING IN THE EXCLUSIVE PROSPECTING LICENSE (EPL) No. 7828

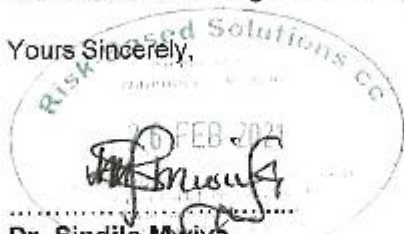
As the land owner and key stakeholder, we hereby inform you that Green Mining (Pty) Ltd (the "Proponent") holds **subsurface mineral rights** under the Exclusive Prospecting License (EPL) No. 7828 for precious metals and nuclear fuels. The EPL was granted by the Ministry of Mines and Energy (the Competent Authority) on the 28/07/2020 and will expire on the 27/07/2023. The Proponent intends to conduct prospecting activities starting with desktop studies including the processing and interpretation of the existing geophysical data sets, followed by regional field-based reconnaissance activities and if the results are positive, implement detailed site-specific field-based activities using techniques such as geological mapping, geophysical surveys, trenching, drilling, and sampling for laboratory tests. The proposed prospecting activities are listed in the Environmental Management Act, 2007, (Act No. 7 of 2007) and the EIA Regulations 30 of 2012 and cannot be undertaken without an Environmental Clearance Certificate (ECC). In fulfilment of these environmental requirements, the Proponent has appointed Risk-Based Solutions (RBS) CC as the Environmental Consultant, led by Dr Sindila Mwiya as the Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) to prepare the Environmental Reports to support the application for ECC. A Background Information Document (BID) is hereto attached to this covering letter for your information. As a key stakeholder you are hereby invited to register and submit written inputs with respect to the proposed prospecting activities by Green Mining.

DEADLINE FOR WRITTEN SUBMISSIONS IS: FRIDAY 19th March 2021

REGISTER BY EMAIL or MOBILE: frontdesk@rbs.com.na or send WhatsApp or SMS to: +26481 1413229 with all your details (Names, Farm Name, Contact Details and Comments/ Inputs). For more information please contact Dr Sindila Mwiya (EAP) on the email and Mobile No. provided.

The work being conducted by Green Mining in this EPL is **purely only prospecting activities** and it is not mining at all and no minerals deposits have been discovered and there is no guarantee that the prospecting will result in any economic minerals discoveries. If there is a need to conduct fieldwork on your land, Green Mining representative will contact you to request for permission to access your property and any future access and related Access Agreement may be negotiated as may be required or necessary.

Yours Sincerely,



Dr. Sindila Mwiya
EAP/ International Resources Consultant
RISK-BASED SOLUTIONS (RBS) CC

