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RE: REQUEST FOR ERECTION OF METEOROLOGICAL MASTS IN TSAU //KHAEB NATIONAL PARK

Your request letter is hereby acknowledged.

It is our submission that the area in question is an active mining area within the Tsau //Khaeb National Park, under a mining licence of NAMDEB.

We further comprehend that the places intended for the erection of the meteorological masts are already impacted by active mining and development of infrastructure.

However, the Ministry take note that this is a listed activity that may not take place without an environmental clearance certificate and thus due process should be followed as per the Environmental Management Act No. 7 of 2007.

In principle, the Ministry supports the erection of the meteorological masts subject to all prescribed conditions being followed as per the stipulated act.

You are also advised to take cognisance of the recently launched Tourism Development and Park Management Plans of the Tsau //Khaeb National Park.





"Stop the poaching of our rhinos"

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