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**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT FOR THE MINERALS EXPLORATION ON EXCLUSIVE PROSPECTING LICENSE (EPL) NO. 8124, (KHARAKA REGION)**

Candy Consultancy is hereby give notice to all potentially interested and affected Parties (MAPs) that an application will be made to Environmental Commissioner in terms of the Environmental Management Act (No. 7 of 2007) and the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations (26/30 of 2007) for the following activity:

**PROJECT NAME:** Exploration work on Exclusive Prospecting License (EPL) 8124  
**PROJECT LOCATION:** 190 km west of Karamonshup along the national railway line and SA highway to the port of Lobatse, Botswana Region

**PROFONENT:** Geo Nevada Minerals cc  
**ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANT:** Candy Consultancy cc

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION**  
The project will comprise the following activities:

1. Exploration drilling at various locations in each target area must be carried out as soon as the Environmental Clearance Certificate (ECC) has been granted
2. Test quarrying, bulk sampling by means of blasting, and bulk sampling in select areas
3. Ground electromagnetic and resistivity survey to help delineate open geological structures which may have groundwater. This data will be used to generate target sites for groundwater exploration drilling.

**Public Meeting:**  
Date: 04 September 2021  
Time: 19:00  
Venue: Kaitse Community Hall

**REGISTRATION OF MAPs AND SUBMISSION OF COMMENTS**  
In line with Botswana's Environmental Management Act (No. 7 of 2007) and EIA regulations (26/30 of 2007), all MAPs are hereby invited to register and submit their comments, concerns or questions. All MAPs will be provided with a Background Information Document (BID) consisting of descriptive information about the development activity. Should you wish to register as an MAP, kindly contact Candy Consultancy cc in the contact details below. All prevention measures related to COVID-19 will be considered.

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CLOSING DATE FOR COMMENTS: 10th September 2021




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## APPENDIX E: SITE NOTICE



## APPENDIX F: PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES & ATTENDANCE REGISTER

### ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT (EA) FOR PROPOSED MINERALS EXPLORATION ON AN EXCLUSIVE PROSPECTING LICENSE (EPL) NO. 6134, ||KHARAS REGION

#### UNDERTAKING OF PUBLIC MEETING –

**PROJECT:** EXCLUSIVE PROSPECTING LICENSE (EPL) NO. 6134, ||KHARAS REGION

**VENUE:** KOSIS COMMUNITY HALL

**DATE:** 04/09/2021

**TIME:** 14:12-15:35

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**Facilitator:**

Mr. Eteen - ||Kharas Regional Council Representative

**EAP:**

Mr. Gabriel Joseph and Ms. Lilian K. Ondigo - Candy Consulting CC

**Attendees:**

Please refer to attendance register in this document

**Proceedings:**

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	PERSON
<b>1</b>	<b>Welcome, Introductions &amp; Project Background</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-All present were welcomed on behalf of the proponent and the Environmental Consultant and the agenda confirmed.</li> <li>-The proposed project was explained to all members present in terms of scope and scale.</li> <li>-The proponent highlighted the stage of the project and why the EIA was needed as part of the development</li> </ul>	Mr. Gabriel Joseph
<b>2</b>	<b>Purpose of Meeting</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-The Environmental Impact Assessment process in Namibia was explained to the members in attendance.</li> <li>-Possible environmental impacts both negative and positive were alluded to the public in attendance as per environmental scoping conducted for the site.</li> <li>-Reasons for assessment were given</li> <li>-Legislations and regulations followed as part of the process were alluded.</li> <li>-The EAP explained the important role played by public and community members and how it has helped other developments in Namibia.</li> </ul>	Mr. Gabriel Joseph

<b>4</b>	<b>Q &amp; A Session</b>	
	-All members on the panel were introduced	

<b>COMMENTATOR /I &amp; A P:</b>	<b>COMMENT, QUESTION, QUERY, CONCERN RAISED:</b>	<b>Answers prepared</b>
Kosis resident	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What is going to be done about the possible damages to the water connections?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• It was explained that all sensitive areas including water connections and power lines will not be hindered with.</li> </ul>
Kosis resident	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How did you discover that this project site is a good area for limestone mining?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• It was answered that the proponent Geo-namib minerals cc is a geological company that specialize in rock and mineral identification. Moreover, following literature and doing a desktop study it has shown that there is a possibility of the occurrence of limestone. Therefore, the exploration is aimed at determining if this is true.</li> </ul>
Kosis resident	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Since we are not sure if this project will transpire at this stage, why should we sign the comment form provided?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• It was explained that the form provides a standard way of getting involved through giving your comments or concerns however, it does not give us a go ahead.</li> </ul>
Kosis resident	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If the exploration gets a go ahead will there be any job creation, and by approximately how many people?</li> <li>• Will the exploration include informal camps, and if people have to stay all sanitary needs will be required, so will they need local people to assist with some day-to-day activities?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• For exploration process it might be very minimal because at this stage mostly only experts are required and if there will be a need for some assistance it will be very minimal. This means job creation will be very low.</li> </ul>
Kosis resident	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What methodology will be applied during the sample collecting process?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drilling, excavation and usage of detecting devices will be used.</li> </ul>
Kosis resident	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Will you perhaps get the license before or after in order to come get the samples?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• As a listed activity by the ministry of Environment Forestry and Tourism (MET) this project will not undertake without the authorization by the ministry through an issuance of an Environmental Clearance Certificate (ECC).</li> </ul>

Kosis resident	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If they give a go ahead for mining there is possible side effects such as noise pollution and dust, so if the resource is found in Kosis will we be relocated or what will happen?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>It was answered that if the limestone is found within Kosis community there will be a consultation through the government, ministry of Environment, Forestry and Tourism (MET), ministry of mines and local council to make sure if it's viable. In simple terms, these bodies will make sure that there is a sustainable development.</li> </ul>
Kosis resident	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Where can I find further information regarding the EIA?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>We will produce the final report and send it to the community to scrutinize it.</li> </ul>
Kosis resident	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>When the prospecting process resumes who is going to be the responsible ministry?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For the issuance of the Environmental Clearance Certificate (ECC) it will be done by the ministry of Environment, Forestry and Tourism (MET). However, for the mining stage the ministry of mines will come for inspection to ensure what is indicated in the report is implemented and then they will be a need for issuing a mining license.</li> </ul>
Kosis resident	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The 19<sup>th</sup> September 2021 indicated on the site notice, this closing date what is it for?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>That's the last date for the comments and concerns for this project to be given in.</li> </ul>
Kosis resident	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Locally if there is another company with EPL will they be allowed to collaborate for mining?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Yes there is a possibility, but at the later stage.</li> </ul>
Kosis resident	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Is limestone the only resource identified or the company is interested in?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This is just an exploration stage meaning there might be a possibility of identifying other resources on site however, for now the EPL is only limited to limestone.</li> </ul>
Kosis resident	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If you get the lime will it be exported raw or in a processed form?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>First of all they have to determine the quality of the lime. The question was answered that the lime will be processed at least to upgrade its value before exportation.</li> </ul>
Mr. Christo	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hi the Farm Kesslerbrunn is not interested in the mining on our farm. That's a NO from us</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Was noted.</li> </ul>

NamWater	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Please register NamWater as an I&amp;AP with the following contact details: Name: NP du Plessis; Email: <a href="mailto:plessisn@namwater.com.na">plessisn@namwater.com.na</a>; Contact number: +264811279040. Name: Jolanda Kamburona; Email: <a href="mailto:Kamburonaj@namwater.com.na">Kamburonaj@namwater.com.na</a>; Contact number: +264811441528.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Was noted.</li></ul>
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## **Conclusions and Recommendations**

- When the EIA scoping is ready it will be available to the proponent, the ||Kharas Regional Council and any members who are interested in receiving the document should send an email to the consultant.
- The EAP gave concluding remarks.
- The meeting was closed at: 15:35PM



Attendance register:



Environmental Assessment (EA) for proposed minerals exploration on an Exclusive Prospecting License (EPL) No. 6134, ||Kharas Region

VENUE: KOSIS SETTLEMENT OFFICE

TIME: 14:00

DATE: 04 September 2021

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14:12  
Kharas  
Welcoming

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VENUE: KOSIS SETTLEMENT OFFICE

TIME: 14:00

DATE: 04 September 2021

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## APPENDIX G: EMAIL CORRESPONSE

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### Request for a consultative meeting regarding a proposed exploration work on Exclusive Prospecting License (EPL) 6134, ||Kharas region

**candy consultancy** <candyconsultancy@gmail.com>  
to fioris, Kanime, me, Tuyambeka, Adolf, ferdinand

Nov 11, 2021, 1:03 PM

Dear Mr. Coetsee

As per our conversation over the phone yesterday, I am Gabriel Joseph from Candy Consultancy. In 2019, Geo Namib Minerals cc, a Namibian owned company, was granted with Exclusive Prospecting License (EPL) No. 6134 by the Ministry of Mines and Energy (MME). The commodities for the EPL are base and rare metals, industrial minerals. The targeted rocks in EPL are the limestones of the Nama Group, and these are being targeted for prospecting of cement and industrial lime quality limestone and siliceous rocks. Candy Consultancy cc has been appointed as an independent Environmental Assessment Practitioner to undertake the EIA process. The EIA process for this assessment is being conducted in accordance with the Government Gazette No. 3966 in terms of the Environmental Management Act (Act 7 of 2007) Environmental Impact Assessment regulations.

The EPL is situated approximately 100 km west of Keetmanshoop along the national railway line and B4 highway in the ||Kharas Region. It covers a surface area of 49460 1777 Hectares. The proposed area includes Sandverhaar farm no 116 and Feldschuhhorn West No 90. Hence, this communication serves to request a meeting with your esteemed office as an interested or affected party in order to discuss the EIA process and intention of our clients on a proposed project. Kindly advise us on your availability either physical or virtual.

Thank you

Compose

Inbox 1

- Starred
- Snoozed
- Sent
- Drafts
- More

Meet

- New meeting
- Join a meeting

Hangouts

lilian - +

No recent chats  
[Start a new one](#)

RE: Follow up on the EIA site assessment Inbox x

**lilian ondigo** Jan 11, 2022, 10:23 AM ☆  
Dear Mr. Coetzee, Compliments of the season to you. I trust you are well. In connection to our previous meeting on the EIA, I thought of following up on the sit

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**Altekalkofen Lodge** Jan 12, 2022, 4:59 PM ☆ ↩ ⋮  
to me ↵

Good afternoon Lilian, The meeting on the 15<sup>th</sup> will be fine, please let me know the approximate time that you will arrive at the lodge. We are 100km from keetmanshoop.

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**lilian ondigo** <liliankondigo@gmail.com> Jan 12, 2022, 5:08 PM ☆ ↩ ⋮  
to Altekalkofen ↵

Thank you. Morning time by 11:00 o'clock.

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Our Reference: 00240355/LDU Your  
Reference:

Date: 27 January 2022

CANDY CONSULTANCY CC

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WINDHOEK

ATTENTION: MS L ONDIGO

Dear Madam

RE: EMP - EPL 6134

As you know we represent the owners of the Farm Sandverhaar Farming & Tourism (Pty) Ltd — the owners of Farm Sandverhaar No 200.

It appears that we do not have your complete "draft report" before you have visited the site.

We understand that you have visited our clients' farm in the meantime and await your final draft report for our comments.

As a preliminary comment we advise as follows:

Due to the existence of a lodge on the Farm and the fact that our client is farming with game as well as the sensitive nature of the area, our clients will not agree to any bulk sampling by way of blasting. Blasting will have an irreparable effect on our clients' business activities and the game on the Farm which will result in severe losses.

Water is an extremely rare commodity in that part of the country, and the fact that more boreholes can completely deplete the current water source and contaminate same is not adequately addressed in your draft report and will have to be revisited.

We await your final draft report for our clients' input in due course.



Our clients' rights are reserved in toto.

ithfully

Yours faithfully

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## APPENDIX I: NOTICE OF SCOPING REVIEW TO I&Aps

### **ENVIRONMENTAL SCOPING REPORT REVIEW**

**For**

**ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT FOR THE MINERALS EXPLORATION ON  
EXCLUSIVE PROSPECTING LICENSE (EPL) NO. 6134, ||KHARAS REGION**



Candy Consultancy cc hereby giving a notice to all potential Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) that the scoping report for the above mentioned exploration is available for review. Hence, I & A parties are requested to register any concern or issue in order to be included in the final report of the Environmental Impact Assessment.

The Scoping report will be available at ||Kharas regional Offices in Keetmanshoop, and Kosis Community Office at Kosis settlement.

The electronic copy will be emailed on request via email to [liliankondigo@gmail.com](mailto:liliankondigo@gmail.com) or [candyconsultancy@gmail.com](mailto:candyconsultancy@gmail.com)

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**CLOSING DATE FOR COMMENTS: 09 February 2022**