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Dear Mrs Kapaanda

Environmental Impact Assessment: Dredging of the Naval Base, Port of Walvis Bay

Geo Pollution Technologies (Pty) Ltd was appointed by the Ministry of Defence and Veterans Affairs, to undertake an environmental assessment for the proposed dredging operations at the naval base located in the Port of Walvis Bay. Please refer to attached notification of the project to your office dated 12 February 2024. The Directorate of Maritime Affairs in your Ministry has been identified as the competent authority regarding this project.

In terms of the Environmental Management Act (No. 7 of 2007) and the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations (Government Notice No. 30 of 2012) the completed environmental impact assessment is hereby submitted to the Ministry of Works and Transport, in support of an application for an environmental clearance certificate. The submission to the Ministry of Works and Transport as the competent authority, is made in terms of Section 6(B) of the above mentioned government notice. In terms of section 10 of the same government notice, the Ministry of Works and Transport is required to indicate to the Environmental Commissioner, if the Ministry has any issues or concerns regarding the above mentioned project.

Attached to this letter are the following:

- Original notification of the project to your office.
- Hard copy of environmental impact assessment and environmental management plan.
- Copy of application for environmental clearance certificate: Form 1.

The reviewed documents should kindly be forwarded to the Environmental Commissioner, along with the comments and decision of the Ministry on the issuance of an environmental clearance for the project.

Please contact our offices should you require any additional information as per the contact details below:

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Sincerely

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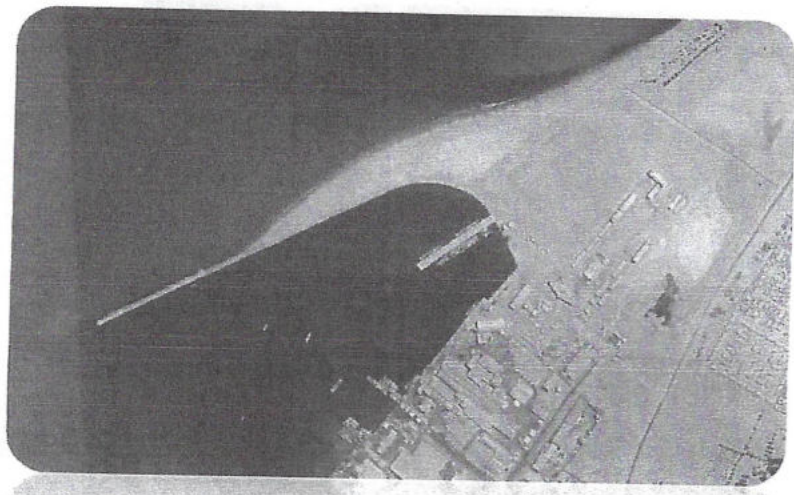
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**ENVIRONMENTAL SCOPING ASSESSMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL
MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR THE CAPITAL AND MAINTENANCE
DREDGING AT THE NAVAL BASE IN THE PORT OF WALVIS BAY**



Assessed by:



Assessed for:



April 2024