

035 Regskennisgewings Legal Notices

REZONING NOTICE DUNAMIS CONSULTING TOWN AND REGIONAL PLANNERS on behalf of the owner of Erf3000 Johann Albrecht Street Windhoek is applying to the Windhoek Municipal Council for the following:
 * Rezoning of Erf 3000 Johann Albrecht Street Windhoek from 'Residential' with a density of 1:700 to 'Institutional',
 * Consent to proceed with the Institutional activities while the rezoning process is finalized.
 Erf 3000 Windhoek is located Johann Albrecht Street. The property is currently zoned 'Residential' with a density of 1:700 and measures 801m². The new zoning of Institutional will enable the owner to use it for Private School purposes as primary use coupled with a supporting facilities with a total floor area of 560m² being 70% of the Erf size. On-site parking as required in terms of the Windhoek Town Planning Scheme and proposed activities will be provided.
 Further, take note that the locality plan of the Erf can be inspected at the Windhoek Town Council Customer Care Centre Town Planning Notice Board, 80Independence Avenue, Windhoek.
 Further take note that any person objecting to the proposed land use as set out above may lodge such objection together with the grounds thereof at the Windhoek Town Council Office in Writing within 14 days of the last publication of this notice (final date for objections is 7 December 2022).
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REZONING NOTICE DUNAMIS CONSULTING TOWN, REGIONAL PLANNERS AND DEVELOPERS on behalf of the owner of Erf 1887 Dr. Kuaima Riruako Street Windhoek, intends to apply to the Municipal Council of Windhoek for:
 * Rezoning of Erf 1887 Dr. Kuaima Riruako Street Windhoek from "Office" with a Bulk of 0.4 to "Office" with a Bulk1.0,
 * Consent Use for a Medical Practice on an "Office" zoned Erf with the interim bulk of 0.4 while the rezoning to a Bulk of 1.0 is being finalized.
 Erf 1887 Windhoek is located in Dr. Kuaima Riruako Street. The property is currently zoned 'Office' with a bulk 0.4 and measure 1188m² extent. The new zoning of "Office" with a bulk of 1.0 as a primary use would allow the owner to obtain Consent Use for a Medical Centre with related medical supporting activities on an office zoned Erf.
 On-site parking as required in terms of the Windhoek Zoning Scheme will be provided on the Erf.
 Further, take note that the locality plan of the Erf can be inspected at the Windhoek Town Council Customer Care Centre Town Planning Notice Board, 80 Independence Avenue, Windhoek.
 Further take note that any person objecting to the proposed land use as set out above may lodge such objection together with the grounds thereof in Writing at the Windhoek Urban Planning Offices Room 518, 5th Floor, Town House Main Building within 14 days of the last publication of this notice and final date for comments or objections is 07 December 2022.
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REZONING NOTICE DUNAMIS CONSULTING TOWN, REGIONAL PLANNERS AND DEVELOPERS on behalf of the owner of Erf 10617 Sabbat Street, Katutura Extension 12 is applying to the Windhoek Municipal Council for the following:
 Rezoning of Erf 10617 Sabbat Street Katutura Extension 12 from Institutional to General Residential with a density of 1:100,
 Consent to develop the Erf for high-density purposes while the rezoning process is being finalized.
 Erf 10617 Katutura is located in Sabbat Street. The property is currently zoned 'Institutional' and it measures 976m². The new zoning of 'General Residential' with a density of 1:100 will allow the owner to erect 9 residential units (flats) on the Erf. On-site parking as required in terms of the Windhoek Zoning Scheme for the proposed development will be provided.
 Further, take note that the locality plan of the Erf can be inspected at the Windhoek Town Council Customer Care Centre Town Planning Notice Board, 80Independence Avenue, Windhoek.
 Further take note that any person objecting to the proposed land use as set out above may lodge such objection together with the grounds thereof in Writing at the Windhoek Urban Planning Offices Room 518, 5th Floor, Town House Main Building within 14 days of the last publication of this notice (final date for objections is 7 December 2022).
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NOTICE Take notice that RITTA KHIBA PLANNING CONSULTANTS CC (TOWN, REGIONAL PLANNERS & ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANTS) on behalf of the owner of Erven 2459 & 2460, No. 4 and No. 6 Boitumelo Street, Goreangab Extension 1, intends applying to the Municipal Council of Windhoek for: REZONING OF ERV 2459, GOREANGAB EXTENSION 1, FROM 'RESIDENTIAL' WITH A DENSITY OF 1:250 m² TO 'BUSINESS' WITH A BULK OF 0.75 AND THE SUBSEQUENT CONSOLIDATION OF THEREZONED ERF WITH ERF 2460,
 GOREANGAB EXTENSION 1 INTO ERF X Erf 2459, Goreangab Extension 1 is zoned 'Residential' with a density of 1:250 m² and is approximately 366 m² in extent respectively. Erf 2459 is currently vacant. Once Council approves the proposed rezoning and consolidation, the intention of the client is to use the consolidated erf for business purposes.
 The number of vehicles for which parking will be provided on-site will be in accordance the Windhoek Town Planning Scheme. Take notice that the locality plan of the Erf lies for inspection on the town planning notice board at the Customer Care Centre, Main Municipal Offices, Rev. Michael Scott Street, Windhoek as well as at Ritta Khiba Planning Consultant CC, Erf 1012 Dorado Park. Further take notice that any person objecting to the proposed use of the land as set out above may lodge such objection together with the grounds thereof, with the Municipal Council of Windhoek, 5th Floor, Office 516 and with the applicant in writing within 14 days of the last publication of this notice on, 06 December 2022. APPLICANT: RITTAKHIBA PLANNING CONSULTANTS CCTOWN, REGIONAL PLANNERS & ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANTS
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IN THE: HIGH COURT OF NAMIBIA Held at Oshakati CASENO. HC-NLD-CIV-ACT-DEL-2021/00365 In the matter between: ALPHA MEDICAL LABORATORY CC PLAINTIFF and MONTANA GENERAL TRADING 532 CC t/a NAMIBIA EXPRESS DEFENDANT
 Notice of Sale in Execution In pursuance of a Judgment of the above Honorable Court dated 7 March 2022 and Writ of Execution dated 30 March 2022 the following goods will be sold in a sale in execution start on 23 November 2022 end 28 November 2022 at Erf No: 49, Prosperita c/o Michelle Mclean & Platinum Streets, at 10 am and conducted online at <https://aucor.auction>.
 1. 3x Desktop Computers, 2. 4x Office Desk, 3. 1x Samsung 5 In 1 Printer, 4. 1x Steel Filing Cabinet 2 Door, 5. 4x Office Chairs, 6. 1x Toyota 25 Forklift Orange & Navy Blue.
 Terms of sale: Voetstoots and cash to the highest bidder.
 Dated at Oshakati this 21 day of October 2022
 Aingura Attorneys
 Legal Practitioners for Plaintiff
 5 Aingura Room 101,
 Palms Complex Cnr of Robert Mugabe & Main Road Oshakati (Ref: S21098)

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ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT FOR THE PROPOSED EXPLORATION ACTIVITIES WITHIN EXCLUSIVE PROSPECTING LICENCE (EPL) 7873, EPUPA AND OPUWO RURAL CONSTITUENCIES, KUNENE REGION

Notice is hereby given in terms of the Environmental Management Act, No.7 of 2007 and the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations (Government Notice No. 30 of 2012) that an application will be made to the Environmental Commissioner for an environmental clearance of the planned minerals prospecting activities on EPL 7873.

Commodities: Base and rare metals, Dimension stone, Industrial minerals, non-nuclear fuel minerals, Nuclear fuels minerals, Precious metals and Semi-precious stones.
Location of the EPL area: 105 km northwest from Opuwo via the D3703 district road towards Otjitanda, Kunene Region covering portions of Orupembe, Sanitatas, Okondjombo, Etanga and Otjitanda communal conservancies.

Interested and Affected Parties (I&AP) are requested to register to obtain a Background Information Document. Any comments to the proposed activities may be lodged duly motivated in writing to the address provided below by **21st November 2022**. The full Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) report and the draft Environmental Management Plan (EMP) will be provided to the registered I&AP once it is made available.

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REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA

MINISTRY OF JUSTICE

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Enquiries Ms. AMBER COERECIUS 09 November 2022

Dear Prospective Applicant

RE: EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR THE APPOINTMENT TO ACT AS AN INITIATOR

- The Disciplinary Committee for Legal Practitioners (the Committee) is a body established in terms of section 34 of the Legal Practitioners Act 15 of 1995 and is responsible for the consideration of complaints against legal practitioners and candidate legal practitioners and where required, providing the appropriate sanction in respect of disciplinary hearing. In addition, by virtue of its mandate, the Committee determines the criteria for the appointed initiators and scope of any legal mandate to be performed. In the past, the Committee relied on approaching the senior legal practitioners from the private sector resulting in a few matters being selected.
- Consequently, the Committee has been authorised by the Ministry of Justice to seek in-house legal practitioners as well as private practice legal practitioners that the Committee could retain on an as needed basis for the purpose of acting as an initiator with respect to a specific matter.
- The decision to assign work to an internal legal practitioner or to outsource work to private practice legal practitioner are based on factors which include availability of legal officers (staff lawyers), expertise requirements, regional geographical considerations, urgency, and conflict of interest issues, either real or perceived.
- The Committee invites Expressions of Interest (EOI) from interested legal officers, retired judges or practising Legal Practitioners who hold demonstrated competence and ability to comply with the criteria set out in this EOI. Through this EOI process, the Committee intends to identify qualified and interested individuals to be included on the eligibility list for possible consideration for appointment to act as an initiator on behalf of the Committee. The Committee has the discretion to reject any or all proposals received in response to this EOI.
- It is the Committee's expectation that an applicant expressing an interest in being considered to act as an initiator appointment, must at a minimum possess the following skillset and qualifications:
 - Admission as a legal practitioner accompanied by at least five (5) years of practical legal experience;
 - Experience in general civil and criminal litigation;
 - Knowledge of administrative law, in particular the Rules of the Law Society and Legal Practitioners Act of 1995 (as amended);
 - Good drafting skills of general pleadings; and
 - Holder of a Good Standing certificate from the Law Society of Namibia.
- Submissions in response to the EOI must be addressed to Ms Amber-Ivana Coerecius, Secretary of the Disciplinary Committee for Legal Practitioners at Amber.Coerecius@moj.gov.na. The deadline for submission is 13 December 2022. For further information, she may be contacted at 061 292 1514.

Dr John Shimani, PhD
 Acting Executive Director

A CALL FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION & ENGAGEMENT: ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT (EIA) FOR THE PROPOSED PROSPECTING & EXPLORATION ACTIVITIES ON EXCLUSIVE PROSPECTING LICENSE (EPL) NO. 7582 LOCATED NORTH OF OMARURU IN THE ERONGO REGION, NAMIBIA

The public is hereby notified that an application for an Environmental Clearance Certificate (ECC) will be submitted to the Environmental Commissioner as required under the Environmental Management Act No. 7 of 2007 and its 2012 EIA Regulations. The proposed exploration and associated works are listed activities in the EIA Regulations that cannot be undertaken without an ECC.

Project Nature and Location: The proposed prospecting and exploration of minerals on EPL-7582 with a potential for Base & Rare Metals, Dimension Stone, Industrial Minerals, and Precious Metals. The EPL is located about 30km north of Omaruru Town and covers an area of 9,065.2567 hectares (Ha).

The Project Proponent: Tarah Hainana
Appointed Environmental Consultant: Serja Hydrogeo-Environmental Consultants CC

The public is therefore invited to register as Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) to submit comments and or receive further information on the EIA process. The requests for registration as an I&APs and comments submission should be done before or on **Tuesday, 06 December 2022**.

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B2Gold Mine (Otjiwarongo) 10:00-17:00

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Economic Indicators

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Currency	Spot	Currency	Spot	1M	3M	6M	12M	
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EUR/NAD	17.76537	NAD/NZD	0.094131	EURO/ZAR	308.3776	309.8842	311.7436	315.6407
GBP/NAD	20.47052	NAD/BWP	0.7507308	GBP/ZAR	355.3077	356.9784	359.0322	363.3317
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COMPANY NEWS IN BRIEF

PEPKOR DELIVERS 16% PROFIT JUMP

Pepkor, which owns brands such as PEP and Ackermans, managed to deliver a double-digit earnings increase even as the effects of the July 2021 unrest and KwaZulu-Natal flooding hit the group's revenue growth.

The JSE-listed retailer reported on Tuesday that its revenue grew 5.3% in the year to end September, saying that growth had been negatively affected by the flooding of PEP's distribution centre in KwaZulu-Natal in April, as well as its recovery from the unrest in July last year.

At the same time, product mix changes in its Flash business, which offers informal traders affordable payment systems to do business, also impacted revenue growth. It said that if Flash and the lost sales due to the floods were excluded, revenue growth would have been 8.1%.

Normalised headline earnings per share, excluding once-off items, rose 15.7% to 150.7c per share with Pepkor, delivering a dividend of 55.2c, representing a 24.9% increase on the previous year.

The company said the July 2021 unrest resulted in looting and damage of 549 of the group's stores. While 386 of these stores were reopened by September last year, 104 stores could only be reopened during the current financial year "due to factors outside the group's control, including infrastructure rebuild and delays in the reopening of shopping complexes". A further 37 stores will be reopened in the next financial year.

Pepkor said the flood-damaged PEP distribution centre in KwaZulu-Natal represented 40% of the group's total distribution capacity.

"This negatively impacted in-store product availability and resulted in estimated lost sales of R460 million."

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pects, saying issues such high unemployment and rampant living costs were bringing pressure to bear on consumers, while "record high raw material costs" were expected to be repeated in the 2023 financial year. At the same time the group said "collapsing municipal infrastructure" and load shedding continued to negatively affect its operational efficiencies, which added a "significant cost burden" with "significant capital expenditure in diesel generator capacity".

Other concerns for the company included the threat of bird flu, with Astral saying there were "rapidly rising infection numbers in Europe and America".

But Astral also flagged that it had a "strong and resilient balance sheet", which would support Astral in "navigating the headwinds facing the poultry industry".

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DISNEY FIRES CEO, BRINGS BACK FORMER BOSS

Disney ousted chief executive Bob Chapek on Sunday and announced



PHOTO REUTERS

that it had brought back former CEO Bob Iger to once again take the reins. The change, a dramatic turn of events for one of the largest media conglomerates in the world, was effective immediately, Disney said in a statement.

"We thank Bob Chapek for his service to Disney over his long career," Susan Arnold, chair of Disney's board, said.

The board of directors decided that

as the company "embarks on an increasingly complex period of industry transformation, Bob Iger is uniquely situated to lead."

Chapek spent two years as CEO, a period that saw Wall Street concerned about rising expenses at the company.

Disney's stock has fallen 41 percent this year.

Iger, who previously served as Disney's CEO for 15 years, increasing

the company's market capitalization five-fold during that period, has pledged to return as CEO for at least two years, the statement said.

Iger, now 71, had promoted Chapek as his replacement in 2020 but the relationship soured and by early this year the two rarely spoke.

"I am deeply honored to be asked to again lead this remarkable team... through unrivaled, bold storytelling," Iger said.

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WB Birthday Bonanza big winners share N\$400 000



Frida Kaluwa, from Grootfontien, walked away with a massive windfall as she beat two other finalists to win N\$250 000 in the Woermann Brock Birthday Bonanza draw, which took place at the /Ae//Gams Supermarket in Klein Windhoek this Friday, 18 November 2022. Over the last 11 weeks, Woermann Brock stores have been buzzing with excitement as shoppers across the country won nearly 143 SmartBuy Vouchers ranging in value from N\$2000 to N\$10 000, as this iconic Namibian brand celebrated its 128th year in business with a total of N\$800 000 in giveaways. The other big winners were Selma Hambiya, who took home N\$100 000, and Magrietha van Wyk, who scored a neat N\$50 000. Check out the Woermann Brock Facebook page for a live stream of the event.

ASTRAL PROFIT MORE THAN DOUBLES

Shares in Astral Foods rose more than 4% in morning trade after it reported full year revenue growth of over a fifth, and it more than doubled its profits. The strong performance came as the group's main poultry division was able to increase its profitability more than fivefold, benefiting in part from promotional activity among retailers, which helped grow its volumes.

The JSE-listed chicken producer, which also nearly doubled its total dividend to shareholders to R13.80 from R7 previously for the year to September, attributed the performance in the main to growth in broiler sales volumes, as well as a recovery in the selling price of poultry.

The company's full year profit was R1.07 billion, some 126% higher than the R473.7 million reported in the 2021 financial year. By 10:20am, the company's shares were 4.33% higher at R178.22. But even with the strong performance Astral sounded a cautious note about future pros-

REHOBOTH TOWN COUNCIL

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given in terms of section 63(2)(b) of the Local Authorities Act (Act 23 of 1992) as amended that the Town Council intends to sell the immovable property by way of Private Treaty to the under mentioned entity at the purchase price indicated below.

Objections to the proposed sale duly motivated and in writing are to be addressed or hand delivered to the Office of the Chief Executive Officer, Private Bag 2500, Rehoboth not later than **Wednesday, 07th December 2022 at 17H00.**

MODE OF TRANSACTION: PRIVATE TREATY				
Name of Applicant	Erf No	Size (m ²)	Zoning	Purchase Price
Norman Beukes Builders & Developer cc	A Portion of the Remainder of Rehoboth Town and Townlands No. 302 (Adjacent to Block D, along the B1 Road).	49 852 Square Meters	Undetermined	N\$ 3,009,814.50

Mr. Simeon Kanime
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

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Date: 17 March 2023

FIRST CONSULTATION MEETING MINUTES FOR THE:
ENVIRONMENTAL SCOPING ASSESSMENT (ESA) STUDY FOR THE PROPOSED
PROSPECTING AND EXPLORATION ACTIVITIES ON EXCLUSIVE PROSPECTING
LICENSE (EPL) 7582 NORTH OF OMARURU IN THE ERONGO REGION

1ST CONSULTATION MEETING SLOT

Date: Friday, 17 March 2023

Time: 09h30

Venue: Central Hotel Reception Area, Omaruru in Erongo Region

The Project Proponent: Tarah Hainana

The Meeting was attended by 3 people (**Please refer to the attached attendance register**)

- **One Environmental consultant** from Serja Hydrogeo-Environmental Consultants CC and **one Archaeologist** from TARO Archaeology & Heritage Consultants
- **A representative** from EPL-7582
- **One affected Farmer** (Mr. Francois A Kotze from Farm Roidina 217 who would not be available for the 11h30 meeting) - as shown on the photos in Figure 1 below.



Figure 1: The 1st consultation meeting slot in progress at Central Hotel in Omaruru (17 March 2023)

1. INTRODUCTION AND WELCOMING

Ms. Fredrika Shagama (the lead Environmental Assessment Practitioner / Consultant from Serja Hydrogeo-Environmental Consultants cc) opened the meeting and thanked farmer for attending the meeting. She briefly

explained to him meeting the agenda of the meeting in accordance with the Public Consultation's Section 21 to 24 of the 2012 EIA Regulations: Environmental Management Act No. 7 of 2007.

The farmer was requested to sign the meeting attendance as proof of consultation to be appended to the ESA Report. A copy of the Background Information Document (BID) was also provided to Mr. Kotze for self-reading.

2. MEETING AGENDA AND PRESENTATION

Ms. Shagama presented the agenda of the meeting which included the following main points:

2.1 Explanation of what an ESA is, its Process and the Public Role in the Process

Ms. Shagama explained what an ESA is and that the proposed prospecting and exploration works is one of the listed that cannot be undertaken without an environmental clearance certificate (ECC) from the Environmental Commissioner, and that the consultation meeting is one of the requirements to the EIA study process to apply for the ECC.

2.2 Brief Description of the Project

A brief description of the planned project activities was presented as per the provided BID copy. Ms. Shagama reiterated that it is important for the farmers to understand that the proposed activities are not for mining activities but exploration only. This is also because the Proponent cannot mine on an EPL. Mining can only be done once the exploration activities yield positive (economic feasible) results, which would mean the Proponent will need to apply for a Mining License (ML). The ML will be subject to another detailed EIA Study with specialists and apply for an ECC for mining activities. Therefore, the ESA Study focuses on prospecting an exploration phase only.

2.3 Presentation of Potential Project Impacts

To ensure transparency and that the attendees understand both sides of the proposed project activities, Ms. Shagama presented the potential pre-identified potential positive and negative environmental impacts anticipated from the proposed prospecting and exploration activities.

2.4 Public Open Discussion (Interactive Session)

The farmer was provided with an opportunity to ask questions and/or raise concerns with regards to the proposed project activities.

The key comments and issues made in the meeting were recorded and noted for consideration and inclusion in the ESA Report. These issues and comments are presented in **Table 1**.

Table 1: Issues, suggestions and comments received during the 1st Consultation Meeting Slot on 17 March 2023 at 09h30

No.	Name of the speaker/commentor & Capacity	Comment/Issue/Suggestion	Response provided by:
1.	Mr. Francois Kotze (Farm Roidina No. 217)	Before and during exploration, the right channels and procedures of communication should be followed and appointments to see individual landowners and site (farm) areas should be made well in time. The land access agreements/contracts will need to be drafted for each exploration stage, i.e., there will be a contract for soil sampling, then another one for trenching and then drilling.	<p>Ms. Fredrika Shagama (Ms. FS): This has been well noted and will be incorporated into the Environmental Management Plan (EMP) for implementation. The EMP will also be used by the landowners as a guide when drafting land access agreements with the Proponent.</p> <p>Mr. Tarah Hainana (Mr. TH) (EPL-7582): Noted. I also believe that transparency, building and maintaining a good relationship as well as managing it, will be very important for the activities.</p>
2.		There are certain infrastructure such as the Game Camp. Access to this area will need to be requested on time and appointment made with me. My office is open weekdays, Monday to Thursday from 07h00 to 17h00 and Fridays from 07h00 to 13h00.	<p>Ms. FS: This has been noted and Mr. Hainana is also taking notes of this to implement during exploration stage.</p>
3.		<p>One of the challenges would be the airfield/hanger on the northern border of the farm.</p> <p>-Entrance from the lodge would be challenge to access to the access the target areas to the east.</p> <p>-Consider adding a gate where access will be necessary and there is no gate.</p>	<p>Ms. FS: Noted.</p> <p>Mr. TH (EPL-7582): This has been well noted. The preliminary target areas of exploration areas area mainly on the western side of Farm Roidina and towards Farm Otjua No. 37. Therefore, exploration will be mainly concentrated on these area.</p>
4	Mr. Roland Mushi (TARO Consultants/Archaeologist)	<p>-Are there any known heritage and cultural sites on the farm? We need to map these so that they are protected during prospecting and exploration activities.</p> <p>-We will need to visit these for mapping and take photos for the Heritage report.</p>	<p>Mr. Francois Kotze: There is a memorial stone in the mountain and other heritages resources on the farm.</p> <p>-We need to arrange for the visits to these sites.</p>
<p>Archaeological & Heritage Impact Assessment: Mr. Roland Mushi will send an email to Mr. Kotze to arrange for the site visit to conduct the Archaeology & Heritage assessment on the Farm.</p>			

There were no further questions or comments/concerns.

Ms. Shagama thanked Mr. Kotze for making time to sit with us, informed him that his input is well appreciated and that the comments he made will be incorporated into the ESA report and suggestions added to the EMP. Ms. Shagama then closed the meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 10h20.

2ND CONSULTATION MEETING SLOT (CATERING FOR EPL-7582 AND EPL-8241 AS THE TWO EPLS ARE IN THE SAME AREA)

Date: Friday, 17 March 2023

Time: 11h30

Venue: Central Hotel Boardroom, Omaruru in Erongo Region

The Project Proponent: Tarah Hainana (EPL-7582) & Barbara Tjiroze (EPL-8241)

The Meeting was attended by ten (10) people (Please refer to the attached attendance register. However, one attendee from Farm Okosongoro No. 45 & Okarumuti No. 216 (EPL-7582) not sign the attendance register, while two representatives from Farm Piechazek No. 236 &237 also did not register themselves, but only indicated 'Piechazek' in the register).

- **One Environmental consultant** from Serja Hydrogeo-Environmental Consultants CC and **One Archaeologist** from TARO Archaeology & Heritage Consultants
- **One representative** from EPL-7582
- **Seven (7) representatives from the affected farms** (whose farms are covered/overlain by the 2 EPLs) – please refer to the meeting photos in Figure 2.



Figure 2: The 2nd consultation meeting slot in progress at Central Hotel in Omaruru (17 March 2023)

1. INTRODUCTION AND WELCOMING

Ms. Fredrika Shagama (the lead Environmental Assessment Practitioner / Consultant from Serja Hydrogeo-Environmental Consultants cc) opened the meeting and thanked farmers' representatives for making time. She

briefly explained the meeting agenda of the meeting in accordance with the Public Consultation's Section 21 to 24 of the 2012 EIA Regulations: Environmental Management Act No. 7 of 2007.

The Environmental Consultant circulated the consultation meeting attendance for signature as proof of consultation to be appended to the ESA Report. Printed copies of the Background Information Documents (BIDs) were also distributed to the attendees for self-reading to enable the raising of concerns, and submitting comments.

2. MEETING AGENDA AND PRESENTATION

Ms. Shagama presented the agenda of the meeting which included the following main points:

2.1 Explanation of what an ESA is, its Process and the Public Role in the Process

Ms. Shagama explained the ESA process and that the proposed prospecting and exploration works is one of the listed that cannot be undertaken without an environmental clearance certificate (ECC) from the Environmental Commissioner, and that the consultation meeting is one of the requirements to the EIA study process to apply for the ECCs for the two EPLs (7582 and 8241).

2.2 Brief Description of the Project

A brief description of the planned project activities was presented as per the provided BIDs copy. Ms. Shagama reiterated that it is important for the farmers to understand that the proposed activities are not for mining activities but exploration only. This is also because the Proponent cannot mine on EPLs as mining can only be done once the exploration activities yield positive (economic feasible) results, of which the Proponent will need to apply for a Mining License (ML). The ML will be subject to another detailed EIA Study with specialists and apply for an ECC for mining activities. Therefore, the ESA Study focuses on prospecting an exploration phase only.

2.3 Presentation of Potential Project Impacts

To ensure transparency and that the attendees understand both sides of the proposed project activities, Ms. Shagama presented the potential pre-identified potential positive and negative environmental impacts anticipated from the proposed prospecting and exploration activities.

2.4 Public Open Discussion (Interactive Session)

Upon presentation of the ESA/EIA process, project activities, and anticipated impacts, the meeting attendees were afforded an an opportunity to ask questions and/or raise concerns with regards to the proposed project activities.

The key comments and concerns raised in the meeting were noted for consideration and inclusion in the ESA Report. These recorded comments and concerns are presented in **Table 2**.

Table 2: Issues, suggestions and comments received during the Consultation Meeting on 17 March 2023 at 11h30

No.	Name of the speaker/commentor & Capacity	Comment/Issue/Suggestion	Response provided by:
1.	Mr. P. Clausen (Farm Okosongoro No. 45 & Farm Okarumuti No. 216): EPL-7582	Exploration and any mining related activities will always have a negative impact on the farming, particularly game farming (trophy hunting) and eventually tourism. There are also other activities of	Ms. Fredrika Shagama (Ms. FS): Noted. We will try to address this impact in the ESA Report and provide measures that can be

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		<p>income generation on some farms such as charcoal.</p> <p>The planning of exploration trips to the farms should be properly done and consultation with individual farmers done during land access agreement period.</p>	<p>implemented during exploration activities' presence in the area.</p> <p>With regards to access agreements, yes, this will need to be adhered to by every EPL owner before commencement of any ground works.</p> <p>Mr. Tarah Hainana (Mr. TH – EPL7582): I also believe that transparency, building and maintaining a good relationship as well as managing it, will be very important for the activities.</p>
2.		<p>There is a concern of accidental fire outbreaks from fires that may be started by the exploration crews. Will there be any compensation for damages to property and affected wildlife?</p>	<p>Ms. FS: This is well noted. And yes, provision will be made for compensation in case fire outbreaks from exploration related activities. It will also be important for the landowner/farmer to include such incidents as conditions in their land access and use agreements. This aspect will also be included in the Environmental Management Plan (EMP) to be shared with all farmers.</p>
3.		<p>The issue of poaching of wildlife and livestock theft on the farm during exploration. I recommend that proponents should ensure that the project workers onsite are provided with enough food to make sure that they are not tempted to poach or steal livestock for food.</p>	<p>Ms. FS: Noted for inclusion in the EMP.</p>
4.	<p>Ms. Uda Clausen (Farm Okosongoro No. 45 & Farm Okarumuti No. 216): EPL-7582</p>	<p>Mining cannot co-exist with farming/wildlife. Wildlife has decreased over the year and this decrease has been linked to projects such as charcoal, mining and exploration activities. Due to these activities, livestock is mainly enclosed in kraals to prevent animal theft by these project related personnel.</p> <p>As the saying goes "thank the farmer if you have eaten today". Therefore, this needs to be looked at.</p>	<p>Ms. FS: This has been noted. We understand the concern and we will try to address in the environmental documents and how the impact can be mitigated during exploration. It should also be noted that exploration will be site specific within the EPL and not necessary the whole EPL area, and duration is shorter compared to mining itself, which does not form part of this environmental assessment.</p>
5		<p>I think there should be a shares agreement when mining starts as a form of compensation to disturbed farm land.</p>	<p>Ms. FS: Noted. This would be consider when and if the EPL is converted into a mining</p>

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			license (which can only be confirmed after exploration).
6.		Why is the EPL specifically in our area? Why Omaruru	Ms. FS: EPL applications are made in an area based on the geology/rock units of an area which determines the type of mineral commodities are associated with that geology. Therefore, proponents select an area either based on a historical exploration finding or purely the geological map. In other words, the Proponent applied for this EPL, based on their interest to explore for Base & Rare metals (copper and zinc), industrial minerals (lithium) and precious metals (gold), dimension stone (granite) with the hope of finding an economic feasible concentration of either of the minerals.
7.	Mr. Markus Trede (Farm Lindholm No. 237), EPL-8241	Can please explain to us how the exploration process works or what stages are included in that?	Ms. FS: prospecting and exploration activities are done as a follow-up exercise to the phases involved (the aim is to obtain as much information as possible which aids in planning for the next stage of exploration, if feasible). The phases/stage are (1) prospecting which includes non-invasive methods such as geological mapping, aeromagnetic survey (capturing ground data from a low-flying small exploration air craft), (2) soil & rock sampling – collecting of soil and rock samples in the field where one would need sampling bags (1kg, or 5kg, depending on the required sample size) and sampling tools such as hand-held sampling scoops. The 3 rd phase involves invasive methods (trenching and drilling). For trenching, there would be an excavator, spades and other associated equipment. During the trenching, this equipment will be stored onsite until the work is completed. The same applies to drilling (drill rigs, bowsers, truck and associated vehicles and equipment). Therefore, it will not be economical to take the equipment on and offsite to return the following week or months. However, the Proponent and their contractors will need to communicate this to

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			<p>the farm owners, which includes how many people will be onsite at a given time, etc.</p> <p>Exploration duration is result driven and depending on the factors such as, how fast the laboratory sends back the sample results to be able to continue with the next phase and how soon the investors release funds for the next phase, etc. This is the reason some exploration projects can even take 5 to 7 years.</p>
8.	Ms. Alina Vogel (Farm Gross Okandjou No. 187)	We often hear about EPL owners selling their licenses after. What guarantee do we have that a proponent will not do the same and we will have a completely new face when activities start and have no one to hold accountable for possible damages on our farms during exploration?	Mr. TH – EPL7582: The Ministry of Mines & Energy (MME) does not allow the sale of an EPL wholly to a new owner as the initial EPL holder is required to stay on the EPL with at least 15%. Therefore, you will still see me when exploration commences.
9.	Mr. Markus Trede (Farm Lindholm No. 237)	There seems to be a lot of negative impacts than positive ones. How can we be convinced that the positive impacts are at least giving us hope?	<p>Ms. FS: Unfortunately for exploration, the direct positive impacts are few compared to the negatives, but this is exactly why exploration activities and other projects are listed under the 2012 EIA Regulations. For the exploration, there are more negative impacts as this is associated with the project activities, and the aim of the ESA/EIA study is therefore to assess the potential negative (adverse) and see how their significance can be reduced to acceptable levels. For instance, if water is encountered in some exploration holes that will no longer be needed for further exploration data collection, the hole cannot be backfilled/closed. The holes would be communicated with the respective farmer to reach a decision for the Proponent to equip the borehole for the farmer to use it further (for water supply).</p> <p>Furthermore, in terms of other benefits to the farmers apart from land access fees, they would also procure certain services and goods such as provision of drinking and cooking water exploration crew while onsite at a fee, etc.</p>

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10.	Ms. Uda Clausen (Farm Okosongoro No. 45 & Farm Okarumuti No. 216): EPL-7582)	The conservation of heritage resources should be prioritized.	Ms. FS: Noted. This is actually one of the crucial components of the environmental assessment as the EPL will also need a consent letter from the Heritage Council. One of the team member with us is the Archaeologist Mr. Mushi who will need access to the farms covered by the EPL so that he can conduct an Archaeological & Heritage impact Assessment (AHIA). The AHIA Report will be submitted with an application to the National Heritage Council for evaluation and consideration of the Heritage consent letter. The consent letter will be submitted to the Environmental Commissioner as part of the requirements to the ECC application.
Archaeological & Heritage Impact Assessment: Mr. Roland Mushi (the Archaeologist) will send email requests to the farmers for farm access so that he can conduct the Archaeological & Heritage impact Assessment (AHIA) and map the heritage sites/resources within EPL-7582.			

There were no further questions or comments/concerns. However, some attendees indicated that they would send comments to Serja within 14 days, i.e. by Friday, 31 March 2023 for incorporation into the Report and EMP.

Ms. Shagama concluded the meeting and thanked the attendees for their participation. She informed them that their comments will be incorporated into the ESA report and suggestions added to the EMP before finalizing the documents for submission to the Environmental Commissioner.

The meeting was adjourned at 13h50.

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