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OFFICE OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSIONER

Mr Marco Swarts Chief Executive Officer Municipality of Swakopmund PO Box 53 Swakopmund, Namibia

Dear Mr. Swarts

SUBJECT: ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE FOR AN EXISTING SWAKOPMUND WASTE DISPOSAL SITE, ERONGO REGION

The Environmental Management Plan submitted is sufficient as it made provisions of the environmental management concerning the proposed activities. From this perspective regular environmental monitoring and evaluations on environmental performance should be conducted. Targets for improvements should be established and monitored throughout the process.

This Ministry would like your institution to provide quarterly reports of waste that will be disposed at the site during the period of this environmental clearance. Moreover, the Ministry reserves the right to attach further legislative and regulatory conditions during the operational phase of the project.

On the basis of the above, this letter serves as an environmental clearance certificate for the project to proceed. However, this clearance letter does not in any way hold the Ministry of Environment and Tourism accountable for misleading information, nor any adverse effects that may arise from this project's activities. Instead, full accountability rests with the Municipality of Swakopmund and his/her consultant.

This environmental clearance is valid for a period of 3 (three) years, from the date of issue unless withdrawn by this office.

Yours sincerely,

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