



11 November 2022

Memorandum

Subject: EIA APPLICATION APP hard copies submitted 05 September 2022

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT (SCOPING REPORT AND EIA & EMP) FOR THE ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE FOR THE TEMPORARY WATER PIPELINE FROM THE RÖSSING PIPELINE VIA FARM WEIZENBERG TO THE ETANGO MINE SITE DURING CONSTRUCTION – FINAL SUBMISSION

Submission of the final EIA report to the Ministry of Agriculture, Water and Land Reform (MAWLR)

The EIA process for the above-mentioned project has been completed. The Final EIA report was submitted to the MAWLR (i.e. Competent Authority for the proposed activity) on the 18 November 2022, for their review and consideration.

Once the MAWLR have completed their review, they will share the report as well as their recommendations with the Ministry of Environment, Forestry and Tourism (MEFT): Department of Environmental Affairs (i.e. office of the Environmental Commissioner) for their final review and decision regarding the application (MEFT Application number – Form 1 and support documents were submitted as hard copies on 05 September 2022).

A “Consent Letter” can therefore not be uploaded by ASEC at this stage, due to the fact that the correspondence will take place between MAWLR and MEFT, as per the above mentioned.