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Public Meeting Attendance Register

Project: Environmental Scoping Assessment (ESA) For The Proposed Prospecting & Exploration Activities On
Exclusive Prospecting Licence (EPL) No. 8289 Located South-East of Arandis in Erongo Region, Namibia






Venue: ARANDIS TOWNS HALL

Date: 23 09 2022

Time: 12:00

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PUBLIC CONSULTATION MEETING MINUTES:

ENVIRONMENTAL SCOPING ASSESSMENT (ESA) FOR THE PROPOSED PROSPECTING & EXPLORATION ACTIVITIES ON EXCLUSIVE PROSPECTING LICENCE (EPL) NO. 8289 LOCATED SOUTH-EAST OF ARANDIS IN ERONGO REGION, NAMIBIA

Date: Friday, 23 September 2022

Time: 12h00 – 13H00

Venue: Arandis Town Council Hall

The public consultation meeting was attended by Eleven (11) people, including: an Economist Consultant, a GIS technician, an Archaeologist from Excel Dynamic Solutions (Pty) Ltd (EDS), farmer affected by the EPL.

1. INTRODUCTION AND WELCOMING REMARKS

The meeting was officially opened by Mr. Stefanus Johannes (GIS technician) with a welcoming remark. Mr. Stefanus Johannes (the GIS technician / Consultant) introduce himself and his colleagues. Mr. Stefanus expressed gratitude to everyone in attendance for making time to attend the meeting. He briefly explained to the attendees what the meeting was all about and why they were invited (with reference to the Environmental Management Act (EMA) No. 7 of 2007 and its 2012 Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations on Public Consultation).

The meeting attendance register was then circulated for the attendees to write down their names and contact details and sign so that they could be added to the list of interested and affected parties (I&APs) and receive further information on the ESA process.

2 MEETING AGENDA AND PRESENTATION

The agenda of the meeting included the following:

2.1 Brief Description of the Project

Mr. Stefanus Johannes provided a short description of the planned project and its associated activities, the Environmental Scoping Assessment (ESA) process, and the reason why the proponent appointed EDS, as an independent environmental consultant to carry out the EIA and Environmental Clearance Certificate (ECC).

2.2 Presentation of Potential Project Impacts:

To ensure transparency and provide clarity to the attendees, the Environmental Consultants also presented the potential pre-identified positive, negative environmental, and social impacts.

2.3 Public Open Discussion (Interactive Session):

Mr. Stefanus Johannes provided the meeting attendees the opportunity to raise their concerns or issues and or comment on the proposed project activities. The issues and comments are presented in **Table 1** below.

Table 1: Comments and issues raised during the consultation meeting, 21 September 2022

Comment or issue No.	Commenter name and issue or comment or question	Response and name of responder:
1.	Mr. Thomas: will the concerns raised from current attendance be satisfactory to due to the small number of attendance?	Mr. Stefanus Johannes: the chance to raise comments and concerns does not end hear the is still a grace period to raise comments and concerns through reaching out to our office line or email which is provide on the BID, newspaper adverts and on the site notices which are place around the Arandis town, the last date of raising concern and comments is set to be on the 03 October 2022.
2.	Mr. Emmanuel: What is the guarantee the proponent will fulfill his promise of social responsibility and employment	Mr. Stefanus Johannes: due to the nature of the question only the proponent has accurate answer to it, due to that he hase full understanding of the operation of the project and deliverance. Thanks for the question I will incorporate it in the meeting minutes for the proponent to be aware of it and hopefully to get back to you in due course.
3.	Mr. Christoph: We are happy about the project and we will be highly looking forward to the community benefits that will arise from this project.	Mr. Stefanus Johannes: Noted with thanks.

FINAL REMARKS AND CONCLUSION OF THE MEETING

Mr. Stefanus Johannes thanked the attendees for their inputs. He indicated to them that all the comments and concerns have been noted down for consideration and will be addressed and incorporated into the draft ESA report and the Environmental Management Plan (EMP).

Furthermore, they were informed that the draft meeting minutes, the ESA report, and the EMP will be shared with them for review and further comments. These documents will be made available through emails provided on the attendance register. Once the review of the draft ESA report and the EMP is done, the documents will be finalized and submitted to the Environmental Commissioner at the Department of Environmental Affairs and Forestry (DEAF) for evaluation and consideration of an ECC.

The meeting was adjourned at 14h00.