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The Environmental Commissioner
Ministry of Environment, Forestry and Tourism
c/o Robert Mugabe and Umland Streets
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17th of May 2022

The Mining Commissioner
Ministry of Mines and Energy
6 Aviation Road
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ATT: Environmental Commissioner (Mr. Timoteus Mufeti)
CC: Mining commissioner (Mr. Erastus Shivole)

Dear Sir,

RE: APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE: EXPLORATION ACTIVITIES ON EPL 8776, NEAR SWAKOPMUND, ERONGO REGION, NAMIBIA

Earth Environmental Services (EES) JV Alliance Environmental Consultancy CC(AEC) has been engaged by Mr. Karel. A Esterhuizen Snr to act on their behalf in applying for an environmental clearance certificate for:

APP-003741: The proposed exploration activities for industrial minerals, on Exclusive Prospective License (EPL) 8776 near Swakopmund, Erongo Region, Namibia.

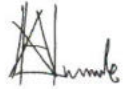
In terms of the Environmental Management Act (No. 7 of 2007) and the Environmental Impact Assessment regulations (Government Notice. 30 of 2012), the Ministry of Mines and Energy (MME) have been identified as the competent authorities and The Ministry of Environment, Forestry, and Tourism (MEFT) the issuing authority.

EES JV AEC hereby submits the following documents in support of the application:

- Application Form 1 (Proof of Payment duly stamped in the amount of N\$ 300.00)
- Environmental Scoping Assessment Report
- Environmental Management Plan

Should you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours Sincerely,



Ms. Lovisa Amwele
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Ms. Emerita Ashipala
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ANNEXURE 1
FORMS

Form 1

REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA
ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT ACT, 2007

(Section 32)

APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE
EPL - 8776



PART A: DETAILS OF APPLICANT

1. Name: (person or business):
Mr. Karel. A Esterhuizen Snr (Proponent)

2. Business Registration / Identity No. (if applicable)
58121500370

3. Correspondence Address:
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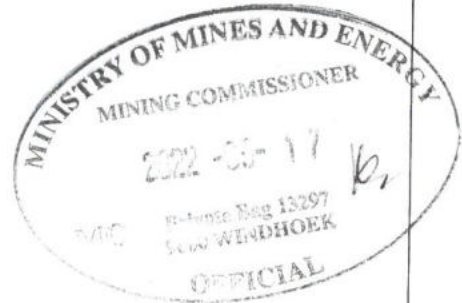
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Ms. E. L. Ashipala
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5. Position of Contact Person:
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Tick () the appropriate box

PART B: SCOPE OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE**1. The environmental clearance certificate is for:**

The proposed industrial minerals exploration activities on Exclusive Prospective License (EPL) 8776 in the Erongo Region, Namibia.

2. Details of the activity(s) covered by the environmental clearance certificate:**Title of Activity:**

The proposed industrial minerals exploration activities on Exclusive Prospective License (EPL) 8776 in the Erongo Region, Namibia.

Nature of Activity:

The proposed industrial minerals exploration activities

The provision of the listed activities are as follows:

MINING AND QUARRYING ACTIVITIES

3.1 The construction of facilities for any process or activities which requires a license, right, or other forms of authorization, and the renewal of a license, right, or any other form of authorization in terms of Minerals (Prospecting and Mining Act), 1992.

3.2 Other forms of mining or extraction of natural resources whether regulated by law or not.

3.3 Resource extraction, manipulation, conservation, and related activities.

Scale and Scope of Activity:

1. Exploration activities include a desktop review of existing data as well as all past research. This is conducted in the general area to see if there are any prospective targets. This is done by purchasing high-resolution data from the Government and interpreting it as part of the first stage of exploration.
2. Regional reconnaissance assessment, which includes field-based activities such as regional mapping and sampling in order to identify and validate prospective targeted areas identified during stage 1. This step is only carried out if the step 1 has identified some possible targets that need to be explored further.
3. Initial field-based activities such as widely distributed geological mapping, sampling, surveying, and maybe widely spaced trenching and drilling to verify the feasibility of any identified local target based on the regional data acquired in step 2 above. The degree or depth of exploration carried out at this stage is contingent on the discovery of viable/prospective mineral resources. Alternatively, if the specified target(s) proves to be non-variable, the license is revoked.
4. Water required for the project will be brought to site by truck and power will be sourced from a generator.

Location of Activity:

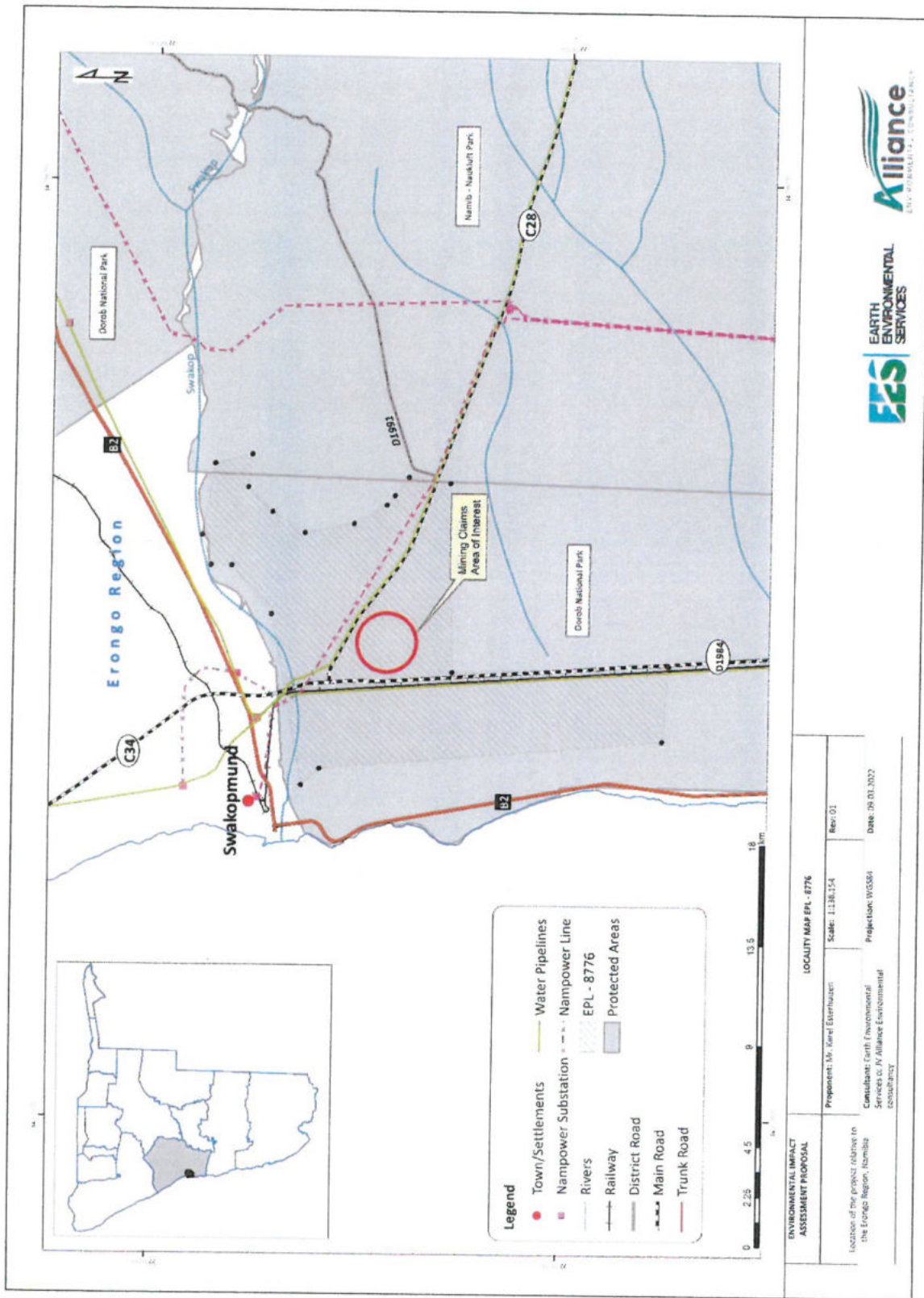



FIGURE 1 - LOCATION OF THE PROJECT AREA



PART C: DECLARATION BY APPLICANT

I hereby certify that the particulars given above are correct and true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand the environmental clearance certificate may be suspended, amended or cancelled if any information given above is false, misleading, wrong or incomplete.

	LOVISA AMWELE	EAP
Signature of Applicant	Full Name in Block Letters	Position
on behalf of Mr. Karel. A Esterhuizen Snr	<u>17/05/2022</u>	Date

ENVIRONMENTAL SCOPING AND IMPACT ASSESSMENT FOR

THE EXPLORATION AND MINING ACTIVITIES
ON EPL 8776 AND RELATED 20 MINING CLAIMS

Erongo Region

