

## **REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA**

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## OFFICE OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSIONER

The Permanent Secretary Ministry of Mines and Energy Private Bag 13297 Windhoek

Dear Colleague

SUBJECT: ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE FOR THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR THE PROPOSED NEW BULK FUEL STORAGE FACILITY IN WALVIS BAY, NAMIBIA

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

On the basis of the above, this letter serves as an environmental clearance for the project to commence. This clearance letter does not in anyway hold the Ministry of Environment and Tourism accountable for misleading information, nor any adverse effects that may arise from this project activity. Instead, full accountability rests with the proponent.

This environmental clearance is valid for a period of 3 (three) years, from date of issue unless withdrawn by this office.

Yours sincerely

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ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSIONER

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