SLR Environmental Consulting (Namibia) (Proprietary) Limited



May 12, 2025

Dear Sir/Madam

SLR Project No: 733.023026.00001

MEFT Ref.: 240129002730

RE: Environmental Impact Assessment for the proposed Water Pipeline from the Kranzberg Boreholes via Karibib to Twin Hills Mine, Erongo Region -

Notification of Decision and Award of Environmental Clearance

Certificate

On behalf of Osino Gold Exploration and Mining (Pty) Ltd (Osino), notice is hereby given that on the 23 April 2025 the Ministry of Environment, Forestry and Tourism: Directorate of Environmental Affairs granted an Environmental Clearance Certificate (ECC 2502446) for the Water Pipeline from the Kranzberg Boreholes via Karibib to the Twin Hills Mine, in terms of the Environmental Management Act (No. 7 of 2007) and the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations (2012).

The ECC authorises Osino to install and utilise the pipeline as a water supply option for the Twin Hills Mine in the Erongo Region.

In terms of Section 50 of the Environmental Management Act, you may appeal against the ECC decision if you are aggrieved by the decision of the Environmental Commissioner. Per Regulation 25(2) of the EIA Regulations, any appeal must be submitted within 14 days from the date of receipt of this notice, be made on the form available from the Ministry, and be accompanied by the prescribed fee.

Appeals should be submitted directly to the **Minister for Environment**, **Forestry and Tourism** at the below address:

Attention: Minister of Environment, Forestry and Tourism – Ms Indileni Daniel Philip Trotsky Building c/o Dr Kenneth Kaunda Str and Robert Mugabe Avenue

Please contact SLR should you require further assistance.



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We thank you for your involvement during the EIA process.

Should you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Yours sincerely

Regards,

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Attachments: Environmental Clearance Certificate



ECC- 2502446



REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA

MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FORESTRY AND TOURISM

OFFICE OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSIONER

ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE

ISSUED

In accordance with Section 37(2) of the Environmental Management Act (Act No. 7 of 2007)

TO

Osino Gold Exploration and Mining (Pty) Ltd Private Bag 13389, Windhoek, Namibia

TO UNDERTAKE THE FOLLOWING LISTED ACTIVITY

Proposed Water Pipeline from the Kranzberg Boreholes via Karibib to Twin Hills Mine, Erongo Region.

Issued on the date:

2025-04-23

Expires on this date:

2028-04-23

(See conditions printed overleaf)

ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSIONER



Serial: 25biHCO2446

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