## Declaration of authorship

APPLICATION NUMBER: 005393 **Project Title:** ENVIRONMENTAL SCOPING ASSESSMENT (ESA) FOR THE PROPOSED INDUSTRIAL MINERALS ON EXCLUSIVE PROSPECTING LICENSE (EPL) No. 9354 LOCATED SOUTH- WEST OF GROOTFONTEIN IN OTJOZONDJUPA REGION. I Vistolina Augustus (full name of Environmental Assessment Practitioner - EAP) understand and agree that the information I have furnished in this submission will be reviewed by the Office of the Environmental Commissioner (OEC). I accept that the Environmental Commissioner, will hold me accountable in terms of Section 43(1)(b) of the Environmental Management Act, Act No. 7 of 2007 for any inaccurate or misleading information knowingly provided in the following documentation. Tick the box (es) applicable to your submission: Pro Forma Environmental Contract for Mining Claim(s) Environmental Questionnaire For Mining Scoping report Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Environmental Management Plan (EMP), Consent from Relevant Authority I certify, and, acknowledge that the provision of such information will impede the lawful carrying out of the duties, responsibilities and functions of the Environmental Commissioner. I declare that the information submitted is my own work. All direct or indirect sources used are acknowledged as references. Consultancy Name: Excel Dynamic Solutions (Pty) Ltd EAP Signature:.. Date: 22 May 2025