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OFFICE OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSIONER

The Chief Regional Officer Omaheke Regional Council P/Bag 2277 Gobabis Namibia

Dear Sir /Madam

SUBJECT: ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE FOR THE PROPOSED EPUKIRO TOWNSHIP ESTABLISHMENT IN OMAHEKE REGION

The Environmental Scoping Report and Environmental Management Plan submitted are sufficient as these made provisions of the environmental management concerning the project's activities. 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.

This Ministry reserves the right to attach further legislative and regulatory conditions during the operational phase of the project.

On the basis of the above, this letter serves as an environmental clearance for the project to commence. However, this clearance letter does not in any way hold the Ministry of Environment and Tourism accountable for misleading information, nor any adverse effects that may arise from this project's activities. Instead, full accountability rests with Omaheke Regional Council (Epukiro Settlement) and its consultants.

This environmental clearance is valid for a period of 3 (three) years, from the date of issue unless withdrawn by this office.

Yours sincerely,

P/Bag 13306 Windhoek, Namibia

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