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**EXPLORATION ACTIVITIES ON EXCLUSIVE PROSPECTING LICENSE (EPL)
AREA 10041 IN THE OMAHEKE REGION**

PROOF OF PUBLIC CONSULTATION



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Notification Letter to Omaheke Regional Council



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To: Interested and / or Affected Party / Neighbour 05 March 2025
 Re: ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT AND MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR EXCLUSIVE PROSPECTING LICENCE 10041, OMAHEKE REGION

Dear Sir/Madam

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Fax: 088-62-6368 or **E-Mail:** epl_10041@thenamib.com.

Registration and preliminary comments should reach our offices by latest 21 March 2025.

Should you require any additional information please contact Geo Pollution Technologies at telephone 061-257411.

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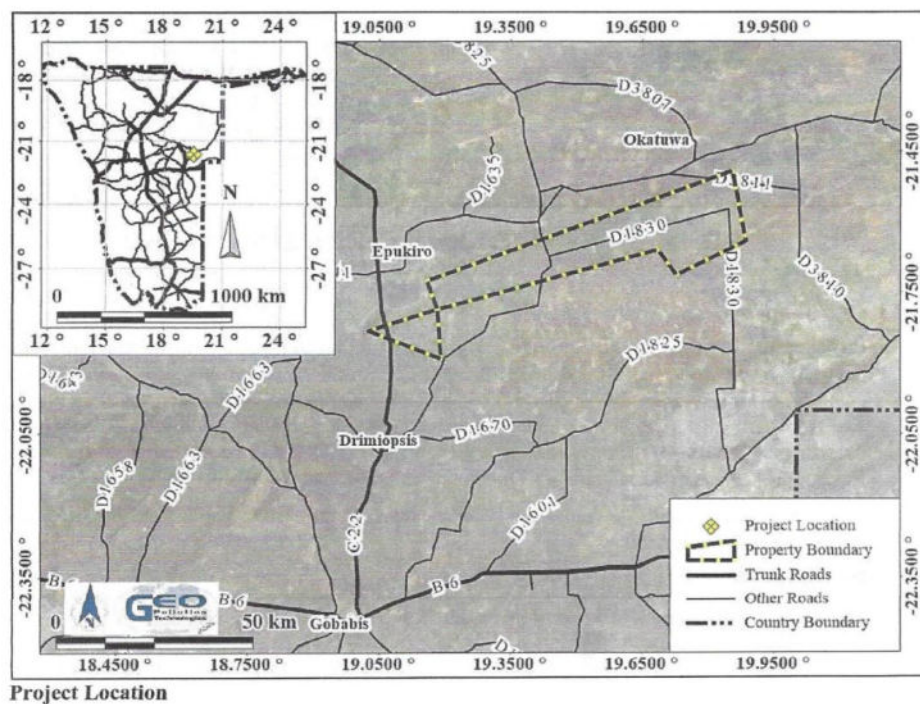
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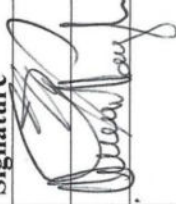
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Environmental Assessment and Management Plan for Exclusive Prospecting Licence 10041, Omaheke Region

March 2025

Monday 10 March 2025 **NEW ERA****NEWS** | 5

DRC gets new police station

■ **Eveline de Klerk**

SWAKOPMUND - The Democratic Resettlement Community (DRC), a township in Swakopmund, which is home to over 40 000 residents, has long faced challenges with criminal activities, leaving residents in constant fear for years.

However, thanks to a generous donation from Rössing Uranium, the community now has access to police services, after the mining company constructed a police station.

Rössing constructed a state-of-the-art police station to the tune of N\$23 million. The station, which was inaugurated on Thursday, was constructed within five months. A total of 22 officers have been assigned to the new station.

The facility boasts four holding cells, each with an exercise courtyard, an interrogation room, a doctor's consultation room, a visitors' room, an armoury room, a records and archives room, an evidence room, four offices, a boardroom, ablution facilities, a secure passage for inmate drop-offs, dining area, a pantry, a laundry room, staff kitchen and a server/radio room. Safety and security minister Albert Kawana applauded the mine for

their generous donation while acknowledging the ongoing challenges faced by residents due to the lack of a local police station.

Kawana said the station would significantly improve police response times, bringing law-enforcement services closer to the community and enhancing public safety. Police supremo Joseph Shikongo on the day also expressed gratitude towards Rössing Uranium, saying the station is more than just bricks and mortar.

"It is a testament to the commitment of the Namibian government, the ministry of home affairs and key stakeholders, including Rössing Uranium whose financial contribution made the facility possible," he said.

Rössing Uranium's board chairperson, Steve Galloway, pointed out that they opted to construct the police station to keep the community as well as their employees safe.

"Many people in the community lived in constant fear, not knowing whether they would wake up to a safe tomorrow."

Many of our employees had been victims while on their way to work or returning home," he said.

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Service... The new police station in Swakopmund's DRC settlement.

Photo: Contributed

Shangula commissions medical boat for Zambezi

Universal healthcare... Health minister Dr Kahumba Shangula (left) on Friday officially commissioned a purpose-built medical boat aimed at bridging the gap in healthcare access for communities in flood-prone areas. Photo: Albertina Nakale

■ **Albertina Nakale**

KATIMA MULILO - Health Minister Dr. Kahumba Shangula on Friday commissioned a purpose-built medical boat aimed at bridging the gap in healthcare access for communities in flood-prone areas in Zambezi region.

"We gathered here today for a very special occasion to witness the commissioning of a purpose-built boat, designed to facilitate the transportation of health workers and patients on the water course," said Shangula. The boat, donated by the United States President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief (PEPFAR) at a cost of over N\$600 000, is set to serve as a crucial healthcare lifeline for remote communities.

The minister said that the donation marks a significant milestone in Namibia's ongoing

mission to provide integrated, affordable and quality healthcare services.

"The geography of the Zambezi Region presents unique challenges, particularly during the rainy season when flooding disrupts access to essential health services," Shangula stated.

Shangula added the boat is a targeted solution to ensure that all citizens, irrespective of location, have access to necessary healthcare services.

The introduction of the medical boat aligns with Namibia's recently approved Universal Health Coverage (UHC) policy.

"Namibia's UHC Service Coverage Index currently stands at 63%—one of the highest in the SADC region," Shangula noted.

Recognising the growing impact of climate change on healthcare service delivery,

the minister underscored the need for innovative solutions. "Recurrent floods not only disrupt everyday life but also hinder critical healthcare services. This boat is not just a mode of transport—it is a lifeline. It can make a huge difference in maternal and child health services, as well as in managing disease outbreaks," he said.

Speaking at the event, Kabbe North constituency councillor Bernhard Sisamu echoed Shangula's sentiments, urging local communities to take responsibility for maintaining the donated boat.

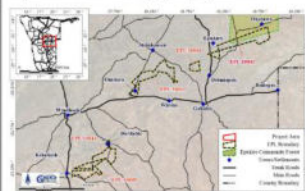
"This boat is an invaluable resource, and it is imperative that we all take ownership of it. Let us work together to safeguard and maintain it so that it can serve us for many years to come," Sisamu stated.

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PUBLIC PARTICIPATION NOTICE ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT: EXCLUSIVE PROSPECTING LICENCES 10042 TO 10045, OMAHEKE, KHOMAS AND HARDAP REGIONS

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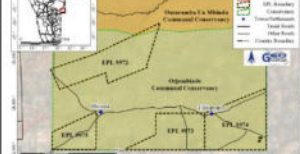
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PUBLIC PARTICIPATION NOTICE Environmental Assessment: Exclusive Prospecting Licences 9972, 9973, 9974 and 9975, Otjombo Constituency, Omaheke Region

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The assessments will be conducted according to the regulations of the Environmental Management Act of 2007. We hereby inform the public of two meetings scheduled to be conducted for the projects:

12 March 2025, Talismanis Community Hall, 10:00 am
13 March 2025, Helena Primary School, 10:00 am

Interested and affected parties are invited to register with GPT by 20 March 2025. The deadline for comments, issues or concerns related to the EPLs, for consideration in the assessments, will be communicated to registered parties.

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MTC Trivia awards three winners

■ Pricilla Mukokobi

MTC Trivia Summer awarded three brand new vehicles to lucky winners of the MTC Trivia Competition, which ran from 2 December 2024 to 2 March 2025.

Eneas Mulike (Windhoek), Edward Gei-Aibeb (Gocheganas) and Bind Penti-Ziipo (Walvis Bay) received keys to their brand-new cars on Thursday at MTC headquarters in Windhoek.

Mulike scooped the first prize of a 2024 Toyota Hilux double-cab bakkie, while Gei-Aibeb walked away with the second prize, a 2024 Toyota Corolla Cross 1.8, and Bind Penti-Ziipo triumphantly took home the third prize, a 2024 Toyota Starlet.

During the prize-giving ceremony, excitement was evident on the winners' faces, when they officially received their grand winnings, describing them as life-changing.

Receiving the car on behalf of her husband Eneas, Letta Mulike expressed gratitude for what she termed as a life-changer for her family.

"My husband has always participated in MTC competitions, but we never expected luck to pay off this big. I am filled with gratitude and excited and would like to encourage MTC to continue giving this life-changing opportunity to their customers," she said.

Gei-Aibeb expressed happiness to win a 2024 Toyota Corolla Cross 1.8 and gratitude to MTC.

"I encourage everyone to participate in the MTC trivia. I know it's not easy but you just need to have faith," he said.

The big three winners were not the only winners as the campaign also had monthly prizes which saw



Trivia winners... Winners in blue shirts, Letta Mulike (Windhoek), Edward Gei-Aibeb (Gocheganas) and Bind Penti-Ziipo (Walvis Bay) received keys to their brand-new vehicles on Thursday at MTC headquarters in Windhoek. Photo: Heather Erdmann

30 participants each walk away with brand new iPad. This is in addition to airtime worth more than N\$200 000 given out during the duration of the campaign.

Shedding light on how the draw was conducted, MTC chief brand, marketing, corporate affairs, and sustainability officer

Tim Ekandjo said all campaign draws were meticulously executed with transparency and fairness.

"We had a panel which consisted of two representatives from the Value-Added Services (VAS) team, one from Corporate Affairs, and one from Internal Auditor,

ensuring the integrity of the selection process. Throughout the campaign, we witnessed a remarkable active engagement and gained valuable insights into customers' behaviour and preferences when it comes to gamification," he said.

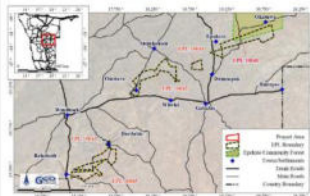
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BID INVITATION

NamWater is inviting registered and reputable firms to submit bids for the following procurement.

Reference Number	Description	Non- Compulsory Pre-Bid meeting/ Site visit	Restriction: Code Of Good Practice On Preferences Referred To In Section 71 And 72 Of Public Procurement Act, 2015	Non-refundable Document Levy	Last day for clarification request	Closing Date
NCS/Rfq/ NW – 026/2025	Provision of cleaning services at various NamWater offices for a period of 36 months (Business Unit South and North)	Wednesday, 2 April 2025, Time: 10H00, Location: Various sites as provided in the bidding document	Exclusive preference to local suppliers in terms of the Code Of Good Practice On Preferences	Free	04 April 2025	10 April 2025 at 11h00
NCS/Rfq/ NW – 027/2025	Provision of cleaning services at various NamWater offices for a period of 36 months (Business Unit Central)	Wednesday, 2 April 2025, Time: 10H00, Location: Okahandja – HRDC. (Bidders may attend site visits at the various sites as provided in the bidding document)	Exclusive preference to local suppliers in terms of the Code Of Good Practice On Preferences	Free	04 April 2025	10 April 2025 at 11h00

Bidding documents will be available as of 17 March 2025. Free bidding documents can be downloaded from www.namwater.com.na.

All prospective bidders who wish to do business with NamWater will be subject to the Public Procurement Act No 15 of 2015 as amended, Public Procurement Regulations 2017 and other directives issued under it.

Documents should be delivered to:
The Quotation/Bid Box
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Swakopmund se strandpromenade strek van die Mole-strand tot by die Platz Am Meer-waterfront. FOTO ADAM HARTMAN

Nuwe baadjie

VAN BL. 1

Die ooreenkomst, wat deur die raad op sy laaste raadsvergadering op 27 Februarie goedgekeur is, word as 'wen-wen-vennootskap' vir beide partye beskou. Terwyl Swakopmund finansiële bevoordeling word om die gewilde wandelpad te help onderhou, verkry Holland Namibië handelsmerksg-

baarheid op 'n manier wat die promenade se geskiedkundige en kulturele betekenis respekteer. Die promenade is 'n fokuspunt van die dorp se toerisme en ontspanning en verbind met ander bekende terreine, insluitend die jetty, Schad-promenade en Strand Hotel. "Hierdie vennootskap sal help om te verseker dat die promenade 'n trekpleister vir beide plaaslike

inwoners en internasionale besoekers bly, terwyl die finansiële druk op die munisipaliteit verminder word," het Wilfried Groenewald, voorsitter van die raadsbestuurskomitee op die raadsvergadering gesê. Behalwe vir handelsmerke, maak die vennootskap die deur oop vir bykomende hydra's van Holland Namibië, insluitend die moontlikheid vir vullisdrome langs die wandel-

pad om die gebied skoon te hou. "Die voorstel is ook daarop gemik om Swakopmund se posisie as 'toonaangewende, innoverende toeristebestemming te verhoog," het Holland gesê, wat die bekendstelling van QR-kodes op naamboorde voorstel om besoekers digitale toegang tot geskiedkundige en toeristiese inligting oor die promenade te gee. adam@eronga.com.na

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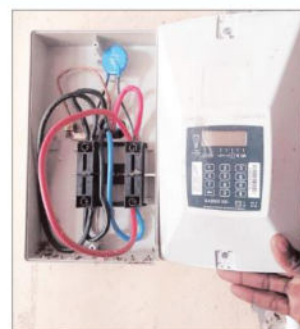
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Hy het gesê Nored het 'n bewusmakingsveldtog begin om die gemeenskappe in te lig oor die gevaar van onwettige verbindinge en die koste daaraan verbonde.

"Inwoners moet verstaan hoe hierdie kriminele aktiwiteite bedryfskoste verhoog, diegene wat die misdade pleeg in gevaar stel, infrastruktuur in gevaar stel en risiko's inhou vir Nored-personeel lede wat aan elektrisiteitsinstallasies werk," het Lukas gesê.

OPSPORING

Hy het verduidelik dat Nored onwettige elektrisiteitsverbindinge opspoor deur veldtgnici se roetineinspeksies, monitoring van kragverbruik, patrone deur meterlesings, samewerking met die Namibiese polisie en openbare bewusmakingsinisiatiewe, insluitend



Onwettige elektrisiteitsverbindinge neem toe. FOTO VERSKAF



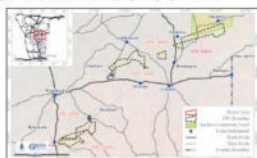
Nored se woordvoerder, Simon Lukas, waarsku teen onwettige elektrisiteitsverbindinge. FOTO VERSKAF/PHOTOS FILE

radioprogramme en gemeenskapsvergaderings. "Onwettige verbindinge kan ook wanbalanse in die netwerk skep, wat die stabiliteit en doeltreffendheid daarvan beïnvloed. Elektrisiteit is uiters gevaarlik en moet altyd wetdig en veilig verskaf word om die verlies van onskuldige lewens en beserings te voorkom," het Lukas beklemtoon.

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PUBLIC PARTICIPATION NOTICE ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT: EXCLUSIVE PROSPECTING LICENCES 10042 TO 10045

Geo Pollution Technologies (GPT) was appointed by Votaram Metals Namibia (VMN), to undertake environmental assessments for proposed exploration activities in exclusive prospecting licence (EPL) areas 10042 to 10045, Omaheke, Karas and Hardap Regions. Upon the successful acquisition of environmental clearance certificates, will the EPLs be granted to VMN. The EPLs are for base, rare and precious metals and industrial minerals. Additional information for each EPL can be obtained at: <http://www.thenamib.com/projects/projects.html>



The assessments will be according to the Environmental Management Act of 2007 and its regulations of 2012. Interested and affected parties are invited to register with GPT and to share comments and concerns related to the projects, for consideration in the assessments. Registrations should be submitted to GPT by 21 March 2025.

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Skoolvoedingsprogram

VAN BL. 1

Verder is daar 'n onderwysontwikkelingsfonds wat onder meer vir skooluniforms vir gemarginaliseerde leerders kan betaal wanneer skole daarvoor aansoek doen.

"As daar voorvalle is waar leerlinge weggewys word weens onvermoë om te betaal, moet dit onmiddellik aan die streekskantoor aangemeld word wat die situasie sal regstel," sê die uitvoerende direkteur se kantoor. Die onderwysministerie moedig ook ouers aan om die ministerie van geslagsgelykheid, armoede-uitwissing en maatskaplike welsyn te nader vir bystand met finansies, vervoer en toegang tot onderwys vir lede van gemarginaliseerde gemeenskappe. Leerlinge wat nie koshuisfooi kan bekostig nie, word aangemoedig om aansoek vir vrystelling by die betrokke skoolraad te doen. Die onderwysministerie verskaf ook N\$22 per kind per dag vir die huisvesting van leerlinge in gemeenskapskoshuise.



Die uiters belangrike nasionale skoolvoedingsprogram is onder druk weens hoë mieliepryse, aldus die onderwysministerie. FOTO ARGIF

Oor die afgelope jaar het die ministerie twee koshuise gebou, met verdere uitbreidings van koshuiskommodasie vir die komende vyf jaar beplan. Bouwerk aan koshuise by die Pendukeni Ithana Sekondêre Skool gaan voort, soos ook by die Onkumbula Gekombineerde Skool, Schuckmansburg

fase twee en Ndoro. Skole op Driemispis, Otjivanda, Aussenkehr, Bravel, Onamutayi en Nkurenkuru is ook ingesluit in die beplanning vir die uitbreiding van koshuise.

In agt van vroeë kinderontwikkelingsentrums is die betaling van onderwysers steeds

die verantwoordelikheid van die ministerie van geslagsgelykheid, armoede-uitwissing en maatskaplike welsyn, volgens die onderwysministerie. Die ministeries werk egter saam om kinderontwikkeling na die ministerie van onderwys, kuns en kultuur oor te dra.

Verder moet skole nie leerlinge sonder identiteitsdokumente wegwys nie, maar kan beëdigde verklarings van hoofmanne of kerkleiers gebruik word om ouderdom vas te stel. Daarna moet die skool help dat leerlinge teen die einde van primêre skool identiteitsdokumente bekom.

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Site Notice 2 – At junction between C22 and C44



Notified and Registered Interested and Affected Parties

Name	Organisation
A.U Kavikairua	Boplaas 420
Axel Webb	Greatrex 417 Portion Original
Brian Katjaerua	Hennep 424
CJ Claassens	Hekel 415
Clive Kavendjii	Hennep 424
Fillemon Aupokolo	NamWater
Freddy Elifas	Verweg
Gerson Katjirua	Berma 941
Hanri Tromp	Rolbos 1037
HW Riedel	Frisgewaagd 433 Portion 1
Jeanette Steenkamp	Greatrex 417 Portion 2
Jenine van Eeden	Greatrex 417 Remaining Portion of Portion 2
Johan Oosthuizen	Haring 414 Portion 3
Jolanda Kamburona	NamWater
Laban Tjozngoro	Chairperson of Epukiro Community Forest
Labuschagne	Stolshoek Noord 1036
Marius Maree	Stolshoek Noord 1037
Marlice Janse van Vuuren	Harnas 418
P Komomungondo	Farm Islaverda 432
P Ngaujake	Bainesii 419
Quinn Hough	L'Amour 425
Richard Riedel	
Ronnie K Kandapaera	Ministry of Environment, Forestry and Tourism (Epukiro Forestry)
Tiekie van Eeden	Haring 414 Portion 1, Eldorado 1056
	Omaheke Regional Council
	Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Land Reform

Summary of On-Site Meetings with Land Owners

IAP Comments	Response
Farm Geartrex Farm 417, Axel Webb	
The following aspects were highlighted by the land owner as rules the exploration team will have to adhere to: ◆ Access only with pre-arranged appointments and times ◆ The exploration procedures and number of people must be communicated to the landowner in advance. ◆ May not reside on the farm ◆ Drilling locations must be indicated to the land owner prior to commencement ◆ Farming activities may not be disrupted ◆ All gates must be left as they were found ◆ Water from boreholes may only be used with consent and within limits (< 5 m³ per day)	All aspects are noted and communicated to the Proponent and where applicable to the EMP, addressed. Matters not in the EMP forms part of negotiations between the Proponent and the landowner in terms of the surface access agreement.

IAP Comments	Response
◆ If more water is needed the team may drill a borehole at their own expense and with prior arrangement ◆ A manager must oversee all activities and for different teams, each team must have a manager ◆ No cutting of fences to reach specific areas of the farm and access to hard to reach areas must be coordinated with the landowner ◆ No drilling will be allowed near stock pens (kraals) ◆ If any damage is caused to farm infrastructure the Proponent must pay for its repairs. ◆ No pollution and human waste on farm ◆ No poaching allowed ◆ All oil or fuel spills must be cleaned and removed ◆ The exploration team must be self-proficient and may not ask the landowner for assistance in terms of vehicle repairs, food, etc.	

Comments Received via E-Mail

Comment	Response
EU Kavikairiua, Farm Boplaas	
To whom it may concern With reference to your letter dated 05 March 2025, received on the 14th of March 2025, requesting our comments on the proposed exploration activities relating to exclusive prospecting license (EPL) 10041. Hereby find our registration and preliminary comments. I, E U Kavikairiua would like to register receive further documentation and communication regarding the project. I am the owner of the farm Boplass, Farm Number 420, Okorukambe Constituency, Omaheke Region. Below are the preliminary comments for project: 1. Are there any hazardous chemicals that will be utilized during this project? If so, can the name of these chemicals be disclosed. 2. What mitigating factors are in place to prevent/limit water and pollution, and soil erosion? 3. What type of drilling will take place? 4. What type of equipment will be used on the respective farms? 5. Where will the equipment for the project be stored on the various farms? 6. Will there be an explosive used in this project? 7. Is there any compensation for the farm owners? 8. Will there be more consultation with the farm owners in future before this project is implemented? 9. What is the future plan should metal and minerals be found on the respective farms?	Good morning I hereby acknowledge receipt of your mail and registration as IAP for the EIA process for EPL 10041. I will include and address your questions in the EIA report. Herewith brief answers: 1. No hazardous chemicals will be used for exploration, except possibly fuel for drilling operations, if they ever need to drill on your farm. 2. Preventative and mitigating factors will be provided in the environmental management plan that will be sent to you for review. It includes that no vehicles may be serviced on the farm; all leaks from vehicles must be prepared immediately and drip trays must be placed underneath to catch any leaks; if refuelling is required, drip trays must be placed to catch any spills; all waste must be removed and disposed of at a registered waste disposal site; all areas that may have been cleared for drilling must be rehabilitated, etc. 3. Typically diamond core drilling. 4. Initially farms will only be accessed with double cabs. Surface samples will be taken using spades. Geophysical surveys will mainly use electrical (induced polarization and electrical resistivity tomography) and electromagnetic (audio-magneto telluric or electromagnetic sounding surveys) equipment. This is handheld equipment similar to those used to look for locations to drill for water. Ultimately, if they do find a site with possible minable resources they may come in with a drill rig. Drones, helicopters or airplanes may also be used for aerial surveys.

Comment	Response
I trust the above is in order.	5. Only when drilling takes place will equipment be left on the farm, but this will only be at the drill site for the duration of drilling. 6. No explosive will be required. 7. Prior to the exploration company accessing your farm, a surface access agreement must be reached and signed between them and the farm owner. It is possible that they may never have to access your farm, in which case no agreement will be reached. 8. Yes, during the negotiation of the access agreement. It is possible that during their initial office based research, they determine that there is nothing on a specific farm and then they will not go onto that farm. In that case you will probably not hear from them again. 9. If it is a viable resource, a mining licence is required. This will require a repeat of the environmental assessment process, but in much more detail, and focused only on the area where the resource was found. Should it overlap with your farm, you should again be consulted as part of the environmental assessment process. I trust the above answers your questions. As said, more details will be in the report which will be sent to you when completed.