### 2.4. PROJECT LOCATION

The EPL 10178 is situated about Seventy-one (71) km North of the Capital, Windhoek and Twenty-seven (27) km slightly North-east of Okahandja just around the Okandjira communal settlement (**Figure 4**) within the Otjozondjupa Region.

The dominant land-use in the area is predominantly consisting of commercial livestock farms and a few that were partially converted into game-farm with the aim of accommodating tourism activities. The EPL is mainly accessible via the D2102 District gravel road and other section of the EPL may only be accessed by existing farm tracks or by foot to ensure minimum impacts on the receiving environment.

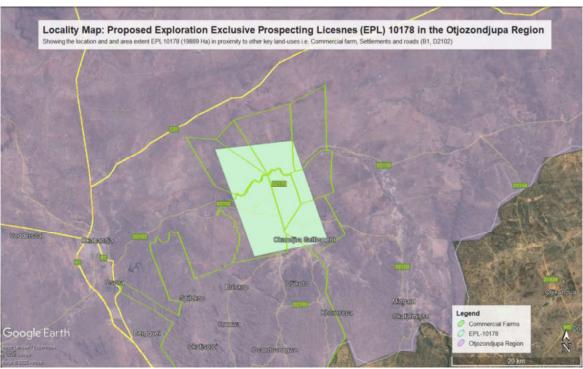
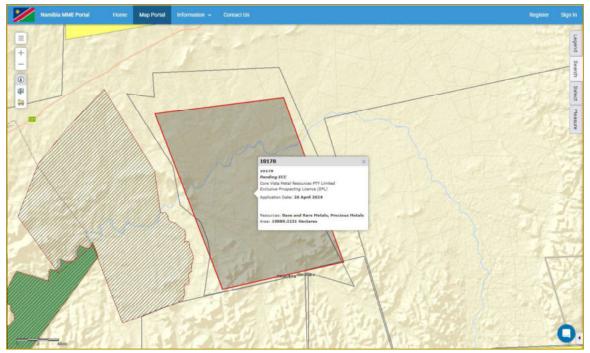


Figure 4: Locality map of the proposed Exclusive Prospecting License (EPL) 71767 at Omao, Kunene Region

**Table 3:** Corner coordinates of the proposed development site

Corner point	Latitude	Longitude
A – EPL 10178 Corner Point 1	-21.830448°	17.196759°
B – EPL 10178 Corner Point 2	-21 <b>.</b> 842991°	17.081259°
C – EPL 10178 Corner Point 3	-21.990854°	17.141940°
D – EPL 10178 Corner Point 4	-21.968722°	17.251802°
Commercial / Resettlement Farms		
Farm 1	Farm Okarupa No. 48	
Farm 2	Farm Okarupa East No. 49	
Farm 3	Farm Waldfriede No.50	
Farm 4	Farm Oviumbo West No. 196	
Farm 5	Farm Montrose No. 52	
Farm 6	Farm Montrose West No. 203	
Farm 6	Farm Onganjira No. 66/REM	



**Figure 6:** Evidence of the proposed Exclusive Prospecting License (EPL) application on the Ministry of Mine's cadastre (MME, 2025)

### 2.4. SUPPORTING INFRASTRUCTURE

## 2.4.1 Basecamp

Given the location the Exclusive Prospecting License (EPL) in a communal area, a suitable site must be identified in collaboration with all relevant authorities including the Traditional Authority to decide on a basecamp location. Where practical and possible, it is strictly recommended that for unskilled labour, local community members are employed and thus accommodated at their existing homestead to mitigate and reduce potential conflict with the conservancy wildlife and livestock management protocols.

Therefore, it is highly recommended that temporary ablution facilities must be provided and limited to within the existing base-camp footprint pre-identified national park campsites, and the necessary authorization must be obtained prior to installation of any such facility.

## 2.4.2 Water supply

Water will, at this stage only be required mainly for domestic use and will be sourced from the nearby boreholes or Omao Village and transported by truck in 5 000 litres water tanks, thus equally stored in tanks at the base-camp site. Where portable ablution facility are provided, it is recommended that they are regularly emptied and sewer transported by the returning water supply truck.

# 2.4.3 Power supply

In case where the exploration activity advances to the bulk sampling (trenches / drilling) stage, the various machinery and equipment (drill rigs, front-end loader and excavator)

