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Declaration of Authorship

APPLICATION NUMBER: 006672 Operations of Hoofstraat Motors Fuel Retail Facility in Mariental Project Title: André K. Faul (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: Geo Pollution Technologies (Pty) Ltd EAP Signature: 18/11/2025

NB- To be submitted jointly with Scoping Report, EIA, EMP documents to the Office of the Environmental Commissioner