Outlook

Stakeholder Identification for the public consultation meeting & site visit for the proposed prospecting and exploration activities on Exclusive Prospecting Licence (EPL) no. 10535, located west of Arandis, Erongo region, Namibia

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EPL 10535- BID.pdf; EPL 10535 LAND USE MAP.png;

Dear esteemed Stakeholder

Newcrest Mining CC (The Proponent) proposes to undertake prospecting and exploration activities on **Exclusive Prospecting License (EPL) No. 10535 located west of Arandis, in the Erongo Region. This proponent intends to prospect for Precious Metals, Nuclear Fuel Minerals as well as Base and Rare Metals.**

Mineral prospecting and exploration is one of the listed activities that cannot be undertaken without an Environmental Clearance Certificate (ECC) as per the 2012 Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations of the Environmental Management Act No. 7 of 2007.

Furthermore, Sections 21 to 24 of the EIA Regulations require that Public Consultation is undertaken as one of the crucial components of the Environmental Assessment, which involves the pre-identification of potential Interested & Affected Parties (I&APs) or Stakeholders and ongoing registration of new I&APs and then subsequent consultation. You have therefore been identified as a potential I&AP for this proposed activity; therefore, you are receiving this communication.

Please find the attached Background Information Document (BID) and land use map for the proposed prospecting and exploration activities on EPL no. 10535.
We are currently working on finalizing the date for the stakeholders' engagement meeting and the site visit (Environmental and archeological field assessments). We will provide further details once this information is available.

Thank you and kind regards

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