

## STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT COMMENTS AND RESPONSE REPORT (CRR)



(Source: TEC, 2026)

### FOR THE PROPOSED SAND MINING WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF THE AUS URBAN SETTLEMENT, KARAS REGION

*Prepared for:*



**EL SONADOR INVESTMENTS CC**  
CONSTRUCTION • RENOVATIONS • SAND MINING

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## 1. STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS

### 1.1 EIA Regulations

Section 21 of the EIA regulation outlines the Public Participation Process (PPP). PPP is an important process, because it gives members of the public and Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs), an opportunity to comment or raise concerns that may affect the socio-economic or general environment because of the project.

### 1.2 Newspaper Adverts

Section 21 (c) stipulates that ECC applications should be advertised once a week for two consecutive weeks in two newspapers that are widely circulated in Namibia.

The ECC application was advertised in two (2) newspapers **The Namibian and New Era** (Appendix 1-2).

Adverts were placed in the newspapers as follows:

- 1st Advert – 19<sup>th</sup> March 2026
- 2nd Advert – 27<sup>th</sup> March 2026

### 1.3 Consultation meetings

Tortoise Environment Consultants (TEC) did a power presentation outlining the following (Presentation attached – **Appendix 6**):

- a) Project scope proposed construction of the road
- b) EIA framework and ECC application process
- c) Environmental and Social aspects to be assessed
- d) National socio-economic benefits
- e) Envisaged community benefits

#### 1.3.1 Public Meeting

Section 21 (5,6) requires that public meeting/s should be held near the project site to inform the public about the project and subsequent submission of the ECC application to the Environmental Commissioner.

| Type of meeting | Date                        | Venue                 |
|-----------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
| Public Meeting  | 29 <sup>th</sup> March 2026 | Marmar Primary School |

## 2. STAKEHOLDER COMMENTS

### 2.1 Comments from the stakeholders

| No. | Component                          | Comment / Question  | Response<br>(Consultant / Client / Authority)   | Relevant ESMP<br>Section |
|-----|------------------------------------|---|---|--------------------------|
| 1.  | Site locality                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>What is the distance between the sand mining site and the residential homes?</li> </ul>  | <p><b>Response from El-Sonador:</b></p> <p>Approximately 200 m</p>  | Socio-economic impact    |
| 2.  | Safety                             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The site should be fenced off and demarcated.</li> <li>There should be warning signs at the site</li> </ul>  | <p><b>Response from Consultant:</b><br/>Valid point and will be covered in the ESIA and ESMP</p> <p><b>Response from El-Sonador:</b></p> <p>We remain committed to complying with all legal and regulatory requirements. This includes providing all necessary information and ensuring proper demarcation of the proposed project area. We will continue to engage and communicate with the Aus Settlement Office.</p> | Environmental impact     |
| 3.  | Waterflow and groundwater recharge | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Potential reduction of waterflow to downstream ecosystems.</li> <li>The Aus River drainage runs through Farm Klein Aus no 8 and any sand mining upstream will have a serious impact on water retention and can speedup water flow or totally block water flow if to big sand quarries are</li> </ul> | <p><b>Response from Consultant:</b><br/>Valid point and will be covered in the ESIA and ESMP</p>  | Environmental impact     |

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|-----|--------------------------------------|--|---|---|
|     |                                      | dug upstream. This can negatively affect ground water supply that is already critically scarce and may threaten the exitance of the Klein-Vista Lodge employing 65 employees.  |   |   |
| 4.  | Rehabilitation                       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Continuous rehabilitation should be encouraged.</li> <li>Ensure that the river width is not widened</li> </ul>  | <p><b>Response from Consultant:</b></p> <p>Valid point and will be covered in the ESIA and ESMP</p>   | Environmental impact                            |
| 5.  | Sensitive fauna                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The proposed sand harvesting site 1 is located within 500 m of a small colony of Chersobius solus the highly threatened endemic Namapadloper tortoise - <b>No acknowledgement or mentioning of that are made in the BID.</b></li> </ul>   | <p><b>Response from Consultant:</b></p> <p>Point noted. Detailed assessments are generally covered in the ESIA report and not the BID.</p>  | Environmental impact                            |
| 6.  | Lack of consultation with landowners | <p><b>1. Sand Harvesting site 2 is located on private property:</b><br/>           Certain: Portion 2 Of Aus Townlands No. 36<br/>           Situate: In The Settlement Area Of Aus<br/>           Registration Division "N"<br/>           Karas Region<br/>           Measuring: 14,6853 Hectares<br/>           Held: By Deed Of Transfer No. T 3113/1985</p> <p>Owners: Willem Swiegers &amp; Piet Swieger</p> <p><b>No contact at all were made with the owners of the above-mentioned property to inform them about the proposed sandmining activities</b></p> | <p><b>Response from El Sonador:</b></p> <p>A public consultation meeting was held in Aus on 29 March 2026 at Marmar Primary School. Attendance at this meeting was unfortunately very low. This platform was provided to allow community members to raise any concerns or questions.</p> <p>Furthermore, stakeholders had sufficient opportunity to engage with both the Environmental Commissioner and the Aus</p> | Social impact –<br>Public Participation Process |

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|-----|---------------|--|--|----------------------------|
|     |               | <p><b>2. Sand Harvesting site 1 is located 150 meters away from private property border and 250 m away from the homestead.</b></p> <p>The proprietors are busy planning a potential tourist development at the homestead location.</p> <p>No contact at all were made with the owners of the above-mentioned property to inform them about the proposed sandmining activities.</p> <p><b>3. Klein-Aus Farm no. 8 is border is situated 750 m downstream in the Aus River with The Klein-Aus Vista Lodge built on this property just 900 m away of the 2 proposed sand mining sites.</b></p> <p>No contact at all were made with the owners of Farm Klein-Aus no 8. Or Klein-Aus Vista Lodge to inform them about the proposed sandmining activities.</p> | <p>Settlement Office following the publication of the project in the newspaper.</p> <p>From El Sonador Investors' side, all required legal processes have been followed to ensure proper community engagement and transparency. All necessary documentation has been completed, and the required advertisements were duly published.</p> |                            |
| 7.  | Local economy | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Will the Council sell the sand to the Investor or the private company that will harvest the sand?</li> <li>The Council should re-invest the proceeds from the sand back into Aus</li> </ul>   | <p><b>Response from El-Sonador:</b></p> <p>The Aus Settlement Office will be responsible for the sale of sand to interested investors.</p>   | Social and economic impact |

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|-----|--------------------------|--|--|----------------------------|
| 8.  | Opportunities for locals | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What opportunities are available for Aus Residents?</li> <li>• People are suffering and there are no jobs in Aus, the Economy is dead, and Livelihood is very poor.</li> <li>• Employment opportunities should be given to locals (and should be advertised) and on job training should be provided where needed.</li> </ul> <p>Workers should be given letters of recommendations after the employment period to increase their chances of getting other jobs.</p> | <p><b>Response from El-Sonador:</b></p> <p>We commit to employing as many locals as possible and assist with skills development were we can.</p> | Social and economic impact |



*Figure 1: Public consultation meeting held at Marmer Primary School*

### 3. APPENDICES

## APPENDIX (1): Newspaper advert 1 – The Namibian

THE NAMIBIAN

NATIONAL NEWS

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# Swapo asks court to evict head office campers

• WERNER MENGES

AN URGENT application to evict a group of people who have been camping at Swapo's national headquarters in Windhoek since last October is scheduled to be heard in the Windhoek High Court next Friday.

The hearing of the urgent application was postponed by judge Gabriel Komboni yesterday, to give the respondents in the matter time to get legal representation and file documents with the court to answer to a sworn statement by Swapo secretary general Sophia Shaningwa.

Komboni postponed the hearing after a representative of a group of 50 people cited as respondents in the matter, Matheus Nangolo, asked the judge to postpone the party's urgent

application for three months to give the group time to find a legal representative.

With the party's lawyer in the matter, Mathias Kashindi, objecting to a postponement of three months, Komboni rescheduled the hearing of the application for 27 March.

Swapo is asking the court to declare the "unauthorised occupation" of its premises and a pavement area at the party's national headquarters in Windhoek as unlawful.

The party is also asking the court to issue an order for the eviction of people who have been camping at its headquarters since last October and an order that the campers should remove their camping material and vacate the party's premises.

A group of demonstrators has been camping at the Swapo

headquarters since 22 October, Shaningwa says in an affidavit filed with the court.

She informed the court that the demonstrators are insisting they will stay put until their demands have been met or questions about financial assistance alleged to have been given for the repatriation of exiled Namibians in 1989 have been answered.

According to Shaningwa, the demonstrators have been demanding clarity about what happened to funds allegedly given by the United Nations (UN) to Swapo to be distributed among Namibians who returned from exile at the end of Namibia's national liberation struggle.

Shaningwa states in her affidavit: "It must be noted that the demonstrators, however, have never disclosed the sources of their information as to who

informed them about the existence of funds allegedly given to Swapo by the UN."

She also informed the court that a meeting between herself, the demonstrators, government representatives and representatives of the UN in Namibia took place on 17 January.

During that meeting, a representative of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) informed the group camping at the Swapo headquarters that the UNHCR provided basic assistance to support the initial reintegration of Namibian returnees in 1989, that available donor funds were fully utilised and accounted for, and that no earmarked funds were retained by the UNHCR in Namibia, Shaningwa recounts in her statement.

She also says the demonstra-

tors stated previously that they would vacate the premises at the Swapo headquarters once they had had a meeting with the party's leadership.

After the meeting on 17 January, she notified the group camping at the party's head office that they had to vacate the premises by 20 January, but that date passed with the demonstrators remaining put, Shaningwa says.

The demonstrators' continued presence is "a huge inconvenience and annoyance" to Swapo, its members and visitors to the party's headquarters,

Shaningwa says as well. Swapo's politburo discussed the situation on 2 February and decided to direct the party's department of political affairs to obtain an eviction order against the group, Shaningwa informed the court.

The politburo took that decision after noting that the inauguration of the party's new national headquarters is set to take place on 19 April.

"Such preparations and event will be in serious jeopardy if the demonstrators remain at the premises," according to Shaningwa.

## Govt drives Otjiwarongo shack upgrade

• ELLEN ALBERTZ

THE government has launched a phased NS14-million project to replace shacks with serviced land at Otjiwarongo, beginning with water infrastructure in Eie Risko informal settlement.

This was announced by urban and rural development minister James Sankwasa at a handing over ceremony of a newly installed water reticulation network at Otjiwarongo's extensions 16 and 17 on Monday.

"Through collaboration between the government, the municipality, and community organisations such as the Shack Dwellers Federation of Namibia, we are transforming informal settlements into dignified, serviced neighbourhoods where people

can live safely and with pride. "Our vision is clear: within the next year, we would like to see the gradual disappearance of shacks in this area," Sankwasa said.

The installation of the water reticulation project forms part of the upgrades to the informal settlement.

Through this project, 404 plots have been serviced with water, and 80 households have been connected to taps and water meters.

Otjiwarongo has four legal informal settlements – Ombili DRC, Tsaraxa-Aibes, Ombili New, and Eie Risko.

Sankwasa said the next steps are to ensure the provision of electricity, proper roads, and sewerage infrastructure for residents. "These services are essential if we are to build sustainable and fully

integrated communities," he said.

He noted that in 2020, records showed there were 1 044 structures in the settlement. He added that the government is committed to upgrading and servicing two more blocks, in collaboration with partners.

Sankwasa commended community members for carrying out most of the work themselves, supported by local plumbers, making it more affordable.

"When the government, communities, and the private sector work together, we can accelerate development and bring real change to people," he emphasised.

Sankwasa urged community members who are unable to afford house construction to work together with the shack dwellers

federation. Otjiwarongo mayor Leonard Simushi says access to reliable water is a fundamental service that all local authorities must provide.

"Meaningful development is achieved when municipalities, partners, and communities work together, creating a shared sense of ownership and responsibility for the infrastructure that serves them," Simushi says.

Bernard Gaeb (48), a resident at the informal settlement, says having a tap at his house is a dream come true.

"We only had standpipes and you and your children had to carry your buckets to collect water. Now my children can play and do their homework because they no longer have to walk to the standpipe and wait in line," Gaeb says.

## IPC MP proposes Henties Bay rename to honour Nujoma

• CHRIS KAUKEMUA

INDEPENDENT Patriots for Change shadow minister of urban and rural development Armas Amukoto has proposed renaming Henties Bay to 'Sam Nujoma Bay' in honour of Namibia's founding president.

The proposal comes as Namibians prepare to celebrate the country's 36th independence anniversary, with Amukoto urging citizens to reflect on the country's liberation history and those who sacrificed their lives for freedom.

He says Sam Nujoma, like any human being, had shortcomings, but his contribution to Namibia's independence should remain the focus. Amukoto says 1929, the year associated with the founding of Henties Bay, is also the founding president's birth year.

"At this moment, we must count on what he has contributed positively to our freedom and in-

dependence," he says.

Amukoto emphasises that recognising liberation heroes is essential to honouring Namibia's past.

"By recognising them, we honour them, especially our founding president," he says.

He adds that the proposed renaming goes beyond symbolism.

"It is about history, identity, and the continued journey of Namibia to fully reclaim its national space from colonial remnants."

He says many Namibian towns, streets and public spaces still reflect colonial-era narratives, instead of the country's own history and liberation struggle.

Henties Bay was named after South African prospector Hendrik van der Merwe, who reportedly discovered a freshwater source near the Omaruru River mouth in 1929.

Amukoto questions whether such historical references should continue to define Namibia's public spaces. "For far too long, many



Sam Nujoma

of our geographical names have reflected colonial narratives rather than the sacrifices of the Namibian people who fought for the freedom of this land," he says.



He cites the example of Namibia's parliament, historically known as the Tintenpalast, which carried a German colonial name

before independence.

"Independence did not only mean political freedom, it also meant restoring dignity, restoring identity, and ensuring that our national spaces honour our own heroes and our own history," he says.

He describes Nujoma as a central figure in Namibia's liberation struggle, who mobilised citizens, led resistance against colonial rule, and guided the country to independence in 1990. "The Namibia we stand in today, the democratic republic we debate in today, exists because of the courage, resilience and leadership of men and women like Sam Nujoma," Amukoto says.

He says renaming Henties Bay to Sam Nujoma Bay would be a historic national recognition of Nujoma's role in shaping Namibia's destiny. Amukoto references international examples, including "Nelson Mandela Bay", to support his proposal. "Namibia should be no different," he says.

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Tortoise Environmental Consultants (TEC) hereby notifies all Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) that an application for an Environmental Clearance Certificate will be submitted to the Environmental Commissioner, in accordance with the provisions of the Environmental Management Act (No. 7 of 2007) and EIA Regulations (GN 30 of 2012) as follows:

**Proponent:** El Sonador Investment CC  
**Project Location:** Outskirts of Luderitz, part of the Namib Naukluft Park  
**Public meeting:**  
**Venue:** Luderitz Waterfront  
**Date:** 30th March 2026  
**Time:** 08h30 am – 10h30 am

**Deadline for Comments: 14th April 2026**

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**Venue:** Marmer Primary School Hall  
**Date:** 29th March 2026  
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# Nigeria suicide bombings kill 23, 100 wounded

**M**AIDUGURI - Coordinated blasts by suspected suicide bombers tore through a busy market and other areas in the Nigerian city of Maiduguri, killing at least 23 people and wounding more than 100 others, in one of the worst recent attacks on the capital of Borno state.

Three blasts detonated on Monday evening just after people in the Muslim-majority city broke their Ramadan fasts, striking a main market, the entrance of Maiduguri's largest teaching hospital and a post office area.

The military blamed the blasts in the city of around 1.2 million people on suspected Boko Haram militants and warned of "an increased threat" of suicide attacks in the final days of the holy month of Ramadan.

It came after an attack on a military post overnight on Sunday to Monday, which authorities blamed on suspected jihadists, and a day before President Bola Tinubu arrived in Britain for a state visit.

Tinubu ordered the country's security chiefs "to move to Maiduguri to take charge of the situation".

"I want to make it categorically clear that these acts of terror are the final desperate and frantic attempts by criminals and terrorist elements trying to instil and spread fear," Tinubu said in a statement.

Witnesses described panic as people fled from an initial explosion at the market towards an exit that passes through the post office area, where there was a second blast minutes later.

Survivor Mala Mohammed, 31, told AFP that many people "ran toward the post office area because the market entrance and the post office are not far apart".

"Unfortunately, as they were running towards the post office, the person who had the explosive device ran into the crowd while people were still trying to escape."

## Vulnerable city

Combined with the attack on the military position and a mosque

bombing in December, the assaults have wrecked a peaceful stretch in the city, which had become relatively calm as Nigeria's long-running insurgency was pushed to the rural hinterlands.

Maiduguri is where Boko Haram originated and launched its initial uprising in 2009, which became a bloody campaign to establish a caliphate in the country.

Violence has slowed from its peak in around 2015, but fighters from Boko Haram and rival jihadist group Islamic State West Africa Province (ISWAP) have recently stepped up attacks in northeastern Nigeria.

Their campaign has killed more than 40 000 people and displaced around two million.

Despite improved security within Maiduguri, "the city has always been vulnerable", Confidence McHarry, a conflict analyst with Lagos-based SBM Intelligence, told AFP, noting that countryside attacks have continued, often just a few kilometres (miles) from town.

Police put the toll at 23 dead and 108 wounded.

A member of an anti-jihadist militia told AFP the death toll from the explosions could be as high as 31.

The morning after the attack, blood-stained flip-flops could be seen scattered on the ground of the market, alongside bloodstains, onions, chillies and watermelons.

The area was cordoned off with yellow police tape.

## 'Barbaric' attacks

Police said that "normalcy has been fully restored in the affected areas" and that security forces had increased their "presence and surveillance across Maiduguri and its environs to prevent any further occurrences".

Borno state governor Babagana Zulum called the apparent bombings "barbaric" and said "the recent surge in attacks is not unconnected with intense military operations in the Sambisa forest", which has a reputation as a jihadist stronghold.



Horrific... Police officers at the market after the explosion in Maiduguri. Photo: Nampa/AFP

An attack the previous evening was launched around midnight on Sunday on a Nigerian military post in Ajilari Cross district, a southwestern suburb of Maiduguri and just a few kilometres from the airport. That same evening also saw an attack in the Damboa area, south of Maiduguri.

Maiduguri, once the scene of daily shootings and bombings, had been relatively calm in recent

years, with attacks peaking in the mid-2010s. The last major attack was in 2021, when Boko Haram jihadists fired mortars at the city, killing 10 people.

But in December, an unclaimed bombing against a suspected suicide attacker, killed at least seven people in a city mosque.

And in the countryside surrounding Maiduguri, violence has continued.

Last month, the United States began deploying 200 troops to Nigeria to provide technical and training support to the country's soldiers in fighting jihadist groups. Tinubu arrived in the UK, which is home to a very large Nigerian diaspora, on Tuesday afternoon for a two-day state visit hosted by King Charles III at which security is expected to be on the agenda.

-Nampa/AFP



## HELAO NAFIDI TOWN COUNCIL

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### SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

Notice is hereby given in terms of Section 63 (2) (b) of the Local Authorities Act, Act 23 of 1992 (as amended), that the Town Council of Helao Nafidi intends to sell immovable properties by way of private transaction to the persons and companies listed below.

| No. | Erf no:   | Name(s) of the applicant        | Zoning      | Size (m <sup>2</sup> ) | Purchase price (N\$) | Township & extension     |
|-----|---|---------------------------------|-------------|------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|
| 1   | 328   | Toini Timoteus                  | Residential | 720m <sup>2</sup>      | N\$ 12 960.00        | Engela-Omafo extension 1 |
| 2   | 342   | Maria Naango Ankonga            | Residential | 366m <sup>2</sup>      | N\$ 6 588.00         | Engela-Omafo extension 1 |
| 3   | 383   | Lauli Nghivelwashisho Mweuhanga | Residential | 450m <sup>2</sup>      | N\$13 500.00         | Engela-Omafo extension 1 |
| 4   | 1210  | Ohangwena Save Mini Market CC   | Business    | 1847m <sup>2</sup>     | N\$ 76 465.80        | Ohangwena proper         |
| 5   | 1201  | Auguste Letta Penehafo Simon    | Residential | 698m <sup>2</sup>      | N\$ 59 330.00        | Ohangwena extension 6    |
| 6   | Portion 54 of the Farm Helao Nafidi Townlands No. 997 | Nelao Helena Haukongo           | Residential | 2172m <sup>2</sup>     | N\$ 55 386.00        | Ohangwena                |

Any person objecting to the proposed sale may lodge their objection in writing with the office of the Chief Executive Officer, Helao Nafidi Town Council at Private Bag 503, Ohangwena, on or before 31 March 2026.

Enquiries: Penehafo N. Mwatukange  
Contact: 065 261900/0811283601  
Email: penehafo@helaonafidi.org



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**Date** : 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2026  
**Time** : 14h00 pm – 16h00 pm

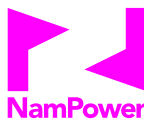
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**APPENDIX (3): Newspaper advert 2 – New Era**

Friday 27 March 2026 | **NEW ERA**

**ADVERT | 13**

INVITATION TO BID


**Description of Bid:**  
 NamPower (Pty) Ltd hereby invites qualified, competent, and registered companies to submit their Bid for the under-mentioned:

| BID NUMBER            | BID DESCRIPTION  |
|-----------------------|--|
| W/ONB/NPWR-11/2026    | Construction of Medium Voltage (MV) and Low Voltage (LV) Networks at Nkambe, Jeremiya Kangayi 2, Calikawo and Jeremiya Kangayi 1, in Kavango West Region.                    |
| W/ONB/NPWR-12/2026    | Construction of Medium Voltage and Low Voltage Network at Ondangwa Sports Field, Oshana Region   |
| W/ONB/NPWR-13/2026    | Construction of Medium Voltage (MV) and Low Voltage (LV) Networks at Ongudi PS and Oshima PS, in Oshikoto Region.  |
| W/ONB/NPWR-16/2026    | Construction of Low Voltage Network, Service Connects at Evululuko Extension 14, Oshakati Oshana Region.   |
| W/ONB/NPWR-17/2026    | Construction of Medium Voltage (MV) and Low Voltage (LV) Networks at Namhadi PS, Ndjabeka PS and Onanjamba PS in Okongo Constituency, Oshana Region.                         |
| G/ONB/NPWR-06/2026:   | Prequalification of Suppliers for the Supply and Delivery of Oils and Lubricants for NamPower for a three (3) year Period  |
| G/ONB/NPWR - 07/2026: | Prequalification of Suppliers for the Supply and Delivery of Various Cables and Bare Copper for NamPower for a three (3) year Period   |
| G/ONB/NPWR-05/2026:   | Pre-Qualification of Suppliers for the Design, Manufacturing, Testing, Supply, and Delivery of Protection, Automation, and Control Equipment for a Period of Three (3) Years |

**Cost per set of documents:** Free

**Bid documents availability:** Documents for these bids are available on the NamPower website [www.nampower.com.na](http://www.nampower.com.na).

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**Details on Bid Submission:**  
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2026



VENUE: Boardroom  
 TIME: 09h00-15h30  
 TARGET: 22+ donations

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PUBLIC NOTICE  
 ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT  
 FOR THE PROPOSED SAND MINING WITHIN THE  
 BOUNDARIES OF THE AUS URBAN SETTLEMENT,  
 KARAS REGION &  
 INVITATION TO A PUBLIC MEETING

Tortoise Environmental Consultants (TEC) hereby notifies all Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) that an application for an Environmental Clearance Certificate will be submitted to the Environmental Commissioner, in accordance with the provisions of the Environmental Management Act (No. 7 of 2007) and EIA Regulations (GN 30 of 2012) as follows:

**Proponent** : El Sonador Investment CC  
**Project Location** : Aus Townlands  
**Public meeting** :  
     **Venue** : Marmar Primary School Hall  
     **Date** : 29<sup>th</sup> March 2026  
     **Time** : 14h00 pm – 16h00 pm

**Deadline for Comments:** 14<sup>th</sup> April 2026

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PUBLIC NOTICE  
 ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT  
 FOR THE PROPOSED GRAVEL MINING AT ON THE  
 OUTSKIRTS OF LUDERITZ, PART OF THE NAMIB  
 NAUKLUFT PARK, KARAS REGION

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**Proponent** : El Sonador Investment CC  
**Project Location** : Outskirts of Luderitz, part of the Namib Naukluft Park  
**Public meeting** :  
     **Venue** : Luderitz Waterfront  
     **Date** : 30<sup>th</sup> March 2026  
     **Time** : 08h30 am – 10h30 am

**Deadline for Comments:** 14<sup>th</sup> April 2026

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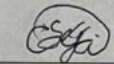
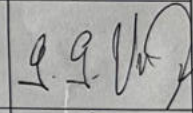


APPENDIX (4): Attendance Register – Public meeting

Tortoise Environmental Consultants(TEC)   
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### ATTENDANCE REGISTER

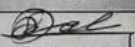
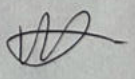
TITLE: ..... Public Consultation Meeting - Aus. Sand mining .....

DATE: 29/03/2026 VENUE: Marmer Primary school Hall TIME: 14:00

| Participant's Name          | Organization / Representation | Gender M / F | Email Address / Telephone Number          | Signature   |
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**APPENDIX (5):           Presentation**