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I&AP COMMENTS AND RESPONSES FOR THE JINDAL IRON ORE MINE PROJECT ON EPLS 4013 AND 4194, KHOMAS REGION, NAMIBIA

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ABBREVIATIONS

Abbreviation	Description
CSI	community sustainable investment
EAP	environmental assessment practitioner
ECC	Environmental Compliance Consultancy
e.g.	example
EIA	environmental impact assessment
EMP	environmental management plan
EPL	exclusive prospecting licence
ESIA	environmental and social impact assessment
I&APs	interested and affected parties
L	litre
Ltd.	Limited
m	metre
m/day	metres per day
MEFT	Ministry of Environment, Forestry and Tourism
ML	mining licence
MME	Ministry of Mines and Energy
NAC	Namibia Airports Company
NAMCARs	Namibia Civil Aviation Regulations
NCAA	Namibia Civil Aviation Authority
Pty	proprietary company
RoD	record of decision
ToR	terms of reference
WRD	waste rock dump

1 SUMMARY OF PUBLIC MEETINGS AND COMMENTS FROM I&APS

1.1 INTRODUCTION

Environmental Compliance Consultancy (Pty) Ltd (ECC) has been engaged by Jindal Mining Namibia (Pty) Ltd, the Proponent, to conduct an Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) in accordance with the Environmental Management Act, No. 7 of 2007 and its regulations of 2012, for which an application for an environmental clearance certificate will be submitted for the proposed construction and operation of the Jindal Iron Ore Mine on EPLs 4013 and 4194, within the Khomas Region, Namibia.

The proposed project (referred to as “the Project” herein) involves establishing an iron ore mining operation, comprising several open pits to be excavated using conventional blasting and drilling techniques. Ore and waste rock will be excavated and hauled by a fleet of mobile equipment, with waste rock being transported to a waste rock dump (WRD) site. The extracted ore will undergo crushing and pebble milling at the beneficiation plant, followed by magnetic separation and subsequent reverse flotation and concentrate filtration during the final processing stages. The resulting product, iron ore fines, will then be transported to Walvis Bay by either road or rail for shipment.

The community directly affected and/ or interested was identified and invited to attend the public meeting. A summary of the feedback received from the public will be issued to registered I&APs and competent authorities being the Ministry of Mines and Energy (MME), and the Ministry of Environment, Forestry and Tourism (MEFT) to accompany the application for an environmental clearance certificate, for a record of decision (RoD).

1.2 PUBLIC MEETINGS SUMMARY

The stakeholder meeting was facilitated by Mr Matt Totten Jr, Geologist – Environmental Compliance Consultancy (ECC) – with technical support from Ms Monique Jarrett (ECC), as well as Mr Arvind Kuchibhotla and Mr Debananda Tripathy from Jindal Mining Namibia (Pty) Ltd.

The welcoming and agenda of the meeting included an introduction to ECC as an independent environmental consulting company commissioned by Jindal Mining Namibia (Pty) Ltd as the environmental assessment practitioner (EAP) to conduct the ESIA.

Mr Kuchibhotla then gave a technical presentation on behalf of Jindal, providing an overview about the Project’s location, proposed operations on EPLs 4013 and 4194, and an explanation of the Project’s current status. The objective of the public meeting was to engage stakeholders and to identify and address any concerns held regarding the proposed Project.

Mr Arvind provided further insight into Jindal's background as well as the company's goals and strategies for the proposed Jindal Iron Ore Project in Namibia. Mr Arvind highlighted the importance and value of the Project relating to Namibia's environment and economy.

To conclude the presentation, Mr Totten (ECC) then explained the environmental assessment process as well as the current status of the proposed Project's ESIA. This included aspects and concerns about the impacts of exploration activity on the biophysical, how mitigation and monitoring measures could potentially be enforced and how the attendees, as registered interested and affected parties (I&APs), could contribute to the process and development of the proposed Project's environmental management plan (EMP). The floor was then opened for questions, comments, and further discussion.

1.3 KEY FEEDBACK ON ISSUES OF CONCERN – PUBLIC MEETINGS

The summary of comments received from the public meeting presented useful and valuable input in setting out the environmental and social impact assessment's scope through questions asked and points raised. From an overall review of the recorded statements, the key common themes of concern that were raised can be summarised in the following categories:

Baseline/specialist studies

Numerous registered I&APs and participants at the public meeting inquired about the status of baseline and/or specialist studies. They specifically requested studies on noise, air quality, hydrology, flora and fauna, as well as blast and vibration. As the proposed Project's EAP, ECC assured the public that the terms of reference (ToR) for these specialist studies will be formulated based on the environmental impacts identified during the scoping phase of the project. Currently, scoped impacts include air quality, noise, groundwater, heritage, biodiversity, visual, socio-economic, and blast and vibration, for which baseline and specialist studies will be commissioned.

Impact of Mine Operations and future potential exploration and expansion of the mine on the Drie Krone Nature Village

The Drie Krone Nature Village occupies a section of Farm Brack situated in the southwestern area of EPL 4194. While the Proponent currently has no plans to develop infrastructure on this part of the EPL, concerns have been raised by the public regarding potential impacts on their settlement should the mine expand in the future. In response, the Proponent assured the public that they intend to relinquish portions of EPL 4194 during the next renewal process, and they may also exclude certain areas from their mining licence (ML) application. Residents of the Drie Krone Nature Village have consequently requested the Proponent to exclude their settlement from the ML boundary and to relinquish that particular area during the upcoming renewal.

Provision of water for the mine's operations

Concerns were raised by the public regarding the use of groundwater for both mine operations and residential facilities on site. Specifically, local farm owners and residents expressed apprehension, citing a scarcity of water in the area. They argued that relying on local groundwater

would not be sustainable for the mine and would deplete the already limited water resources. The Proponent countered that water for mining operations would be obtained from the Ujams wastewater treatment plant, with produced groundwater being reserved solely for providing potable water to the anticipated 50-100 employees that would be onsite at any given time. Local stakeholders then countered the Proponent's statement claiming that even if groundwater was used exclusively for the mine's potable needs, sufficient water resources were unlikely to exist in the area. However, a hydrology study is pending, and plans for water sourcing and usage are subject to further examination. Final decisions will be made based on the feasibility of these plans and their environmental impact.

1.4 DETAILED COMMENTS AND RESPONSES FROM THE PUBLIC MEETINGS

Comments were received during the stakeholder meeting, via email submission, and via telephone which are included in the draft scoping report and this document in Table 1 below.

Further comments were welcomed after the initial registration period and public review period. The public consultation period will remain open for I&APs until the final assessment report for the project is ready for submission to the competent authorities.

Letter to ECC sent from Sisa Namandje & Co. Inc on 9 April 2024:



Legal Practitioners • Conveyancers • Notaries • Estate Administrators

Our ref: C 468/SN/24-llk

09 APRIL 2024

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Dear Sir and Madam,

**RE: IDENTIFIED STAKEHOLDER AND POTENTIAL INTEREST OR AFFECTED PARTY IN
RESPECT OF THE PROPOSED JINDAL IRON ORE PROJECT ON EPLS 4013 AND
4194, KHOMAS REGION - COMSAR PROPERTIES SA**

We act herein for and on behalf of COMSAR Properties (Pty) Ltd ("our client") as an affected and interested party in relation to the above matter.

Our client's rights and interests in Farm Rainhof, No. 123 Khomas Region and Farm Wolffsgrund, No. 122 Khomas Region would be adversely affected by the proposed Jindal Iron Ore Project.

All our client's rights are fully reserved.

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Good day,

We confirm receipt of your email and the letter attached.

Kind regards,

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Your Ref: ECC-148-464-LET-07-A
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JINDAL IRON ORE PROJECT ON EPLS 4013 AND 4194, KHOMAS REGION,
NAMIBIA, AND AN INVITATION TO SCHEDULED PUBLIC CONSULTATION
MEETINGS**

- We refer to the above as well as letter dated 28 March 2024.
- We confirm that we act herein on behalf of Mr. Robert Douglas Wirtz ("our Client").
- Our Client is the registered owner of -

CERTAIN	Farm Koanus No. 121
	Registration Division "K"
	Khomas Region
MEASURING	7916,7403 (Seven Nine One Six comma Seven Four Zero Three) hectares
HELD BY	Deed of Transfer No. T3351/2007.
- Our Client is therefore an interested and affected party as per the definition thereof as set out in regulation 1 of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations GN 30/2012, (the "Regulations").
- In terms of sub regulation 21(2), notice of the relevant application must be given to all potential interested and affected parties by -
 - fixing a notice board (at least 60cm by 42cm in size) at a place conspicuous to the public at the boundary or on the fence of the site where the activity to which the application relates is or is to be undertaken;

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5.2. giving written notice to –

- 5.2.1. the owners and occupiers of land adjacent to the site where the activity is or is to be undertaken or to any alternative site;
- 5.2.2. the local authority council, regional council and traditional authority, as the case may be, in which the site or alternative site is situated;
- 5.2.3. any other organ of state having jurisdiction in respect of any aspect of the activity; and

5.3. advertising the application once a week for two consecutive weeks in at least two newspapers circulated widely in Namibia.

- 6. Kindly provide proof of compliance with sub regulation 21(2), including a list of all potential interested and affected parties that have been notified. We also herewith, in terms of sub regulation 22(2), request access to the register of interested and affected parties.
- 7. Furthermore, sub regulation 21(3)(b)(i) provides that the abovementioned notice must state that the application is to be submitted to the Environmental Commissioner. This information is not set out in the notice received by our Client.
- 8. Trust on your prompt cooperation.

Kind Regards,



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24 May 2024 ECC Response Letter to WKH Legal Practitioners' 14 April 2024 Letter:

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REFERENCE: ECC-148-464-LET-08
24 May 2024

ATT: Mrs. Moolman and Ms. Louw on behalf of Mr. Robert Douglas Wirtz of Farm Koanus
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Windhoek
Namibia

Dear Madams,

**RE: RE: NOTIFICATION OF AN ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT OF THE PROPOSED JINDAL IRON
ORE PROJECT ON EPLs 4013 AND 4194, KHOMAS REGION, NAMIBIA, AND AN INVITATION TO
SCHEDULED PUBLIC CONSULTATION MEETINGS**

1. We refer to the above as well as your letter dated 15 April 2024, which we confirm receipt of.
2. We hereby confirm that your client, Mr. Robert Douglas Wirtz, owner of Farm Koanus No. 121, is now registered as an Interested and Affected Party (I&AP) for the Proposed Jindal Iron Ore Project on EPLs 4013 and 4194, Khomas Region, Namibia.
3. In terms of sub regulation 21(2) of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations (G.N. No. 30 of 2011), where notice of the relevant application must be given to all potential interested and affected parties (I&APs), please note that Environmental Compliance Consultancy Pty Ltd (ECC) has undertaken the following actions to fulfill this regulatory obligation to date:

- 3.1. Five site notice boards (with dimensions 60 cm by 42 cm) were placed on Thursday 11 April 2024 in conspicuous locations at or near the proposed activity site with the following coordinates:

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3.1.1. Site Notice Board #1: located at the B6 and C23 T-junction

Lat/Long Coordinates: -22.53426 °N and 17.33206 °E

Photo:



3.1.2. Site Notice Board #2: located on the C23 (at the northern boundary of EPL 4013)

Lat/Long Coordinates: -22.64608 °N and 17.39842 °E

Photo:



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3.1.3. Site Notice Board #3: located at the B6 and M51 T-junction

Lat/Long Coordinates: -22.48901 °N and 17.49563 °E

Photo:



3.1.4. Site Notice Board #4: located on the M51 (within EPL 4194)

Lat/Long Coordinates: -22.53537 °N and 17.59080 °E

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- 3.1.5. **Site Notice Board #5:** located on the B6 (across from H.K. International Airport)
Lat/Long Coordinates: -22.49762 °N and 17.46299 °E
Photo:



- 3.2. Written notices have been sent to the following persons, land owners, land occupiers, organisations and authorities:

- 3.2.1. Owners and occupiers of land on or adjacent to the site where the activity is to be undertaken that have been sent written notice:

- 3.2.1.1. Mr. Alexander Gariseb of Namibia Airports Company (NAC)
- 3.2.1.2. Mrs. Bergie of Farm Helga
- 3.2.1.3. Mr. Jan Jacobus Van der Merwe
- 3.2.1.4. Mr. Robert Douglas Wirtz of Farm Koanus
- 3.2.1.5. Mr. Willem Gous of Farm Brack
- 3.2.1.6. 3 Krone Nature Village
- 3.2.1.7. COMSAR Properties of Farm Wolffsgrund and Farm Rainhof
- 3.2.1.8. Drie Krone Nature Estate
- 3.2.1.9. Etando Ranch Guest Farm
- 3.2.1.10. Farm Sonneleiten Guest House

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- 3.2.1.11. Gmunder Lodge
- 3.2.1.12. Hohewarte Guest Farm
- 3.2.1.13. Marula Game Ranch
- 3.2.1.14. Namibia Environment and Wildlife Society
- 3.2.1.15. Namibia Power Corporation (NamPower)
- 3.2.1.16. Okabis Hunting
- 3.2.1.17. Ondekarenmba – One Namibia
- 3.2.1.18. Our Habitas Namibia
- 3.2.1.19. Perivoli Rangeland Institute
- 3.2.1.20. Voigtland Guesthouse
- 3.2.1.21. Zannier Hotels Omaanda

3.2.2. Please note that we have identified the following list of owners and occupiers of land adjacent to the site where the activity is to be undertaken, but have not sent written notice as we are still in the process of collecting their contact details:

- 3.2.2.1. Eden Chalets
- 3.2.2.2. Farm 456
- 3.2.2.3. Farm Alt-Seeis
- 3.2.2.4. Farm Coas
- 3.2.2.5. Farm Direlis
- 3.2.2.6. Farm Excelsior
- 3.2.2.7. Farm Grasland
- 3.2.2.8. Farm Groot Brack
- 3.2.2.9. Farm Hohenau
- 3.2.2.10. Farm Hohewarte
- 3.2.2.11. Farm Neu-bismark
- 3.2.2.12. Farm Otjimukona
- 3.2.2.13. Farm Oupembamewa
- 3.2.2.14. Farm Progress
- 3.2.2.15. Farm Richthofen
- 3.2.2.16. Farm Seeis
- 3.2.2.17. Farm Smaldeel
- 3.2.2.18. Farm Springbockvley
- 3.2.2.19. Farm Stolzenfeld
- 3.2.2.20. Farm Waldberg
- 3.2.2.21. Finkenstein Estates
- 3.2.2.22. Heja Lodge
- 3.2.2.23. Lodestone
- 3.2.2.24. NamPol

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3.2.2.25. Progress Guest Farm

3.2.3. Local and regional authorities that have been sent written notice:

- 3.2.3.1. Khomas Regional Council
- 3.2.3.2. Windhoek Municipality
- 3.2.3.3. Namibia Civil Aviation Authority (NCAA)

3.3. Advertisements informing the public about the proposed project application and respective 16 April 2024 public consultation meeting have been placed in three widely circulated Namibian newspapers (the Namibian Sun, Republiken and Allgemeine Zeitung) once a week for two consecutive weeks ahead of the 16 April 2024 public consultation meeting.

The dates of publication and respective tearsheets for these newspaper advertisements are as follows:



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3.3.1. Tuesday 2 April 2024:

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-NYWERHEDE

-RESTAURANTE

-SKOLE

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per kg

Pris op aanvraag

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CHARTREL 103 400

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Northern Shelt Fisheries

Notice

of Annual General Meeting

Monday, 22 April 2024

Members of Northern Shelt Fisheries are hereby notified that the 22nd Annual General Meeting of the members of the Northern Shelt Fisheries will be held on 20 April 2024 at 10:00 AM.

The meeting will be held virtually through the Zoom App. The meeting will be held at the Northern Shelt Fisheries, P.O. Box 1000, Windhoek, Namibia.

Agenda of Meeting

Monday, 22 April 2024

Members are requested to attend the AGM to elect the 2024 Board of Directors and to approve the 2023 Annual Report.

By order of the Board, 12 April 2024

Annual General Meeting will be held on 20 April 2024 at 10:00 AM

Zoom App

Zoom Meeting ID: 919 819 819

Zoom Meeting Link: https://zoom.us/j/919819819

OMEGA

Omega Project

Project: Omega Project

Location: Omega Project

Client: Omega Project

Project Description:

The Omega Project is a large-scale infrastructure project aimed at improving the infrastructure of the Omega Project. The project involves the construction of a new road, the construction of a new bridge, and the construction of a new water supply system. The project is expected to be completed by the end of 2024.

Key Objectives:

- To improve the infrastructure of the Omega Project.
- To improve the road network of the Omega Project.
- To improve the bridge network of the Omega Project.
- To improve the water supply system of the Omega Project.

Project Benefits:

- Improved infrastructure of the Omega Project.
- Improved road network of the Omega Project.
- Improved bridge network of the Omega Project.
- Improved water supply system of the Omega Project.

Project Risks:

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- Poor communication of the project.

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EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

1. Introduction

The purpose of this Expression of Interest (EOI) is to invite interested parties to submit proposals for the construction of a new road, the construction of a new bridge, and the construction of a new water supply system. The project is expected to be completed by the end of 2024.

2. Project Description

The project involves the construction of a new road, the construction of a new bridge, and the construction of a new water supply system. The project is expected to be completed by the end of 2024.

3. Key Objectives

- To improve the infrastructure of the Omega Project.
- To improve the road network of the Omega Project.
- To improve the bridge network of the Omega Project.
- To improve the water supply system of the Omega Project.

4. Project Benefits

- Improved infrastructure of the Omega Project.
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- Improved bridge network of the Omega Project.
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3.3.2. Wednesday 10 April 2024:



The screenshot displays a news website with the following sections:

- Economic Indicators:** A table showing various economic data points such as GDP, Inflation, and Unemployment, with columns for the indicator, unit, and current value.
- COMPANY NEWS IN BRIEF:** A section featuring several short news articles with accompanying images, including one of a person working in a field.
- Public Consultation Meeting:** An advertisement for a meeting held on Tuesday 16 April 2024 from 18:30 to 20:30 at the Namibian Scientific Society in Windhoek, Namibia. The ad includes the Medscheme logo and details about the meeting's purpose.

4. A public consultation meeting was held as advertised on Tuesday 16 April 2024 from 18:30 to 20:30 at the Namibian Scientific Society in Windhoek, Namibia.

- 4.1. A PDF copy of the presentation (co-presented by ECC as the appointed Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP), and Jindal Africa as the Project proponent) can be downloaded from the following ECC website uri address:

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<https://eccenvironmental.com/download/the-proposed-construction-and-operation-of-the-jindal-iron-mine-khomas-region-namibia/>

4.2. The list of 16 April 2024 public consultation meeting attendees is as follows:

#	Organisation	Name
1	3 Krone Nature Village	Antje Schidlowski
2	3 Krone Nature Village	Sven von Bloetnitz
3	3 Krone Nature Village	Marianne Röder
4	3 Krone Nature Village	Berry Röder
5	3 Krone Nature Village	Lite Mehnert
6	3 Krone Nature Village	Marit Mehnert
7	Bellatrix SME Finance	Veikunda Kakujaha
8	Environmental Compliance Consultancy (ECC)	Matt Totten jr
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10	Environmental Compliance Consultancy (ECC)	Monique Jarrett
11	Environmental Compliance Consultancy (ECC)	Sam Shinyemba
12	Environmental Compliance Consultancy (ECC)	Kelly Ochs
13	Etango Ranch	R. Gellman
14	Farm Binnenhain	E.W. Romais
15	Farm Bismarck-Grasland	J. Bremstend
16	Farm Brack	Andre F. Gous
17	Farm Brack 438	Willem Gous
18	Farm Helga	B. Bergmann
19	Farm Hoenau	Rainer Halenke
20	Farm Koanus	R.D. Wirtz
21	Farm Neu Brack	H.G. Romais
22	Farm Neu Brack	H. Romais
23	Jindal Africa	Arvind Kuchibhotla
24	Jindal Africa	Debananda Tripathy
25	Jindal Africa	Frank Garapasi
26	Marula Game Ranch	J. Kotze
27	Private	Hendrik Hamman
28	Progress Farm / Progress Safaris	Mike Kibble
29	Perivoli Rangeland Institute	Evert Steplan
30	Sisa Namundje & Co.	Kula Simson
31	Voigtland Guesthouse	Stephan Voigts
32	Progress Farming PTY LTD	Sonja & Mike Kibble

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5. As proof of compliance with sub regulation 21(2) of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations (G.N. No. 30 of 2011), please refer to the list of all potential, identified and registered I&APs for the proposed project in responses 3.2.1, 3.2.2, 3.2.3, and 4.2 above.

The current list of registered I&APs for the proposed project as of 25 April 2024 includes:

#	Name	Organisation
1	Antje Schidlowski	3 Krone Nature Village
2	Bernd Röder	3 Krone Nature Village
3	Marianne Röder	3 Krone Nature Village
4	Berry Röder	3 Krone Nature Village
5	Sven von Blottnitz	3 Krone Nature Village
6	Vekunda Kakujaha	Bellatrix SME Finance
7		City of Windhoek
8	Sisa Namandje	COMSAR Properties
9	Ndesimona Ilpinge	EIA Tracker (NEWS)
10	R. Gellman	Etango Ranch
11		Etango Ranch Guest Farm
12	C.W. Romals	Farm Binnenhain
13	J. Bremmand	Farm Bismarck-Grasland
14	Andre F. Gous	Farm Brack
15	Willem Gous	Farm Brack 438
16	B. Bergmann	Farm Helga
17	Rainer Halenke	Farm Hoenau
18	Talitha Harmse	Farm Koanus
19	R.D. Wirtz	Farm Koanus
20	H.G. Romals	Farm Neu Brack
21	H. Romals	Farm Neu Brack
22		Farm Sonnenlehen Guest House
23		Gmunder Lodge
24		Heja Lodge
25		Hohewarte Guestfarm
26		Khoimas Regional Authority
27	J. Kotze	Martula Game Ranch
28	Alexander Gairiseb	Namibia Airports Company
29	H.K. International Airport	Namibia Airports Company
30	Dennis F. Gelingob	Namibia Civil Aviation Authority
31		Namibia Power Corporation
32		Okabis Hunting

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35	Evert Steplan	Rangeland Institute
36	Hendrik Hamman	Private Individual
37	Jan Van der Merwe	Private Individual
38	Mike Kibble	Progress Farming
39	Sonja Kibble	Progress Farming
40	Kula Simson	Sisa Namundje & Co.
41	Ute Mehnert	Ute Mehnert
42	Stephan Voigts	Voigtland Guesthouse

6. In regard to the matter raised in paragraph 7 of your letter referencing the content of the notice that must be issued under sub-regulation 21(2), we note that the provisions of sub regulation 21(3)(b)(i) of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations (G.N. No. 30 of 2011) (the "Regulations") are in direct conflict with:

- the specific provisions of sub regulations 32(1) of the Environmental Management Act, 2007 which states:

32. (1) A person who is required to obtain an environmental clearance certificate must in the prescribed form and manner and on payment of the prescribed fee, apply to the relevant competent authority for an environmental clearance certificate in respect of the listed activity to be undertaken.

And

- the specific provisions of sub regulation 6(1)(b) of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations (G.N. No. 30 of 2011), which states that:

6 (1) The application for an environmental clearance certificate must be -

6 (1) (b) submitted to the relevant competent authority.

The Competent Authority in this instance, as per the definition set out in Section 1 of the Environmental Management Act 2007, being the "organ of State which is responsible, under any law, for granting or refusing an authorisation" which in this case is the Minister of Mines and Energy, which has granted the Exclusive Prospecting Licences EPL 4013 and 4194 for the Jindal Iron Ore Project.

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It is further noted that the provisions of section 32(2) of the Environmental Management Act, 2007 states that:

(2) The competent authority must in the prescribed manner forward the application referred to in subsection (1) to the Environmental Commissioner, if the proponent complies, in respect of the proposed activity, with any requirements prescribed by law in respect of that activity.

Consequently, any notice issued in compliance with the provisions of sub regulation 21(3)(b)(i) of the Regulations and containing a statement that "The application is to be submitted to the Environmental Commissioner" would also be in conflict with and non-compliant with the provisions of Section 32(1) of the Environmental Management Act, 2007 and sub regulation 6(1)(b) of the Regulations which state that "The application must be submitted to the Competent Authority".

Accordingly, in light of the apparent conflict within the provisions of the relevant sections of the legislation, and out of abundant caution to remain within the boundaries of compliance with the Environmental Management Act, 2007 and Regulations, ECC has therefore stated "...an application for an environmental clearance certificate in accordance with the Environmental Management Act, No. 7 of 2007 will be made ..." on all of its public notices for the proposed Jindal Iron Ore Project.

7. Should you or your client have any further questions or require more information about the proposed Project or ESIA process, please do not hesitate to contact ECC.

Yours sincerely,



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Letter to the MME Mining Commissioner sent from WKH Legal Practitioners on 24 April 2024:

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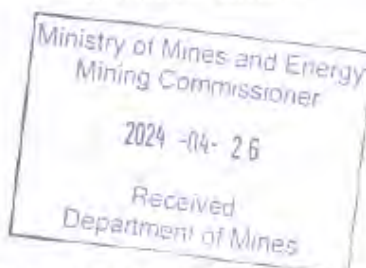
Our Ref: JU/102979

Reply To: commercial.secretary@wkh-na.com

Enquiries: Ilga van Wyk

Your Ref: EPLS 4013, 4194

ATT: Isabella Chirchir



Dear Madam

RE: EPL 4013 and EPL 4194

- We confirm that we act on behalf of Mr R D. Wirtz ("Client"), who has instructed us to address this letter to you.
- Our Client is the registered owner of Farm Koanus No. 121, situated in the Registration Division "K", Khomas Region, and measuring 7916,7403 hectares ("Farm").
- The prospecting areas of exclusive prospecting licence number 4013 ("EPL 4013") and exclusive prospecting licence number ("EPL 4194") (together referred to as the "EPLs") are situated on the Farm.
- The following information regarding the EPLs was obtained on the Ministry of Mines and Energy's website:
 - The EPLs are held by Brake Trading (Pty) Ltd.
 - The granted date of EPL 4194 is 4 June 2009, and the granted date of EPL 4013 is 19 June 2008.
 - The expiry date of EPL 4194 is 12 February 2026, and the expiry date of EPL 4013 is 25 March 2025.
- Section 71 of the Minerals (Prospecting and Mining) Act, 1992 ("Act") states the following



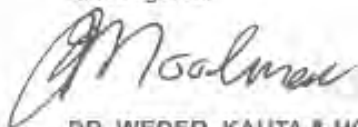
(1) Subject to the provisions of this Act, an exclusive prospecting licence shall be valid

- (a) for such period, not exceeding three years, as may be determined by the Minister at the time of the granting of such licence; and*
- (b) for such further periods, not exceeding two years at a time, as may be determined by the Minister at the time of the renewal of such licence as from the date on which such licence would have expired if an application for its renewal had not been made.*

(2) An exclusive prospecting licence shall not be renewed on more than two occasions, unless the Minister deems it desirable in the interests of the development of the mineral resources of Namibia that an exclusive prospecting licence be renewed in any particular case on a third or subsequent occasion.

6. In terms of section 71 of the Act, an exclusive prospecting licence may not be granted for a period exceeding 3 (three) years, and thereafter, the exclusive prospecting licence may be renewed only twice for periods not exceeding 2 (two) years at a time. This means that an exclusive prospecting licence may not be granted for a total period exceeding 7 (seven) years, save where the Minister deems it appropriate to renew an exclusive prospecting licence for a third or subsequent time.
7. The total validity periods of EPL 4194 and EPL 4013 are 17 (seventeen) years each, which is 10 (ten) years more than what is legally permissible in terms of the Act.
8. In the premises, kindly provide us with the Ministerial approval contemplated in section 71(2) of the Act, failing which our Client reserves his right to pursue any legal remedies available to him in law, including to set aside the decision to grant EPL 4194 and EPL 4013.

Kind regards,



DR. WEDER, KAUTA & HOVEKA INC.
PER: J MOOLMAN

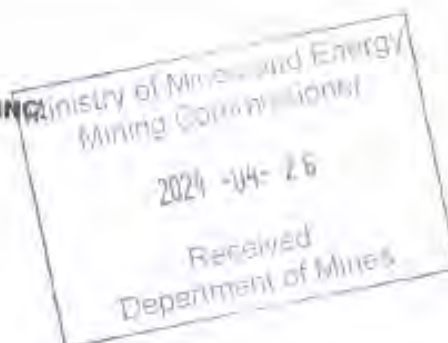


Table 1 - Comments and responses from feedback received during the I&AP registration period.

Name and Stakeholder Details	Comment/Question Received	Response/Clarification
Sven von Blottnitz Resident on the Drie Krone Nature Village	I am concerned about the impact of the proposed mining operation on the residential settlement's peace and tranquillity, as well as the impacts of dust, noise, blasting, and fauna/wildlife disturbance. Furthermore, the impact on water resources to be used for the mining operation is also a concern because it could reduce the water available for our residential settlement.	Various baseline and specialist studies will be conducted to better understand and gauge the impact that the mine will have on sensitive receptors such as the nearby settlements. Mitigation measures will then be recommended to minimise any identified impacts.
Barnard Jacobus Buys Three Sixty Consult cc	Assisting local and foreign construction companies to recruit, appoint and manage Namibian Labour during the construction phase and the mine itself once commissioned.	Comment Noted
Frank and Antje Schidlowski 3 Krone Nature Village	That the value of our quality of life and our property will be affected by the planned mining activities.	This will be assessed as part of the impact assessment and mitigation and management measures will be recommended.
Jan Jacobus Van der Merwe	I have a vested financial and personal interest in a small portion of land located within the EPL 4013 area. I have been renting this portion of land for the past 5 years and intend to construct my personal retirement home at this location. I would like to know if the land I am renting would be affected by the mining activities and related infrastructure requirements. It would be good to know exactly where the planned mining	Additional Project specific information will be provided to the public in the scoping report. Various baseline and specialist studies will be conducted to better understand and gauge the impact that the mine will have on sensitive receptors such as the nearby settlements. Mitigation measures will then be recommended to minimise any identified impacts.

Name and Stakeholder Details	Comment/Question Received	Response/Clarification
	activities and locations of infrastructure related to the mine will be and when this will commence.	
Bernd Röder Drie Krone Nature Estate	1. Availability of groundwater. 2. Impacts on wildlife due to mining activities 3. Noise pollution	Various baseline and specialist studies will be conducted to better understand and gauge the impact that the mine will have on sensitive receptors. Mitigation measures will then be recommended to minimise any identified impacts.
Evert Strydom	1. Rangeland Restoration 2. Carbon Credits 3. Biodiversity Credits	These will not be included as part of this assessment, however, this comment has been noted.
Johan Kotze Marula Game Ranch	1. We operate a game farm and lodges. 2. Security towards some sensitive animals will be a threat. 3. Noise and air pollution will have an impact on the lodges	Various baseline and specialist studies will be conducted to better understand and gauge the impact that the mine will have on sensitive receptors. Mitigation measures will then be recommended to minimise any identified impacts.

Table 2 - Comments and feedback from the public meeting.

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Name	Stakeholder Details	Comment/Question Received	Response/Clarification
Berny Röder	3 Krone Nature Village	Why does the BID say “Final for government submission”?	EAP Response: As part of the screening process, we submit an application form known as Form 1 along with the Background Information Document to the competent authorities: the Ministry of Mines and Energy (MME) and the Ministry of Environment, Forestry and Tourism (MEFT). For this reason, the status of the BID says “Final for government submission”.
		Has ECC conducted hydrological studies yet?	EAP response: We are currently in the scoping phase and therefore no baseline studies have been conducted yet. ECC is currently drafting the ToRs for the baseline/specialist studies and the ESIA. However, this is one of the specialist studies that will be conducted as part of the impact assessment. Furthermore, the proponent will not be using groundwater for their operations. Should any groundwater be utilized, the Proponent stated it will only be used for potable water needs in order to cater for the people working on the mine. The Proponent stated that the water to be used for operations will be acquired and pumped in from the Ujams wastewater plant located in northern Windhoek.

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Name	Stakeholder Details	Comment/Question Received	Response/Clarification
		Will the hydrological study be done by an independent consultant and will the specialist study be made available to us?	EAP Response: Yes, the study will be conducted by an independent sub-consultant with the assistance of our in-house hydrogeologist. These studies will be made available to the public for their review during the ESIA public review period.
		You will be using a significant amount of water for your low-intensity magnetic separation, and will that water come from the wastewater plant in Ujams?	Proponent Response: That is correct.
		Has ECC looked at the wildlife in the area and the effect mining activities may have on wildlife in the surrounding areas?	EAP Response: This will be looked at as part of the biodiversity (flora and fauna) assessment.
		Once the mine is in operation, there will be noise pollution. Will a noise assessment be conducted?	EAP Response: Yes, a noise assessment will be conducted.
		What will happen with the mine tailings? Would you be able to give us more details on what will happen with the tailings?	Proponent Response: The tailing fines will be kept in moistened condition as it is very fine and will be used for backfilling the pit
		Can the water from the tailings be re-used in mine operations?	Proponent Response: Yes, the tailing water will be recirculated back to the washing cycle.

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Name	Stakeholder Details	Comment/Question Received	Response/Clarification
Sven von Blottnitz	3 Krone Nature Village	Will the mining licence area include the entire EPL area (as the Drie Krone Nature Estate exists at the western portion of the current EPL 4013 boundary)?	Proponent Response: Jindal has not completed the exploration of the total areas in the EPL with the high confidence level. Part of the EPL which falls in farms Koanus, Helga and Woolfsgrund has been studied in detail and decided to have the mining footprint in those areas. The mining footprint won't affect Drie Krone Nature Estate exists at the western portion of the current EPL 4013 boundary
		Between the background information document and the presentation, there is a discrepancy between the sources of water, to do with the getting water.	EAP Response: The ESIA process is a progressive process in which information gets updated as it comes in. The BID was a drafted summary of the project, whereas the presentation provided more detailed information. The scoping report and ESIA may differ from the preceding reports as more studies are conducted by the EAP and proponent, and as more information becomes readily available.
Rodney bees		Where will the processing plant be situated?	Proponent Response: The conceptual plan of the processing plant falls within Woolfsgrund farm. However, the scoping & EIA studies will help in finalizing the detailed feasibility study of the processing plant.
		How many people will work or stay on-site?	Proponent Response: There will likely be between 50-100 people on-site at any given time. The total number of people to be employed by the mine will likely grow to some 800 people.

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Name	Stakeholder Details	Comment/Question Received	Response/Clarification
		Where will people get water from?	Proponent Response: Potable water will be abstracted, however, if this option is not feasible then potable water will be brought to the site.
		Where will the main road be located leading to the mine?	Proponent Response: There is currently no layout for where the mining roads will go or where the entrance will be located (as this will be finalised as part of the road study still to be commissioned).
Mr. Robert Douglas Wirtz	Farm Koanus	When will the next meeting be and how often will these meetings be held?	EAP Response: There will be continuous engagement between ECC as the appointed Project EAP, the registered I&APs and the Proponent. Should additional meetings be requested or required, ECC will be able to arrange for and facilitate any additional public or focus meetings necessary.
		Will we receive the studies and the reports done for the ESIA process?	EAP Response: All studies and reports done throughout the ESIA process will be made available to the public and registered I&APs during the ESIA public review periods.
Arno [surname inaudible]		Why is there no one from the airport here?	EAP Response: The Namibia Airports Company (NAC) and the Namibia Civil Aviation Authority (NCAA) were identified as affected stakeholders and were both contacted and invited to this public consultation meeting. Direct consultation between ECC (the EAP), the Proponent, the NAC and the NCAA will be arranged as NAC and NCAA approval is

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Name	Stakeholder Details	Comment/Question Received	Response/Clarification
Mike Kibble			required as per Namibia Civil Aviation Regulations (NAMCARs) Part 139 (Aerodromes).
		The mining operation will impact air quality which will impact airplanes and tourism for the country.	EAP Response: An air quality impact assessment will be conducted to assess prevalent wind direction and dust fallout. This study will also assess the impact operations may have on the nearby H.K. International Airport.
		Which eight farms did Jindal drill on?	Proponent Response: We drilled in Woolfsgrund, Hohenau, Helga, Koanus, Hohewarte & Kameelbhul farms. It is only in these contiguous 6 farms where we worked in iron ore. Jindal did some geological prospecting works in the other two farms for Manganese in early 2012-2013 but those have been relinquished to the government.
		Where are the previous studies that were conducted as part of the drilling?	Proponent Response: Previous studies include geological mapping, regional geophysical studies, remote sensing and satellite image interpretation, and detailed ground geophysics based on the regional anomaly. Apart from that Jindal worked on the analysis of a few exposure samples before undertaking geological exploration/drilling work.
		Will there be further drilling done?	Proponent Response: The present resource statement has been derived from the measured and indicated resource categories. The confidence on the deposit increases in three-dimensional space based on the drill spacing and population of geological sample results. We have plan to continue the

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Name	Stakeholder Details	Comment/Question Received	Response/Clarification
			detail exploration where we have less confidence (inferred category). However, the mine development drilling and drill & blast will continue in the mine pit as the pit advances vertically and horizontally.
Mark Meynard		Will there be blasting studies done?	EAP Response: Yes, a blast and vibration study will be conducted.

2 ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

In closing the meeting, ECC thanked all I&APs for their attendance and for providing valuable feedback during the stakeholder meeting. Through the stakeholder meeting process, the Proponent and ECC have endeavoured to provide a platform to hear and address all relevant comments put forward by I&APs.

ECC further endorsed the fact that constructive feedback from I&APs results in a more robust and improved ESIA. This process results in a project that is understood by I&APs and the broader community. I&AP feedback will contribute to identifying the potential impacts to be assessed and concerns to be considered and addressed as the project progresses.

APPENDIX A – ADVERTS

8 **Sun** 11 September 2024
Market Watch
TUESDAY 2 APRIL 2024

GOVERNMENT OF NAMIBIA
Ministry of Environment, Forestry and Fisheries
Department of Environmental Management

Notice of Compliance Consultancy
The Department of Environmental Management (DEM) is seeking a Compliance Consultancy (CC) to provide services to the Department in the field of environmental management. The CC will be responsible for the following tasks:

- Conducting compliance audits and inspections.
- Providing technical advice and support to the Department.
- Developing and implementing compliance plans.
- Monitoring and reporting on compliance.

Interested parties should submit their proposals to:
The Director of Environmental Management
Ministry of Environment, Forestry and Fisheries
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Proposals should be submitted by:
15 September 2024

For more information, please contact:
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Namibian Stock Exchange
Notice
of Annual General Meeting
Tuesday, 30 April 2024

Notice is hereby given that the 32nd Annual General Meeting of the members of the Namibian Stock Exchange will be held on 30 April 2024 at 10:00 AM.

The meeting will be held virtually and/or at the NSX Boardroom
No. 4 Robert Mugabe Avenue
Pretoria, 0001, South Africa

Registration Deadline:
Tuesday, 16 April 2024

Members must register to attend the AGM by emailing members@nsx.co.na and confirming the below details:
(a) name of member; and
(b) member representative

by no later than 16 April 2024

Annual Financial Statements will be available by 23 April 2024 at www.nsx.co.na

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Namibian Stock Exchange

OMEGA
Home Owners Association

Job Advertisement

Position: Estate Manager
Location: Omega Golf and Residential Estate
Company: Omega Home Owners Association

Omega Home Owners Association is seeking a highly skilled and experienced Estate Manager to oversee the operations and management of our estate. The ideal candidate will have a solid understanding of residential real estate, building regulations, financial administration, asset management, human resources, health and safety legislation, and property practitioners administration.

Key Responsibilities:

- Utilize experience in residential real estate and building regulations to ensure compliance and maintain the overall visual appeal of the estate.
- Manage general financial administration, procurement procedures, negotiations, and budgets effectively.
- Oversee asset management activities to optimize the value and performance of the estate.
- Handle human resource management and legislation to ensure a productive and harmonious working environment.
- Enforce health and safety legislation to guarantee the well-being of residents and staff.
- Ensure compliance with property practitioners administration and legislation.

Qualifications:

- Tertiary qualification in property/estate management or related field.
- Three to five years of experience in property or estate management, including infrastructure development, maintenance, security, municipal services, and health and safety.
- Technical aptitude and basic knowledge of plumbing and electrical systems.

Additional Skills and Abilities:

- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills.
- Strong organizational and leadership abilities.
- Proficiency in relevant software applications.
- Problem-solving and decision-making skills.
- Ability to work independently and as part of a team.

If you meet the qualifications and are ready to take on the challenge of managing our estate to the highest standards, we encourage you to apply. Please submit your resume and cover letter detailing your relevant experience and qualifications to: email@omegahomeowners.com

We look forward to reviewing your application.

Omega Home Owners Association is an equal opportunity employer. We celebrate diversity and are committed to creating an inclusive environment for all employees.

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Final date of submission: 23 March 2024

Background:
Debmare Namibia is a leading national research company, operating in the fields of Mining, Energy, Water, Health, Education, and Environment. The company is currently seeking a highly motivated and experienced individual to join its team as a Research Officer. The successful candidate will be responsible for conducting research, analyzing data, and preparing reports on various topics related to the company's operations.

Key Responsibilities:

- Conduct research and analysis on various topics related to the company's operations.
- Prepare reports and presentations on research findings.
- Collaborate with other team members and stakeholders.
- Maintain accurate records of research data and findings.

Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree in a relevant field (e.g., Mining, Engineering, Environmental Science).
- Minimum 3 years of experience in research or related field.
- Strong analytical and problem-solving skills.
- Excellent communication and presentation skills.

Application Process:
Interested candidates should submit their resumes and cover letters to: hr@debmare.co.na by the final date of submission.

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Economic Indicators

Exchange Rates

Currency	Spot	Currency	Spot	Currency	3M	6M	12M
USD/NAD	18.49	NAD/AUD	0.06	USD/ZA R	16.07	16.05	16.24
EUR/NAD	20.09	NAD/USD	0.06	EUR/ZA R	20.39	20.44	19.89
GBP/NAD	23.40	NAD/GBP	0.04	GBP/ZA R	24.07	23.79	23.67
NAD/CHF	0.04	NAD/JPY	0.55	1 AUD/JPY	7.95	7.93	7.90

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COMPANY NEWS IN BRIEF

ZIMBABWE'S NEW ZIG CURRENCY STARTS TRADING

Zimbabwe's new gold-backed currency started trading on Monday amid doubts that the country's third such re-launch in a decade will have any more success in ending rampant, crippling bouts of high inflation. The Zimbabwe Gold (ZIG) was announced as Friday by the central bank with an initial rate of 13.56 to \$1, replacing the Real Time Gross Settlement Dollar (RTGS), which had lost about 60% of its value this year and had been trading at 25,720 to US\$1 before the change. Bank balances were transferred into the new currency over the weekend while bank customers will have 21 days to do so, and the

same banknotes will enter circulation at the end of this month, according to the Reserve Bank of Zimbabwe. The RTGS, also known as the Zimdollar, was launched in 2019 after a decade of dollarisation, which included so-called bond coins and bond notes, notoriously pegged to the US dollar and introduced in 2014 and 2016 respectively.

SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA GROWTH NOT ENOUGH TO DENT POVERTY, SAYS WORLD BANK

Economic growth is set to rise for the next two years in Sub-Saharan Africa, but it is not enough to make a significant dent in poverty on the continent, the World Bank said in a report on Monday. The region's economy is set to expand 3.4% this year and 3.6% in 2024 as falling inflation boosts private consumption, up from 2.4% in 2023, the World Bank said in its biennial Africa's Pulse report. Many countries in Sub-Saharan Africa were hit hard by the shock of COVID-19 and Russia's war in Ukraine, which pushed up inflation at the same time as rising global interest rates made borrowing prohibitively expensive. Drought and conflict have also affected swathes of the region. "Growth is set to bounce back in Sub-Saharan Africa but the recovery is still fragile," the report said. "The pace of economic expansion in the region remains slow and is unlikely to have a significant effect on poverty reduction." "Per capita GDP growth of 1% is associated with poverty reduction of only 1% in the region, compared to 2.5% in the rest of the world." South Africa's growth rate is forecast to double in 2024, but just to 1.2%, while Angola's is set to pick up to 2.8% from 0.6% last year, driven mainly by the oil sector and a falling oil price.

NIGERIA BARS LENDERS FROM USING FIAT-DENOMINATED COLLATERAL FOR HAIRA LOANS

Nigeria's central bank has barred commercial lenders from accepting foreign currency-denominated collateral to grant hair-raising loans, a move that could protect the banking system against a strengthening of the local currency, it said on Monday. The regulator said in a circular that the practice it had observed of bank customers using foreign currency as collateral for hair-raising loans was "prohibited". The central bank on Monday said it approved Eurobond issued by the government or letters of credit issued by an offshore bank as eligible foreign currency collateral. It told lenders to wind down all loans currently secured with dollar-denominated collateral within 90 days or face sanctions. The central bank has sharply against the dollar on both the official and parallel markets after suffering its second devaluation in less than a year in January. The currency strengthened after the central bank raised interest rates in February and March, and it had restrictions on foreign portfolio at the time it came out.

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Environmental Compliance Consultancy

Public Hearing: 10th April 2024

Project: Jindal Iron Ore Mine Project

Location: Khomas Region, Namibia

Time: 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Address: Jindal Mining Namibia (Pty) Ltd, Windhoek

Agenda:

- Registration
- Project Overview
- Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Summary
- Public Comments and Questions
- Closing Remarks

For more information, please contact the Environmental Compliance Consultancy at 061 234 5678 or email info@ecc.co.na.

APPENDIX B- STAKEHOLDER LETTERS

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ECC-148-464-LET-07-A

28 March 2024

Identified stakeholder and potential interest or affected party for:

The Proposed Jindal Iron Ore Project on EPLs 4013 and 4194, Khomas Region, Namibia.

RE - NOTIFICATION OF AN ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT OF THE PROPOSED JINDAL IRON ORE PROJECT ON EPLS 4013 AND 4194, KHOMAS REGION, NAMIBIA, AND AN INVITATION TO SCHEDULED PUBLIC CONSULTATION MEETINGS.

Dear Sir or Madam,

Environmental Compliance Consultancy (Pty) Ltd (ECC) has been engaged by Jindal Mining Namibia (Pty) Ltd, which operates under Jindal Steel and Power (Mauritius) Limited (JSPML), as its independent environmental assessment practitioner. ECC is conducting an environmental and social impact assessment (ESIA) as part of the mining licence application for the proposed Jindal Iron Ore Project on EPLs 4013 and 4194, in the Khomas Region, Namibia. The ESIA is being conducted as part of the application for an environmental clearance certificate in terms of the Environmental Management Act No. 7 of 2007. Brake Trading (Pty) Ltd is the holder of the EPLs in a joint venture (JV) between JSPML, which holds an 85% stake in Brake Trading (Pty) Ltd and exercises managerial authority over the company, Alexander Adolf Warne, who owns a 10% stake, and Phoenix Minerals DMCC, UAE, which owns the remaining 5%.

The project area is 50km east of Windhoek, Khomas Region (-22.617436, 17.569706). The EPL is bordered by the C23 main road and is 9 km from the Hosea Kutako International Airport, the stakeholder map is attached.

The proposed Jindal Iron Ore project involves establishing an iron ore mining operation, comprising several open pits to be excavated using conventional blasting and drilling techniques. Ore and waste rock will be excavated and hauled by a mobile equipment fleet, with waste rock being transported to a waste rock dump (WRD) site. The extracted ore will undergo crushing and pebble milling at the beneficiation plant, followed by magnetic separation and subsequent reverse flotation and concentrate filtration during the final processing stages. The resulting product, iron ore fines, will then be transported by rail or road to Walvis Bay for shipment.

The Background Information Document (BID) provides further project details and the scope of the assessment, which can be downloaded from the link provided below:

<https://eccenvironmental.com/download/the-proposed-construction-and-operation-of-the-jindal-iron-mine-khomas-region-namibia/>

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This letter is intended to engage potentially interested and affected parties (IAPs) for the Project and provide a communication channel to ECC for the ESIA process. You have been identified as an interested or affected party and therefore ECC wishes to inform you of how you can be involved with the ESIA. As part of the assessment, ECC herewith cordially invite you as an identified stakeholder, interested or affected party to the public engagement meetings scheduled for the following dates:

Public Meeting

Date: 16 April 2024
Venue: Windhoek Scientific Society
110 Robert Mugabe Avenue, Windhoek
Time: 18:30

Public participation is an important part of the ESIA process, as it allows the IAPs to obtain information about the proposed project and provide feedback. Communication with the IAPs occurs at various stages throughout the Project lifecycle. IAPs can interact with the ESIA process by, registering as IAPs for the project via the ECC website as per the link provided below:

<https://eccenvironmental.com/download/the-proposed-construction-and-operation-of-the-jindal-iron-mine-khomas-region-namibia/>

If you are unable to complete the registration form online, please contact us via email for assistance at info@eccenvironmental.com, or alternatively call our office at +264 81 669 7608.

Should you require our assistance with the details contained within this letter, please do not hesitate to contact us and we will gladly assist.

We look forward to hearing from you at your earliest convenience.

Yours sincerely,

Stephan Bezuidenhout
stephan@eccenvironmental.com

Jessica Bezuidenhout Mooney
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APPENDIX C- SITE NOTICES

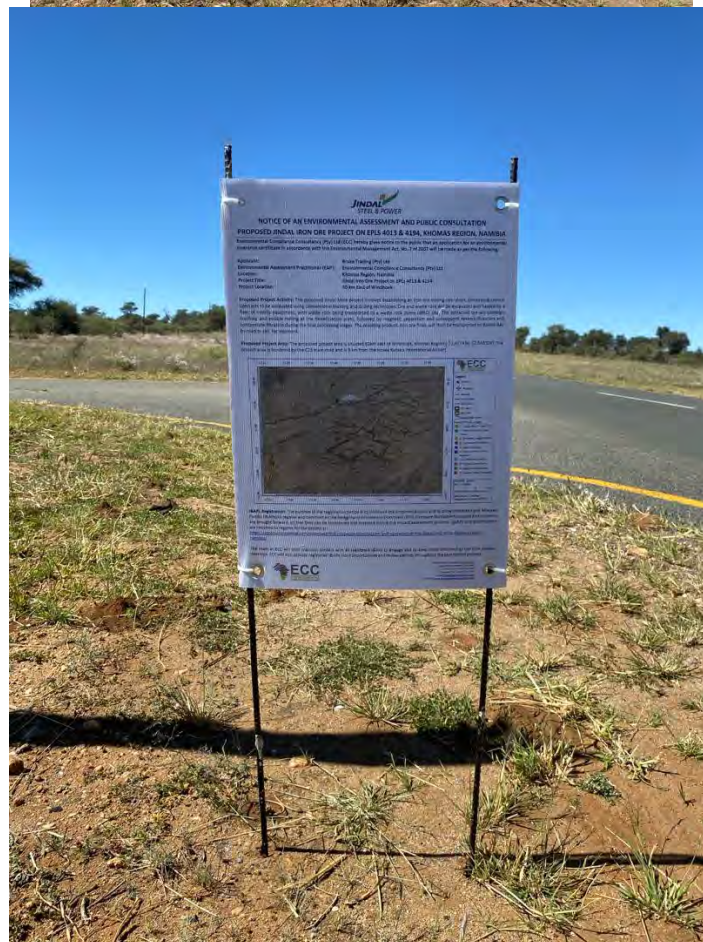
Site Notice Board #1: B6-C23 T-Junction

Lat/Long Coordinates: -22.53426 °N and 17.33206 °E



Site Notice Board #2: C23

Lat/Long Coordinates: -22.64608 °N and 17.39842 °E



Site Notice Board #3: B6 and M51 T-junction

Lat/Long Coordinates: -22.48901 °N and 17.49563 °E



Site Notice Board #4: M51

Lat/Long Coordinates: -22.53537 °N and 17.59080 °E



Site Notice Board #5: B6 (across from the Windhoek International Airport)

Lat/Long Coordinates: -22.49762 °N and 17.46299 °E



APPENDIX D– BID



Submitted to: Jindal Steel and Power (Mauritius) Limited.
Attention: Mr Debananda Tripathy
P O Box 31490
Pionerspark
Windhoek, Namibia.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION DOCUMENT:

JINDAL MINE PROJECT ON EPLS 4013 AND 4194, KHOMAS REGION, NAMIBIA

PROJECT NUMBER: ECC-148-464-REP-02-D
REPORT VERSION: REV 02
DATE: 19 MARCH 2024

The proposed Project BID can be downloaded on ECC's website via the following link:

<https://eccenvironmental.com/download/the-proposed-construction-and-operation-of-the-jindal-iron-mine-khomas-region-namibia/>

APPENDIX E- ATTENDANCE REGISTERS



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Meeting Attendance Register

Date: 16 April 2024

Meeting Subject: ECC: Jindal Iron Ore Mine ESIA Public Meeting

Venue: Windhoek Scientific Society

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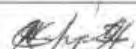
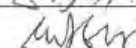
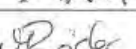
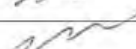
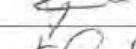


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PHOTOS OF 16 APRIL 2024 PUBLIC CONSULTATION MEETING:





APPENDIX F- I&AP REGISTRATION FORMS AND LIST



INTERESTED AND AFFECTED PARTIES REGISTRATION FORM

PROJECT DETAILS

ECC Project Reference: ECC- 148-464 – ESIA

Project Title: The proposed construction and operation of Jindal Iron Ore Mine on EPLs 4013 and 4194

Applicant: Brake Trading (Pty) Ltd

This form serves to register Interested and Affected Parties (IAPs) for the above-mentioned project(s) and to solicit input and participation. This form will be submitted to the competent authority for consideration in the decision-making process.

INTERESTED AND AFFECTED PARTIES (IAP) DETAILS	
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Surname:	Romus
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Postal Address	456 Windhoek
Organisation and/or property description (if landowner/lawful occupier)	Farm Binsenhain + Huiswag 456
Stakeholder Group (please tick)	☒ Member of Affected Community ☐ Non-Government Organisation (NGO) ☐ Provincial or Government Official ☐ Local or District Official
GENERAL INTEREST IN THE PROJECT	
Please describe the nature of your interest in the project	



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INTERESTED AND AFFECTED PARTIES (IAP) DETAILS	
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Stakeholder Group (please tick)	☒ Member of Affected Community ☐ Non-Government Organisation (NGO) ☐ Provincial or Government Official ☐ Local or District Official
GENERAL INTEREST IN THE PROJECT	
Please describe the nature of your interest in the project	



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Organisation and/or property description (if landowner/lawful occupier)	<i>Form. Use Brack 454</i>
Stakeholder Group (please tick)	☒ Member of Affected Community ☐ Non-Government Organisation (NGO) ☐ Provincial or Government Official ☐ Local or District Official
GENERAL INTEREST IN THE PROJECT	
Please describe the nature of your interest in the project	



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Stakeholder Group (please tick)	☒ Member of Affected Community ☐ Non-Government Organisation (NGO) ☐ Provincial or Government Official ☐ Local or District Official
GENERAL INTEREST IN THE PROJECT	
Please describe the nature of your interest in the project	



INTERESTED AND AFFECTED PARTIES REGISTRATION FORM

PROJECT DETAILS

ECC Project Reference: ECC-148-464 – ESIA

Project Title: The proposed construction and operation of the Jindal Iron Ore Mine, Khomas Region, Namibia

Applicant: Brake Trading (Pty) Ltd

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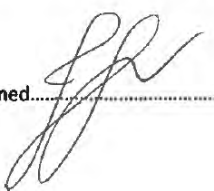
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Stakeholder Group (please tick)	☒ Member of Affected Community ☐ Non-Government Organisation (NGO) ☐ Provincial or Government Official ☐ Local or District Official
GENERAL INTEREST IN THE PROJECT	
Please describe the nature of your interest in the project	We represent a number of Land owners which are affected by the project



INTERESTED AND AFFECTED PARTIES REGISTRATION FORM

GENERAL INTEREST IN THE PROJECT	
Do you have any specific concerns associated with the Project (for example: water, soil, pollution, cultural or historical)?	SEE LETTERS ADDRESSED TO ECC.
If you know of anyone else who should be informed about the project, please provide their contact details:	
Title (Mr/Mrs/Dr/Prof):	
First Name:	
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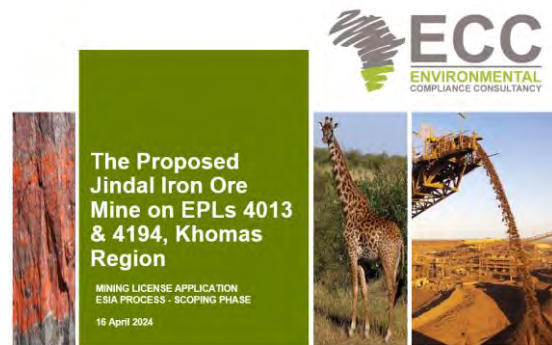
ECC respectfully request that you please sign this letter and return it to info@eccenvironmental.com to confirm that you have received notification about the above and to ensure that your comments, concerns or objections are recorded. All comments, queries and concerns must be received via this IAP registration form and questionnaire or alternate means. Please note that only registered IAPs will be included in future correspondence regarding this process.

Signed..........
 Name.....JANE LOUW.....
 Date.....20/08/24.....

Registered I&APs (via online, email, letter or phone call registration):

Name	Organisation
Antje Schidlowski	3 Krone Nature Village
Bernd Röder	3 Krone Nature Village
Marianne Röder	3 Krone Nature Village
Berny Röder	3 Krone Nature Village
Sven von Blottnitz	3 Krone Nature Village
Vekunda Kakujaha	Bellatrix SME Finance City of Windhoek
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Johan Koetze	Farm Rainhof 123
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Alexander Gairiseb	Namibia Airports Company (NAC)
H.K. International Airport	Namibia Airports Company (NAC)
Dennis F. Gaingob	Namibia Civil Aviation Authority (NCAA) Namibia Power Corporation (NamPower) Okabis Hunting Ondekarenmba - One Namibia Our Habitas Namibia
Evert Steplan	Perivoli Rangeland Institute
Hendrik Hamman	Private Individual
Jan Jacobus Van der Merwe	Private Individual
Mike Kibble	Progress Farming (PTY) Ltd
Sonja Kibble	Progress Farming (PTY) Ltd
Antje Kesselmann	Progress Farming Co. (Pty) Ltd
Kula Simson	Sisa Namundje & Co.
Ute Mehnert	Ute Mehnert
Stephan Voigts	Voigtland Guesthouse

APPENDIX G- PUBLIC MEETING PRESENTATION



Agenda

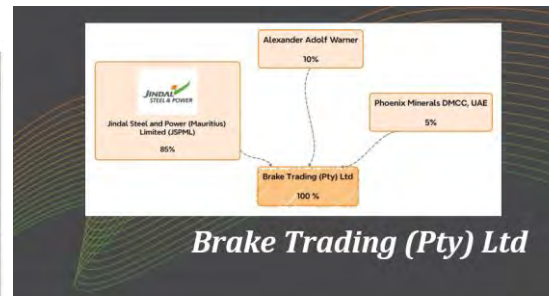
- Meeting Objectives
- Project Presentation — Presented by Brake Trading (Pty) Ltd
- Environmental & Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) Process — Presented by ECC
- Baseline/Specialist Studies — Presented by ECC
- Potential Biophysical & Socio-economic impacts — Presented by ECC
- Q&A



Public meeting objectives

- Inform the public and provide information detailing the proposed Jindal Iron Ore Mine on EPLs 4013 & 4194.
- Provide an overview of the Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) process.
- Take into consideration all **public concerns, questions and comments** to incorporate them into the environmental assessment process.

Locality and Stakeholder Map



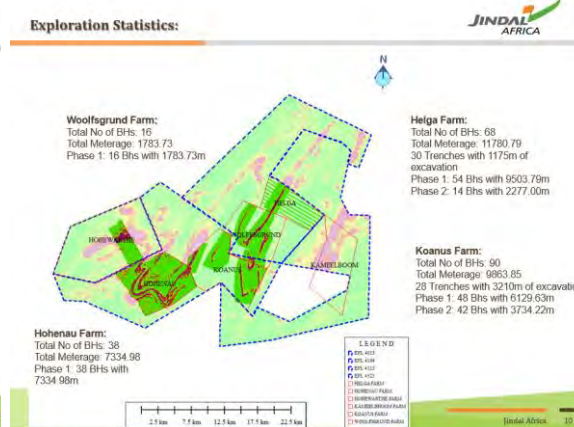
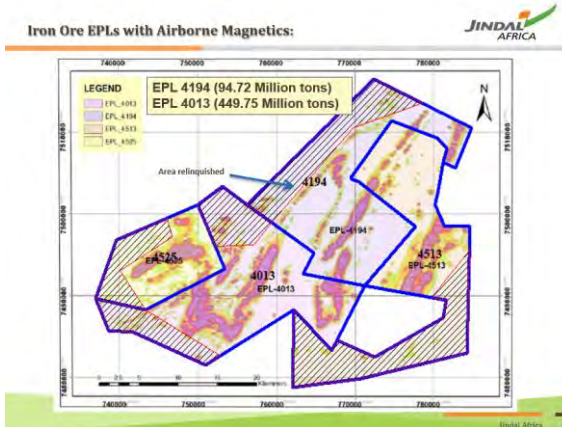
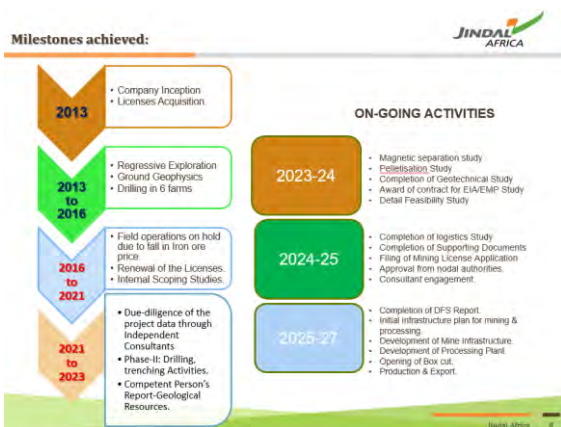
SHARE HOLDING OF ACTIVE LICENSES:

Brake Trading (Pty) Ltd holds EPL 4013 and EPL 4194, located in Dordabis, in the Eastern area of the province of Khomas region.

Jindal Steel and Power (Mauritius) Limited (JSPML) has an 85% shareholding in Brake Trading and has the management control.

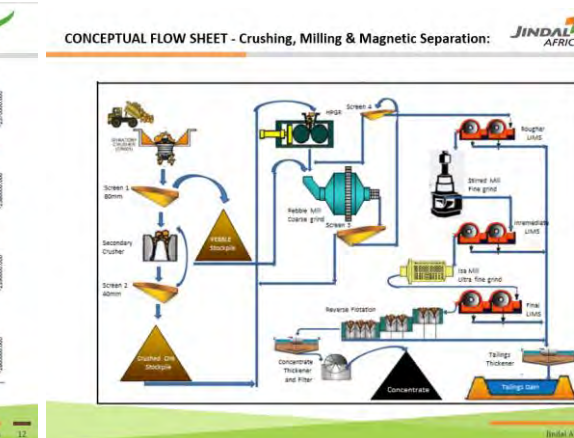
S.No.	Interested Commodity	EPL holding Company	EPL Number	Area	Share pattern of EPL holding Company
1.	Iron Ore	Brake Trading (Pty) Limited	4013	21679.92 (ha)	JSPML - 85%, Alexander Adolf Warner - 10%, Phoenix Minerals DMCC - 5%
2.	Iron Ore	Brake Trading (Pty) Limited	4194	21290.29 (ha)	JSPML - 85%, Alexander Adolf Warner - 10%, Phoenix Minerals DMCC - 5%





EXPLORATION ACTIVITIES AND RESULTS:

Sl. No.	EPL	Exploration Progress	Head Grade	Recovery	Product Grade	Possible / Indicated Resources in EPL	CPR Resources
1	4013	Ground Map - 2484.54 line KM Drilling - 108 Bhs 17198.83 m No. of Trenches - 20, 2310 m No. of Samples - 1802	Fe - 27.35% SiO ₂ - 60.51% Al ₂ O ₃ - 5.78% P - 0.3029% S - 0.0404%	72.32% (t) 388%	Fe - 69.03% SiO ₂ - 2.73% Al ₂ O ₃ - 0.46% P - 0.0198% S - 0.0022%	Magnetic Anomaly: 83.1 KM Average Thickness: 32.12m Average SPG: 3.37 g/cc Depth Consideration: 50m Resource: 449.75 million tons	CPR - Received EIA/EMP - by Dec-24 KOANUS - 798 MT
2	4194	Ground Map - 892.68 line KM Drilling - 84 Bhs 12664.32 m No. of Trenches - 30, 1175 m No. of Samples - 4115	Fe - 29.24% SiO ₂ - 34.88% Al ₂ O ₃ - 6.09% P - 0.446% S - 0.1236%	33.96% (t) 388%	Fe - 66.09% SiO ₂ - 4.22% Al ₂ O ₃ - 0.57% P - 0.0274% S - 0.0326%	Magnetic Anomaly: 29.0 KM Average Thickness: 18.88 m Average SPG: 3.46 g/cc Depth Consideration: 50m Resource: 94.72 million tons	CPR - Received EIA/EMP - by Dec-24 HELGA - 42 MT



CURRENT ACTIVITIES:

GEOTECHNICAL AND PIT OPTIMIZATION STUDY

Department: Civil, Mining and Process Engineering
NAMIBIA UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

MAGNETITE LIBERATION TEST WORK ON BULK SAMPLES



ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT



Facility Study Overview:

Sl. No.	Responsible	Source	Action Completed	Required
WATER	City of Windhoek	Waste Water Treatment Plant	LOI Received	0.75 - 0.9 Million MP
POWER	NAMPPOWER	Nampower/African Grid Imports	Application Requested	
	Private Power Producers	Own Power Generation (PV/Diesel)	LOIs Received from 5 Parties	20 MW
TRANSPORT	TRANSRAMB	Near by Rail siding	Option 1: Rolling stocks, Upgradation by diesel Option 2: Rolling stocks, Upgradation by Transnamb Option 3: Sharing Capital (Negotiations)	30-50 KM from pit to rail siding. 350-400 KM from Rail siding to Port siding.
	Road transport	Logistics providers	Initial requirement informed to providers	25-30 KM from port rail siding to Port.
PORT	GRANROD	Namport	LOI received for 300,000 MT stockpile facility	2.00 Million tons/Year
PORT SIDING	City of Windhoek	Year Done - 2 (Land to be purchased)	Feasibility study	2.00 MT/Year

Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP)

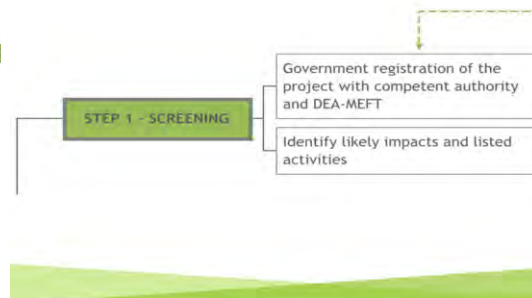
- Environmental Compliance Consultancy Pty Ltd (ECC)
- Independent, objective and unbiased
- Evidence and risk-based approach
- Leverage Namibian public, local stakeholder and specialist knowledge and expertise to guide the ESIA process
- Request active public and stakeholder participation throughout the ESIA process

ESIA Process

- Screening: *Complete*
 - DEA Portal (APP – 003097)
- Scoping: *Current Phase*
 - Public Participation
 - Develop Terms of Reference (ToR) for the full ESIA
 - Conduct Baseline and Specialist Studies
- Assessment Phase: *To come*



Step 1 - Screening Phase



ECC Application Triggers

- Screening (DEA PORTAL)

ACTIVITIES THAT TRIGGERED A CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE APPLICATION	EIA SCREENING FINDING
ENERGY GENERATION, TRANSMISSION AND STORAGE ACTIVITIES	- The mine will connect to the NamPower grid. - There is a possibility that a solar power station will be constructed for the generation of electricity. - The generated electricity will be used to supply electricity to the mine and the potential surplus redirected into the grid power system.
WASTE MANAGEMENT, TREATMENT, HANDLING AND DISPOSAL ACTIVITIES	- A lined tailings storage facility will be constructed. - Licenses will be obtained for all hazardous substances that will need to be stored on the site. - Additionally, there will be a laboratory on site that may generate hazardous waste.

ECC Application Triggers



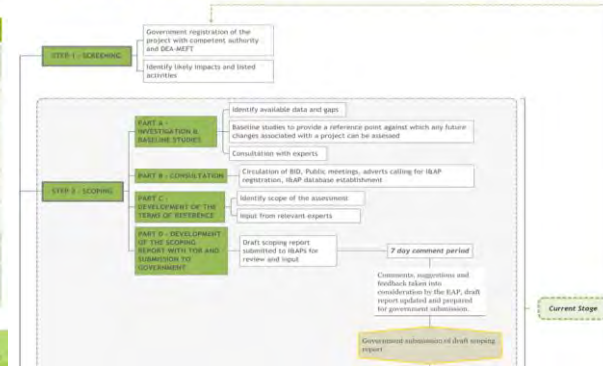
ACTIVITIES THAT TRIGGERED A CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE APPLICATION	EIA SCREENING FINDING
MINING AND QUARRYING ACTIVITIES	- This listed activity falls under the provisions of the Minerals (Prospecting and Mining) Act 33 of 1992. The project is a mine, which therefore triggers this listed activity. - The mine infrastructure will include mine pits, dump facilities, stockyards, mining office, workshop, admin building, health & safety wing, laboratory, canteen, processing plant, conveyor line, filter press yard, concentrate yard, and dispatch line. - This Project falls within a water-controlled area. - Ground and surface water may be abstracted or sourced for the operation. - Groundwater will be abstracted to support the operational activities through identified abstraction boreholes, with an approved abstraction permit, from the Department of Water Affairs, as required by the Water Act, No. 34 of 1995 and Water Resources Management Act.
WATER RESOURCE DEVELOPMENTS	- Surface water may be abstracted from the Otjombo dam for operational activities. - Potential Diversion of the Otjombo River as this river runs through the planned open pit areas. - Process water ponds will be constructed to provide water for the processing plant. - Pipeline systems will be used to transport water or slurry within the site. - Wastewater from the Jindal wastewater treatment plant. - The processing plant will require approximately 1.0 to 1.5 Mm³/annum of water.

ECC Application Triggers



ACTIVITIES THAT TRIGGERED A CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE APPLICATION	EIA SCREENING FINDING
FORESTRY ACTIVITIES	- Vegetation clearing will be required for site construction and infrastructure establishment. - The proposed mining operations and processing plant trigger this activity, as both fuel and hazardous substances are required for mining and processing activities.
HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES TREATMENT, HANDLING AND STORAGE	- Bulk fuel will be stored onsite for refuelling the mining fleet of approximately 30,000-50,000 Litres in the first year of operation. - Consumers installation certificates are required for bulk fuel storage and dispensing. - Licenses will be obtained for all hazardous substances that will need to be stored on the site. - An onsite metallurgical laboratory will be required for site operations and small quantities of various lab chemicals will be used and stored on site.
INFRASTRUCTURE	- Towers for communication will need to be constructed, thus cables and telecommunication lines will be put in place. - Powerlines and telemetry for operational requirements, water and tailings slurry pumping will be required. - Possible Diversion of the M51 roadway.

Step 2 – Scoping Phase



Public Notification & Participation



- Notification of the Project:** newspaper adverts, site notices and identified stakeholder letters sent.



Site Notices



Public Consultation Meeting



- Background Information Document (BID):** provides I&APs with information to take part in the public participation process.
 - BID available on ECC website.
- Public & Stakeholder Consultation Meeting:**
 - Tonight's presentation highlights information from the BID.
 - Applicant can present the project to the public.
 - I&APs can ask questions directly to applicant.



Assessment Phase

1. Screening: Completed
2. Scoping: Current Phase
3. Assessment and Evaluation:
 - Baseline & Specialist studies
 - Predict & quantify impacts
 - Evaluate alternatives
 - Assign mitigation measures
 - Develop monitoring and rehabilitation plans
4. Draft the ESIA report and Environmental and Social Management Plan (ESMP)
5. Submit Final Report to competent authorities
6. Receive Record of Decision



Baseline & Specialist Studies

BASILINE STUDIES	SPECIALIST
A baseline fauna and flora	Peter Cunningham
Detailed groundwater and surface water	ECC
A noise baseline study	ECC and/or AirShed
An air quality baseline study	AirShed
A heritage baseline study	Dr. Alina Nankole
A high-level socio-economic baseline study	ECC
Traffic and Transport study	Innovative Transport Solutions
Visual baseline study	ECC

Potential Impacts to be Assessed

Potential project impacts include (but are not limited to):

- Visual impacts
- Water resource impacts
- Noise impacts
- Air quality impacts
- Impacts to tourism
- Archaeological and cultural feature impacts
- Biodiversity impacts
- Increased traffic & rail impacts
- Economic growth & job creation potential (permanent and temporary employment)
- Carbon emission impacts
- Safety considerations for existing infrastructure and residents



ESIA & ESMP

Integration of Stakeholder and Specialist Input:

- Consider and incorporate input from all stakeholders and specialists.

Inclusion of Recommended Mitigations:

- Ensure that all the identified and recommended mitigations are included.

Please Remember to Register as an I&AP

How to Register?

- Via the ECC website, under "Projects":
<https://eccenvironmental.com/download/the-proposed-construction-and-operation-of-the-jindal-iron-mine-khomas-region-namibia/>
- Via telephone or WhatsApp: +264 81 669 7608
- Via email: info@eccenvironmental.com
- Or speak to us after tonight's meeting concludes

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Questions / Discussion ?



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