

# **AFRICAN EXPLORATION MINING AND FINANCE CORPORATION SOC LTD**

**PROPOSED PROSPECTING OF FE (IRON ORE), PB (LEAD), ZN  
(ZINC ORE), NI (NICKEL ORE, CU (COPPER ORE) ON PORTION  
6 AND 7 OF GAMS FARM 367, WITHIN THE ADMINISTRATIVE  
DISTRICT OF GORDONIA, NORTHERN CAPE PROVINCE**

## **PROOF OF PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

**DEPARTMENT REFERENCE NUMBER:**

*NC30/5/1/2/2/13382PR*

**PART 1**

**JULY 2023**



**EXAMPLE OF NOTIFICATION OF DRAFT BASIC  
ASSESSMENT REPORT THAT WILL BE SENT TO  
INFORM THE STAKEHOLDERS AND I&AP'S ON 24  
JULY 2023**



**Reference No:** NC30/5/1/2/2/13382PR

Good day

24 July 2023

Dear Sir/Madam

**RE: SUBMISSION OF DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORIZATION FOR PROSPECTING RIGHT APPLICATION IN TERMS OF SECTION 16 OF THE MINERALS AND PETROLEUM RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT ACT, 2002 (ACT NO 28 OF 2002) AND THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT ACT, 1998 (ACT NO 107 OF 1998 NEMA) AS WELL AS THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT REGULATIONS OF 2014 (AS AMENDED) (EIA REGULATIONS) SUBMITTED BY AFRICAN EXPLORATION MINING AND FINANCE CORPORATION SOC LTD, FOR THE PROSPECTING OF FE (IRON ORE), PB (LEAD), ZN (ZINC ORE), NI (NICKEL ORE), CU (COPPER ORE) ON PORTION 6 AND 7 OF GAMS FARM 367, WITHIN THE ADMINISTRATIVE DISTRICT OF GORDONIA, NORTHERN CAPE PROVINCE.**

The Draft Basic Assessment Report (DBAR) and Environmental Management Programme Report (EMPR) for the for the proposed prospecting for the Fe (IRON ORE), Pb (LEAD), Zn (ZINC ORE), Ni (NICKEL ORE), Cu (COPPER ORE), 15 065.81 ha on portion 6 and 7 of Gams Farm 367, within the administrative District of Gordonia, Northern Cape Province is now available for your perusal. An electronic copy of the document can be obtained from Greenmined Environmental upon request, or downloaded from the company website at [www.greenmined.com](http://www.greenmined.com) should you wish to review the document.

A thirty-day commenting period, ending on **23 August 2023 at 17:00**, will be allowed. All comments, concerns or objections must be in writing and can be submitted via facsimile, e-mail and/or post. Please do not hesitate to contact us in the event of any uncertainties and please ensure that your contact details are included with your comments.

If we do not receive any feedback from you before the end of the notice period it will be accepted that you do not have any additional objections/comments with regard to the project. We trust that you find it in order. Please do not hesitate to contact us in the event of any uncertainties.

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Kind Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. Saal', is positioned above the typed name.

Murchellin Saal

Greenmined Environmental

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# REGULATION 2.2 MAP

The figure lettered A,B,C,D,E,F,A represents a prospecting right area in extent approximately 15065.81 hectare comprising of portion 6 & 7 of the of the farm Gams 367 Magisterial District Gordonia, Northern Cape Province (Reference: NC30/5/1/2/2/13382PR), (but subject to Regulation 17 of the mine Health and Safety Act, Excluding any area within 100 metres of any railway, cemetery, residential area, public area or within 100m of a public road), for which African Exploration Mining and Finance Corporation SOC Ltd with Registration no 1944/018018/30 has applied for a Prospecting Right in terms of section 16 of the mineral and petroleum resources development act, 2002 (act 28 of 2002).

Applicant	GIS	Regional Manager
Date:	Greenmined	Northern Cape Region
	Date:	Date:

- Legend**
- A Parent farms
  - Farm portions
  - Administrative region: Gordonia
  - Magisterial: Gordonia
  - Z F Mgcawu District Municipalities
  - Dawid Kruijer Local Municipality
  - Wards 17
  - Prospecting Right Application Area
  - Northern Cape Provinces
  - Roads
  - Vegetation
  - Inland water
  - Drainage

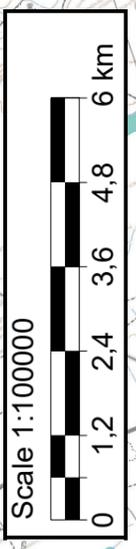
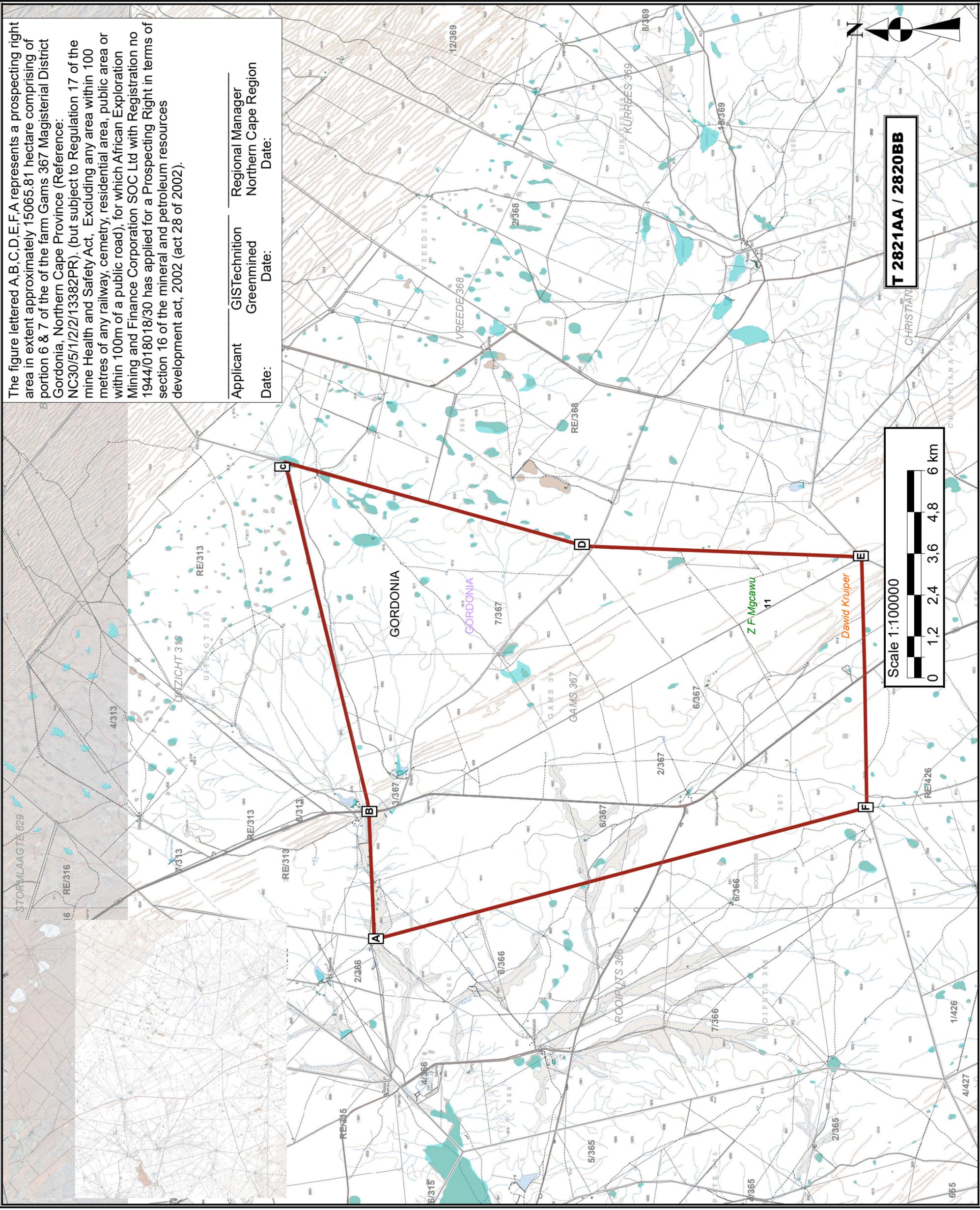
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- B - 28.062907°S 21.028319°E
- C - 28.041620°S 21.130234°E
- D - 28.118121°S 21.106681°E
- E - 28.190596°S 21.103276°E
- F - 28.191853°S 21.029594°E
- A 28°3'52,6032"S; 20°59'27,6288"E
- B 28°3'46,4652"S; 21°1'41,9484"E
- C 28°2'29,832"S; 21°7'48,8424"E
- D 28°7'5,2356"S; 21°6'24,0516"E
- E 28°11'26,1456"S; 21°6'11,7936"E
- F 28°11'30,6708"S; 21°1'46,5384"E

Proposed prospecting area:  
15 065.81 ha

Client:

African Exploration  
Mining and Finance  
Corporation SOC Ltd

Consultant:



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**PROOF OF LAND CLAIM REQUEST SENT 7 JULY  
2023**

## Marlene van den Berg

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**From:** Naledi Kopeledi <Naledi.Kopeledi@dalrrd.gov.za>  
**Sent:** Monday, 10 July 2023 19:23  
**To:** Rikus Janse Van Rensburg; Andrew Lawrence; Shoki Mphokane; Naledi Kopeledi  
**Cc:** Marlene van den Berg; Pabalelo Mokale; Natashia Romain  
**Subject:** Re: Gordonia - PR - Land Claim

Good Evening Ma'am

We hereby acknowledge receipt of your land claim enquiry dated, 7th July 2023 and notes its contents thereof. We will attend to the request within 14 working days.

Thank you Mr. v Rensburg we will attend to the request.

Warmest regards  
Naledi

Sent from [Outlook for Android](#)

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**From:** Rikus Janse Van Rensburg <RJanseVanRensburg@dalrrd.gov.za>  
**Sent:** Monday, July 10, 2023 12:10:12 PM  
**To:** Andrew Lawrence <Andrew.Lawrence@Dalrrd.gov.za>; Shoki Mphokane <Shoki.Mphokane@Dalrrd.gov.za>; Naledi Kopeledi <Naledi.Kopeledi@dalrrd.gov.za>  
**Cc:** Marlene van den Berg <admin@greenmined.co.za>  
**Subject:** FW: Gordonia - PR - Land Claim

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**From:** Marlene van den Berg <admin@greenmined.co.za>  
**Sent:** Monday, 10 July 2023 12:07  
**To:** Rikus Janse Van Rensburg <RJanseVanRensburg@dalrrd.gov.za>  
**Subject:** FW: Gordonia - PR - Land Claim

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Hallo Rikus, hoop dit gaan goed. Ek het land claim request gestuur in epos hieronder maar geen bewys van ontvangs ontvang nie. Kan jy moontlik Hiermee help?

Kind Regards/Vriendelike Groete  
**Marlene van den Berg**  
**Project Administrator**



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**From:** Marlene van den Berg

**Sent:** Friday, July 7, 2023 4:09 PM

**To:** [pabalelo.mokale@dalrrd.gov.za](mailto:pabalelo.mokale@dalrrd.gov.za)

**Cc:** Pumla Thabatha <[Pumla.Thabatha@dalrrd.gov.za](mailto:Pumla.Thabatha@dalrrd.gov.za)>; Andrew Lawrence <[Andrew.Lawrence@Dalrrd.gov.za](mailto:Andrew.Lawrence@Dalrrd.gov.za)>;

Natashia Romain <[NRomain@dalrrd.gov.za](mailto:NRomain@dalrrd.gov.za)>

**Subject:** Gordonia - PR - Land Claim

Good day,

African Exploration Mining and Finance Corporation SOC Ltd applied for a prospecting right over Portion 6 and 7 of the farm Gams No 367, Magisterial District of Gordonia, Northern Cape.

This is to enquire if the above mentioned property are under claim.

It would be greatly appreciated if you could assist us with the information required, in a form of a letter, at your earliest convenience.

Kind Regards/Vriendelike Groete

**Marlene van den Berg**

**Project Administrator**



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**NOTIFICATION OF DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT WILL BE SENT TO  
ALL BELOW LISTED STAKEHOLDERS ON 3 JULY 2023.**

<b>Number</b>	<b>Organisation</b>	<b>Contact Person</b>
1	ZF Mqcawu DM District Municipality	Mr Alfred Tieties (Acting)
2	Dawid Kruiper Local Municipality	Dr Elias Ntoba
3	Dawid Kruiper Local Municipality Ward 11	Cllr Melissa September
4	Department of Agriculture, Environmental Affairs Rural Development and Land Reform - KBL	Mr L Modise
5	Department of Agriculture, Environmental Affairs Rural Development and Land Reform - Springbok	Mr Darren Engelbrecht
6	Department of Economic Development and Tourism - KBL	Mr S Mabilo
7	Department of Economic Development and Tourism - UPINGTON	Mr Johann van Schalkwyk
8	Department of Roads and Public Works - KBL	Mr. Kholekile Nogwili
9	Department of Roads and Public Works - Upington	Mr Garnett Keyser
10	Department of Roads and Public Works - Springbok	Me van Hinsbergen
11	Department of Human Settlements Water and Sanitation	Mr Mashudu Murovhi
12	Department of Water and Sanitation - Upington	Mr Shaun Cloete

13	Department of Labour - KBL	Mr Zolile Albanie
14	Department of Labour - Springbok	Me Carmen Engelbreght
15	Sanral	Me Nicole Abrahams
16	Regional Land Claims Commission Northern Cape	Me M du Toit
17	Eskom	Mr Khahliso Makale
18	South African Heritage Resource Agency	Heritage Officer

**PROOF OF COMMENTS WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE FINAL BASIC  
ASSESSMENT REPORT.**

**NOTIFICATION OF DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT WILL BE SENT TO  
ALL BELOW LISTED OWNERS AND NEIGHBOURS ON 24 MARH 2023.**

No	Name	Interest
19	Ghams Boerdery & Beleggings Pty Ltd – Landowner	Gams 367 Portion 7
20	Me Joey De Wit – Landowner	Gams 367 Portion 6
21	Mr Jacob Casper Kruger De Witt – Landowner	Gams 367 Portion 6
22	Mr John William Spencer Longland	Rooiputs 366 Portion 2
23	Mooiplaats Trust	Rooiputs 366 Portion 8
24	Ben van den Heever Familie Trust	Rooiputs 366 Portion 6
25	Areachap Plase Pty Ltd	Areachap 426 Portion 0
26	LRA 1812 Pty Ltd	Christiana 425 Portion 0
27	Vreede Communal Property Association	Vreede 368 Portion 0 Vreede 368 Portion 4
28	P J Boerdery CC	Uitzicht 313 Portion 0

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# **SITE NOTICE – ENGLISH**

## NOTICE OF PROSPECTING RIGHT APPLICATION

Notice is hereby given in terms of Section 16 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, 2002 (Act No 28 of 2002) and the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act 107 of 1998 NEMA) as well as the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations 2014 (as amended) that African Exploration Mining and Finance Corporation Soc Ltd ("Applicant") applied for:

- a prospecting right over Portion 6 and 7 of the farm Gams No 367, Magisterial District of Gordonia, Northern Cape.
- environmental authorization for the associated prospecting activities on the above-mentioned properties.

The prospecting area will extend over 15 065.81 ha, and is for the prospecting of iron ore, lead, zinc ore, nickel ore, and copper ore. The proposed activity will make use of non-invasive as well as invasive prospecting activities that will include borehole drilling to retrieve geological core samples. No bulk sampling will be done.

The proposed project triggers the following listed activities in terms of NEMA, 1998 and the EIA Regulations 2014 (as amended) and requires a basic assessment process:

- GNR 517 Listing Notice 1 Activity 20 as amended:

*Any activity including the operation of that activity which requires a prospecting right in terms of section 16 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, as well as any other applicable activity as contained in this Listing Notice or in Listing Notice 3 of 2014, required to exercise the prospecting right.*

The Draft Basic Assessment Report (DBAR) with Environmental Management Programme (EMPR), will be available for public comment at the Wessels and Smith offices at 3 Weideman Street and the Upington Library in Mutual Street, Upington. Copies thereof can also be obtained from Greenmined upon request or downloaded from [www.greenmined.com](http://www.greenmined.com). Interested and Affected Parties are invited to provide written comments. The closing date for submission of comments is 17:00 on 23 August 2023. Should additional information be required, it can be obtained from Greenmined. Please use Reference: NC30/5/1/2/2/13382PR as the reference when commenting.

By taking part in this process, you hereby consent, in terms of the Protection of Personal Information Act 4 of 2013 ("POPIA"), to the lawful processing of your personal information by Greenmined, which personal information may be used as part of documentation pertaining to the Environmental Authorisation application process. By providing your details and by taking part in this process you authorise such information to be shared for the purpose of this application.

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# **SITE NOTICE - AFRIKAANS**

## KENNISGEWING VAN 'N PROSPEKTEERREG AANSOEK

Kennis geskied hiermee ingevolge die Minerale- en Petroleumhulpbronneontwikkingswet, 2002 (Wet 28 van 2002) (MPRDA), die Nasionale Omgewingsbestuurwet, 1998 (Wet 107 van 1998) (NEMA), en die Omgewingsimpakstudie Regulasies, 2014 (soos gewysig) (OIS-), dat African Exploration Mining and Finance Corporation Soc Ltd aansoek gedoen het vir:

- 'n prospekterreg oor Gedeelte 6 en 7 van die plaas Gams No 367, Landdros Distrik Gordonia, Noord-Kaap.
- omgewingsgoedkeuring vir die gepaardgaande prospekteraktiwiteite op bogenoemde eiendomme.

Die prospektergebied sal 15 065.81 ha groot wees, waar daar vir yster, lood, sink, nikel en koper geprospekter gaan word. Die voorgestelde aktiwiteit sal van nie-indringende sowel as indringende prospektering aktiwiteite gebruik maak wat die boor van toetsputte sal insluit om geologiese kernmonsters te win. Geen grootmaat monsterneming sal gedoen word nie.

Die voorgestelde projek raak die volgende gelyste aktiwiteite ingevolge die NEMA, en die OIS Regulasies 2014 (soos gewysig):

- GNR 517 Noteringskennisgewing 1 Aktiwiteit 20 soos gewysig:

*Enige aktiwiteit insluitend die bedryf van daardie aktiwiteit wat 'n prospekterreg ingevolge artikel 16 van die MPRDA vereis, sowel as enige ander toepaslike aktiwiteit soos voortgesit in hierdie Noteringskennisgewing of in Noteringskennisgewing 3 van 2014, wat vereis word om die prospekterreg uit te voer.*

Die konsep Basiese Asseseringsverslag en Omgewingsbestuursprogram sal beskikbaar wees vir publieke kommentaar by Wessels en Smit se kantoor Weidemanstraat 3, asook Upington Biblioteek, Mutual straat, Upington. Afskrifte hiervan kan ook op aanvraag verkry word vanaf Greenmined, of afgelaai word by [www.greenmined.com](http://www.greenmined.com). Belanghebbendes en geaffekteerde partye word uitgenooi om skriftelik kommentaar te lewer. Die sluitingsdatum vir kommentaar is 17:00 op 23 Augustus 2023. Sou u addisionele inligting benodig kan dit vanaf Greenmined verkry word. Gebruik asb. NC 30/5/1/2/2/13382 PR as verwysingsnommer.

Deur aan hierdie proses deel te neem, stem u in, in terme van die Wet op die Beskerming van Persoonlike Inligting 4 van 2013 ("POPIA"), tot die wettige verwerking van u persoonlike inligting deur Greenmined, welke persoonlike inligting as deel van dokumentasie gebruik kan word met betrekking tot die aansoekproses vir Omgewingsmagtiging. Deur u besonderhede te verskaf en deur aan hierdie proses deel te neem, magtig u dat sulke inligting gedeel mag word vir die doel van hierdie aansoek.

Die projek konsultant is Greenmined Environmental, Suite 62, Privaat Sak X15, Somerset West, 7129 of kontak Murchellin Saal by (076) 792 6327 of Tel (021) 851 2673, (Fax) (086) 546 0579, (epos) [murchellin.s@greenmined.co.za](mailto:murchellin.s@greenmined.co.za)

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- 'n prospekterings oor Gebiede 6 en 7 van die plaas Gama No 367, Landroos Daak 1 Gertonia, Noord-Kaap
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- GNR 517 Njettspakemeganisme 1 Artikel 22 ensovoorts.

Elke aktiwiteit insluit die bedryf van daardie aktiwiteit wat 'n prospekterings ingevolge aktiwiteit 16 van die MPRDA betref, soos well as enige ander kwalifiserende aktiwiteit soos voorgedra in hierdie kennisgewing ingevolge of in Afdelingskennisgewing 3 van 2014, wat verwys word na die prospekterings oorsig.

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OF PORTION 6, ROAD MARKER R360-1 36 ON 3  
JULY 2023**

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Two white informational sheets or notices posted on a fence.





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AND ENGLISH AT PORTION 7 ON THE R360  
APPROXIMATELY 1.35KM FROM THE KALAHARI  
GUEST FARM ON 3 JULY 2023**







**PROOF OF ADVERT PLACED IN THE GEMSBOK  
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- 'n prospekterreg oor Gedeelte 6 en 7 van die plaas Gams No 367, Landdros Distrik Gordonia, Noord-Kaap.
- omgewingsgoedkeuring vir die gepaardgaande prospekteraktiwiteite op bogenoemde eiendomme.

Die prospektergebied sal 15 065.81 ha groot wees, waar daar vir yster, lood, sink, nikel en koper geprospekter gaan word. Die voorgestelde aktiwiteit sal van nie-indringende sowel as indringende prospektering aktiwiteite gebruik maak wat die boor van toetsputte sal insluit om geologiese kernmonsters te win. Geen grootmaat monsterneming sal gedoen word nie.

Die voorgestelde projek raak die volgende gelyste aktiwiteite ingevolge die NEMA, en die OIS Regulasies 2014 (soos gewysig):

- GNR 517 Noteringskennisgewing 1 Aktiwiteit 20 soos gewysig:

*Enige aktiwiteit insluitend die bedryf van daardie aktiwiteit wat 'n prospekterreg ingevolge artikel 16 van die MPRDA vereis, sowel as enige ander toepaslike aktiwiteit soos voortgesit in hierdie Noteringskennisgewing of in Noteringskennisgewing 3 van 2014, wat vereis word om die prospekterreg uit te voer.*

Die konsep Basiese Assesseringsverslag en Omgewingsbestuursprogram sal beskikbaar wees vir publieke kommentaar by Wessels en Smit se kantoor *Weidemanstraat 3, asook Upington Biblioteek, Mutual straat, Upington*. Afskrifte hiervan kan ook op aanvraag verkry word vanaf Greenmined, of afgelaai word by [www.greenmined.com](http://www.greenmined.com). Belanghebbendes en geaffekteerde partye word uitgenooi om skriftelik kommentaar te lewer. Die sluitingsdatum vir kommentaar is 17:00 op 23 Augustus 2023. Sou u addisionele inligting benodig kan dit vanaf Greenmined verkry word. Gebruik asb. NC 30/5/1/2/2/13382 PR as verwysingsnommer.

Deur aan hierdie proses deel te neem, stem u in, in terme van die Wet op die Beskerming van Persoonlike Inligting 4 van 2013 ("POPIA"), tot die wettige verwerking van u persoonlike inligting deur Greenmined, welke persoonlike inligting as deel van dokumentasie gebruik kan word met betrekking tot die aansoekproses vir Omgewingsmagtiging. Deur u besonderhede te verskaf en deur aan hierdie proses deel te neem, magtig u dat sulke inligting gedeel mag word vir die doel van hierdie aansoek.

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## NOTICE OF PROSPECTING RIGHT APPLICATION

Notice is hereby given in terms of Section 16 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, 2002 (Act No 28 of 2002) and the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act 107 of 1998 NEMA) as well as the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations 2014 (as amended) that African Exploration Mining and Finance Corporation Soc Ltd ("Applicant") applied for:

- a prospecting right over Portion 6 and 7 of the farm Gams No 367, Magisterial District of Gordonia, Northern Cape.
- environmental authorization for the associated prospecting activities on the above-mentioned properties.

The prospecting area will extend over 15 065.81 ha, and is for the prospecting of iron ore, lead, zinc ore, nickel ore, and copper ore. The proposed activity will make use of non-invasive as well as invasive prospecting activities that will include borehole drilling to retrieve geological core samples. No bulk sampling will be done.

The proposed project triggers the following listed activities in terms of NEMA, 1998 and the EIA Regulations 2014 (as amended) and requires a basic assessment process:

- GNR 517 Listing Notice 1 Activity 20 as amended:

*Any activity including the operation of that activity which requires a prospecting right in terms of section 16 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, as well as any other applicable activity as contained in this Listing Notice or in Listing Notice 3 of 2014, required to exercise the prospecting right.*

The Draft Basic Assessment Report (DBAR) with Environmental Management Programme (EMPR), will be available for public comment at the Wessels and Smith offices at 3 Weideman Street and the Upington Library in Mutual Street, Upington. Copies thereof can also be obtained from Greenmined upon request or downloaded from [www.greenmined.com](http://www.greenmined.com). Interested and Affected Parties are invited to provide written comments. The closing date for submission of comments is 17:00 on 23 August 2023. Should additional information be required, it can be obtained from Greenmined. Please use Reference: NC30/5/1/2/2/13382PR as the reference when commenting.

By taking part in this process, you hereby consent, in terms of the Protection of Personal Information Act 4 of 2013 ("POPIA"), to the lawful processing of your personal information by Greenmined, which personal information may be used as part of documentation pertaining to the Environmental Authorisation application process. By providing your details and by taking part in this process you authorise such information to be shared for the purpose of this application.

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