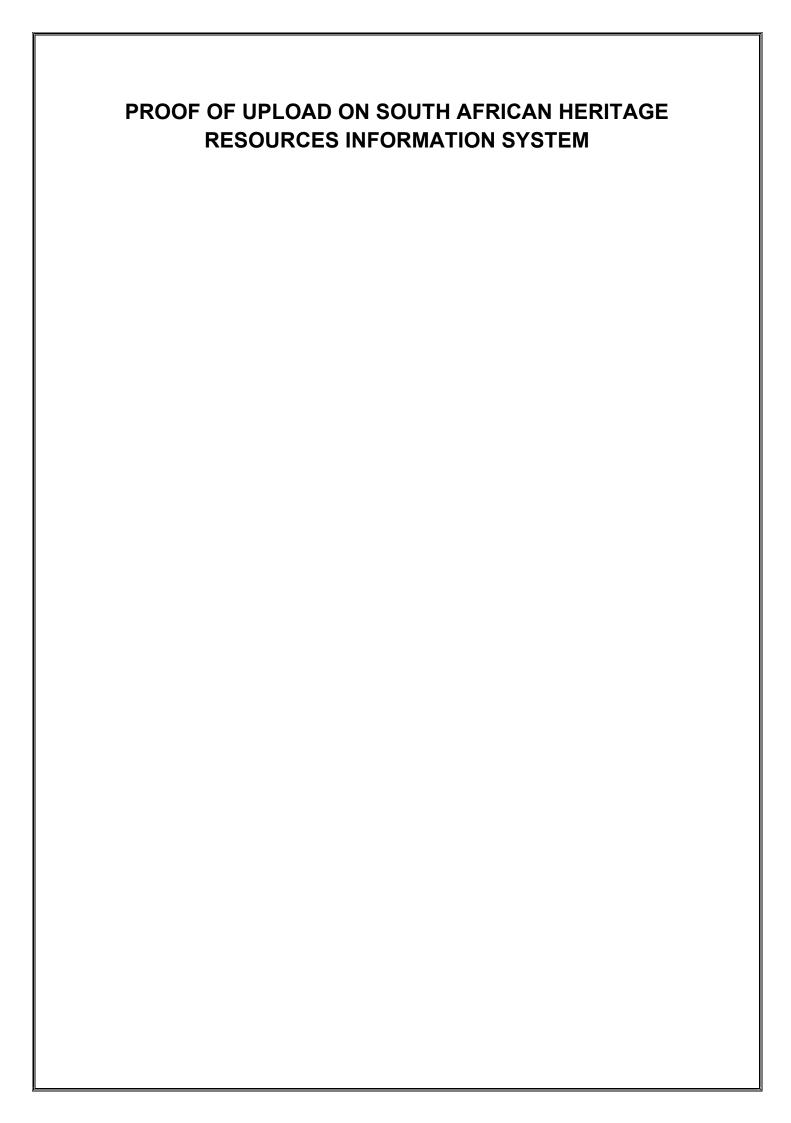
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DEPARTMENTAL REFERENCE NUMBER

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SECTION 24G APPLICATION IN TERMS OF THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAG...

CaseDetails *

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Summary

Case ID: 26633

Case Status: <u>SUBMITTED</u>
Heritage Authority(s): HWC

Proposal Description

This Section 24G Application is submitted to the Western Cape Department of Environmental Affairs and Development Planning (DEA&DP) to regularise activities that were undertaken on Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden Farm, Wellington, within the Drakenstein Local Municipality, Western Cape.

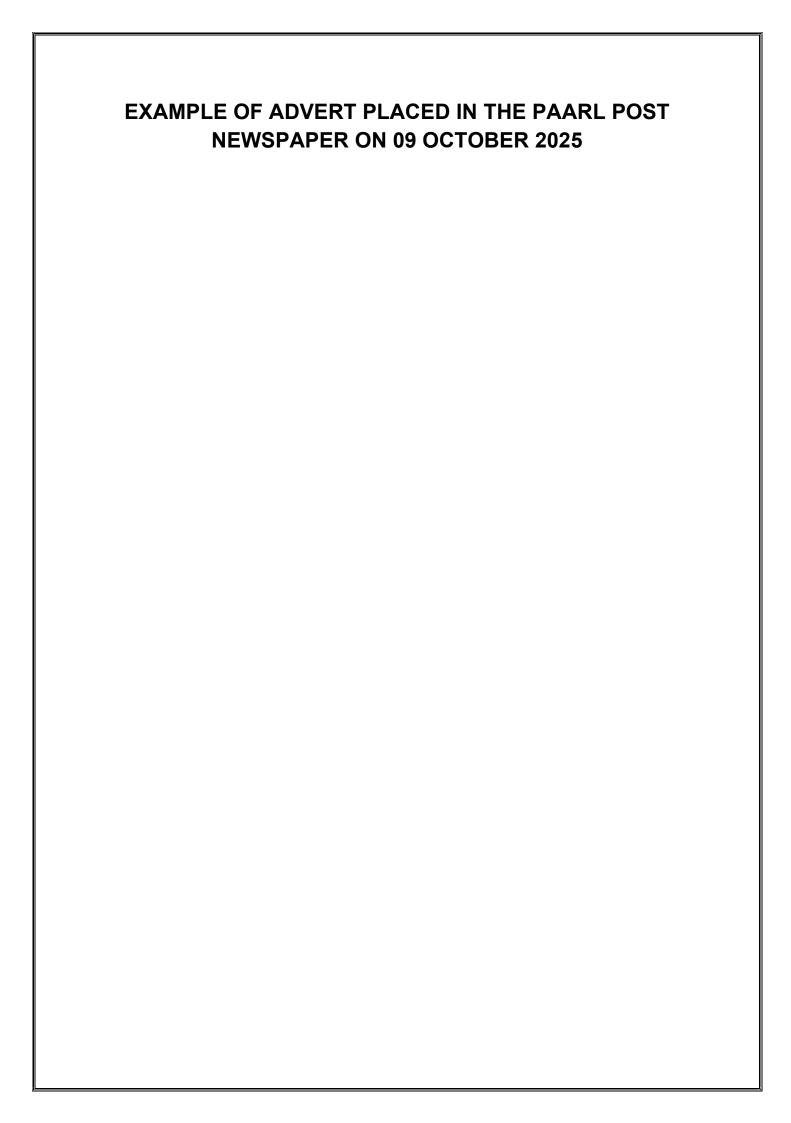
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The activities include:

- Rehabilitation and stabilisation of the flood-damaged riverbank through gabion and concrete retaining structures;
- Reconstruction of the property boundary fence washed away during the July 2024 flood event;

Location





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Contact consultant:

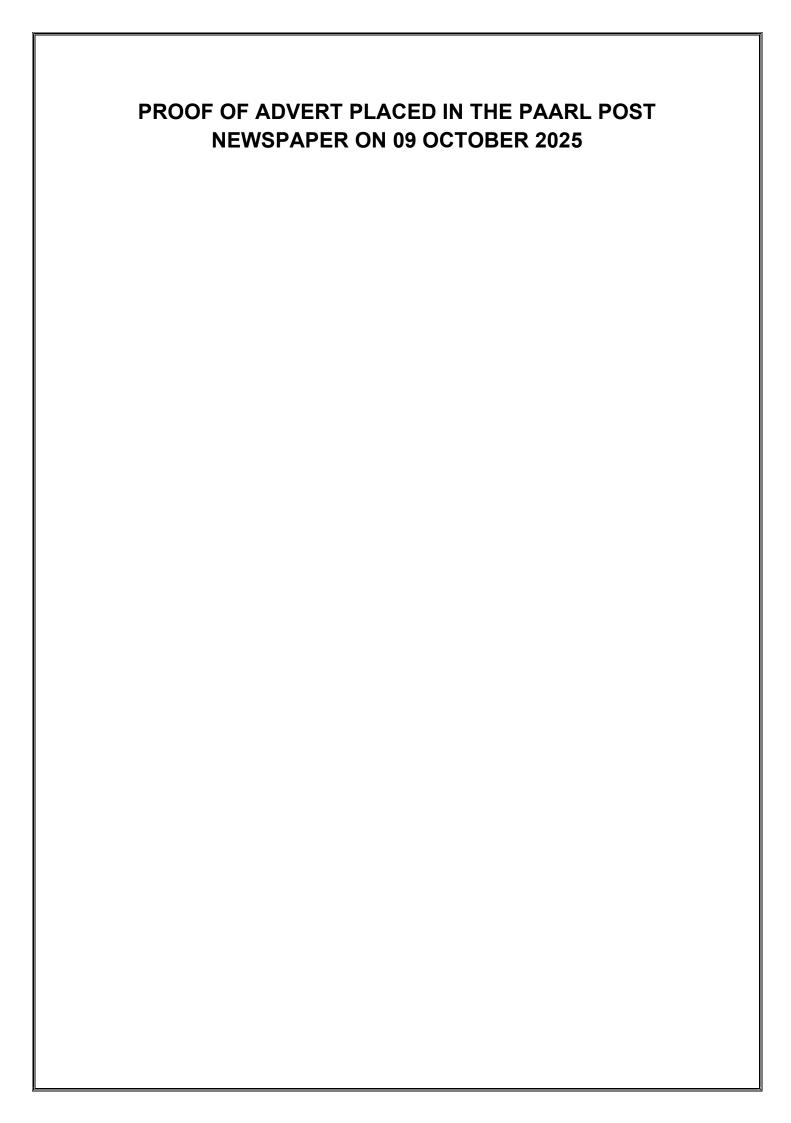
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Kantoorgebou beplan nadat huis gesloop is

Chantélle Hartebeest

Die bou van nóg 'n kantoorgebou word vir Paarl se Hoofstraat op die erf waar 'n huis van meer as 60 jaar oud onlangs gesloop is, beplan.

Paarliete het onlangs hul ongelukkigheid oor die sloping op sosiale media gedeel toe dit bekend geword het. Inwoners het talle vrae gehad oor hoekom die sloping goedgekeur is en wie daaragter sit.

Paarl Post het na die Drakensteinmunisipaliteit met verdere navrae hieroor uitgereik.

Seraj Johaar, Drakenstein se uitvoerende direkteur van korporatiewe en beplanningsdienste, het op die navraag gereageer.

"[Die] Drakenstein-munisipaliteit is bewus van die sloping by Hoofstraat 65, wat in [die] middel [van] September plaasgevind het ná ontvangs van 'n aansoek. Goedkeuring vir die sloping is ook deur Erfenis Wes-Kaap verleen,"

"[Die plan is] om 'n kantoorgebou op die terrein op te rig. Die munisipaliteit beskik nie oor inligting oor die konstruksiemaatskappy of kontrakteur wat die eiendom gekoop het nie. • Paarl Post het na Erfenis Wes-Kaap uitgereik, maar geen terugvoer is teen druktyd ontvang nie. Enigeen met meer inligting oor die geskiedenis van die huis kan Chantélle Hartebeest via e-pos by chantelle.hartebeest@novus-

media.co.za kontak.



Vervoerbewustheidsmaand fokus op veiligheid op paaie

Chantélle Hartebeest

Vervoer speel elke dag 'n belangrike rol om van een plek na 'n ander te kom. Dit sluit nie net mense in nie, maar ook die vervoer van goedere wat 'n impak op Suid-Afrika se ekonomiese oorlewing

Met die aanvang van Vervoerbewustheidsmaand sê die regering in 'n persverklaring: "Ons doel is om bewustheid te verhoog van die belangrike rol van vervoer in die ekonomie, en om deelname van die burgerlike samelewing en ondernemings uit te nooi om 'n veiliger, meer bekostigbare, toeganklike en betroubare vervoerstelsel te bied."

Paarl Post het met die Drakenstein-munisipaliteit gesels om te hoor hoe die munisipaliteit bewustheid oor veral padveiligheid in die munisipale gebied verbeter.

Japie Cornelissen, Drakenstein se hoof van verkeersdienste, sê hulle het verlede Donderdag Vervoerbewustheidsmaand met 'n suksesvolle bewusmakingsprojek by Simondium Primêre Skool ingelei.
"Alle beskikbare nooddienste, wat

die Suid-Afrikaanse polisie insluit, het 'n vertoning aangebied om leerders van veilige padgebruik bewus te maak. Drakenstein-munisipaliteit beoog om weekliks 'n voetganger-gefokusde projek te doen om veilige padgebruik deur voetgangers te bevorder."

Cornelissen sê die munisipaliteit sal ook in Oktober pette en glimbaadjies uitdeel, veral aan leerders in landelike gebiede om sigbaarheid van voetgangers te bevorder.

"Verkeersdienste se opleidings- en bewusmakingskomponent besoek skole en instansies in 'n poging om die publiek meer bewus van padveiligheid te

maak. Drakenstein se verkeersdienste werk saam met die padingenieurs, veral daar waar infrastruktuurprojekte aan die gang is, om die veiligheid van die publiek te verseker. Ons wil derhalwe 'n beroep op ons motoriste doen om geduldig te wees, en mede-padgebruikers in ag te neem wanneer hulle bestuur," sê Cornelissen.

Hy voeg by dat die nuwe boekjaar se begroting tans aangewend word om verskeie paaie te herseël, volgens die prioriteite van die padbestuurstelsel.

"Verder gaan bestaande projekte voort met die konstruksie en herbou van onder meer Lady Loch, Drommedaris, die R45 (provinsie), Klapmuts-Simondium (provinsie) en die nuwe pad by die Parelberg-ontwikkeling van die R301 in Suider Paarl."

Isaac Sileku, die Wes-Kaapse LUR vir mobiliteit, het Vervoerbewustheidsmaand met 'n paneelbespreking geopen wat veral op verkeersopeenhoping gefokus het.

"Verkeersopeenhoping is nie net 'n ongerief nie, dit het 'n werklike impak op lewensonderhoud, sake-ondernemings en die omgewing. Ons fokus moet wees op die uitbreiding en verbetering van openbare vervoer, sodat dit die voorkeurkeuse vir pendel word. Ons sal harder werk om nie-gemotoriseerde vervoer verder moontlik te maak.

"Ons moet ook die reisvraag bestuur deur saamrygeleenthede, buigsame werk- reëlings en slimmer gebruik van tegnologie te omhels. Daarbenewens is die tegelyke bestaan van die verskillende vorme van openbare vervoer, insluitend spoor, busse, minibus-taxi's en e-taxi's, moontlik, en is dit die enigste manier om verkeersopeenhopings te bestuur en te



Die Ou Meulteater in Meulstraat in die Paarl. Foto: Argief

Ou Meulteater se verhuring bekyk

Jana Scheepers

Op die jongste Drakensteinse munisipale raadsvergadering was die Ou Meulteater in die Paarl - 'n geliefde ruimte wat die bevordering van kuns en kultuur in die Drakenstein aanmoedig - op die agenda en 'n voorgestelde langtermynverhuring van die perseel is bespreek.

Sedert die vorige bestuurders van die Ou Meulteater in die Paarl, Lionel en Anél Maharajah, die tuig einde Januarie neergelê het nadat hulle as bestuurders bedank het weens skynbaar uitdagende "politiekery", is die teater geslote.

Luidens die raadsvergadering, wat verlede Dinsdag (30 September) plaasgevind het, se agenda, kan die langtermynverhuring van die teater vir 'n periode van nege jaar en 11 maande duur, met 'n opsie om die ooreenkoms te

Volgens die agenda is die verslag vir die verhuring van die Ou Meulteater by die raad ingedien vir hul goedkeuring, terwyl die burgemeesterskomitee dit reeds goedgekeur het.

Indien die munisipale raad die verslag goedkeur, sal dit deur 'n mededingende bodproses gaan waar partye kan aansoek doen om die huur van die eiendom.

Die waarde van die markverwante huurbedrag sal deur 'n onafhanklike waardeerder vasgestel word en dit sal

ook vir openbare kommentaar gepubliseer word.

Volgens 'n video deur die Maharajah-egpaar wat in Desember 2024 op die Ou Meulteater se Facebookblad gepubliseer is, het die egpaar, wat reeds vir sewe jaar die teater bestuur, en voor dit sedert 2007 as assistente vir die vorige bestuurders opgetree het, besluit om as bestuurders te bedank nadat die "politiek" om die teater te laat voortleef 'n uitdaging geraak het.

In 'n destydse telefoongesprek met Paarl Post het hulle uitgebrei oor die uitdagings wat hulle ervaar het met die DM, en hoe dit gelei het tot hul besluit om hul huurkontrak om die Ou Meulteater te bestuur, te beëindig.

Volgens die egpaar wat saam die teater bestuur het, is hulle in Julie vanjaar deur die DM ingelig dat hul huurkontrak

Januarie 2025 sal verstryk.

Die DM het toe glo vir die egpaar gesê dat hulle weer aansoek kan doen om die tender om die teater te bestuur, maar dat hulle "dalk nie suksesvol sal wees nie".

Volgens die egpaar het die DM hulle sedertdien in die duister gehou oor hul toekoms by die teater, waarna hulle tot die besluit gekom het om as bestuurders te bedank en nie aansoek te doen vir die tender nie.

Die koerant het na die munisipaliteit uitgereik vir kommentaar, maar geen terugvoering ontvang nie.

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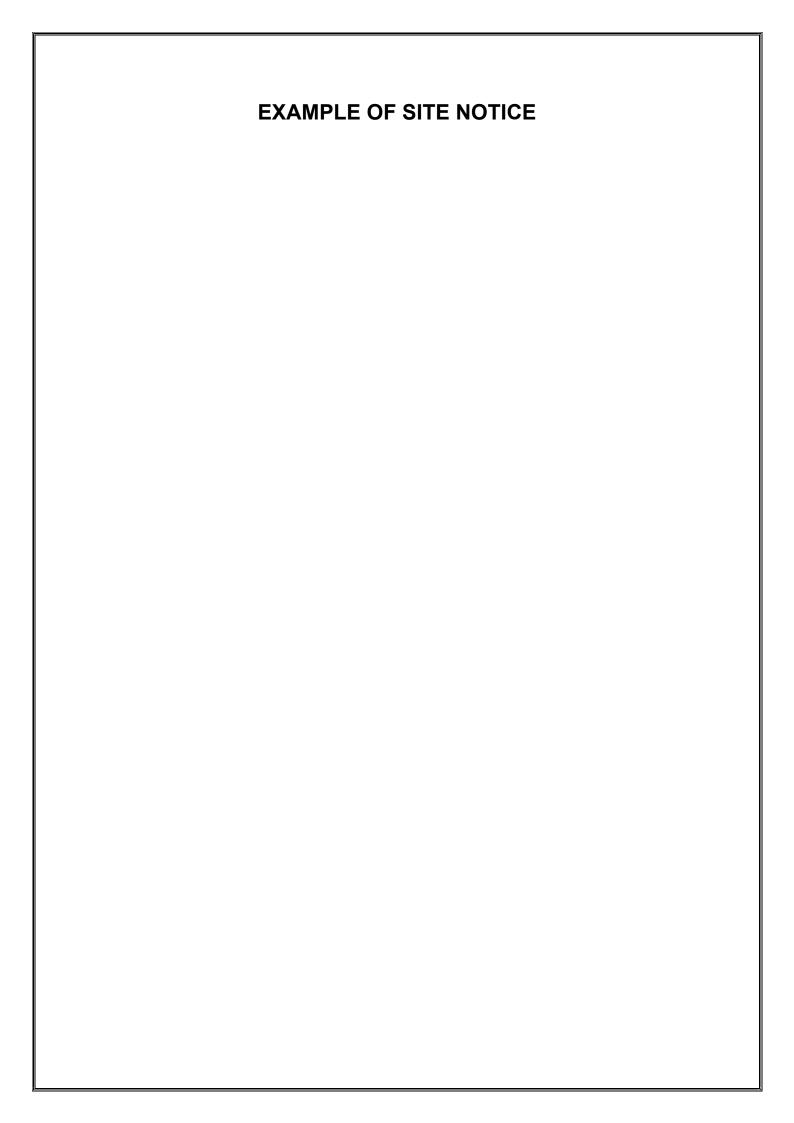
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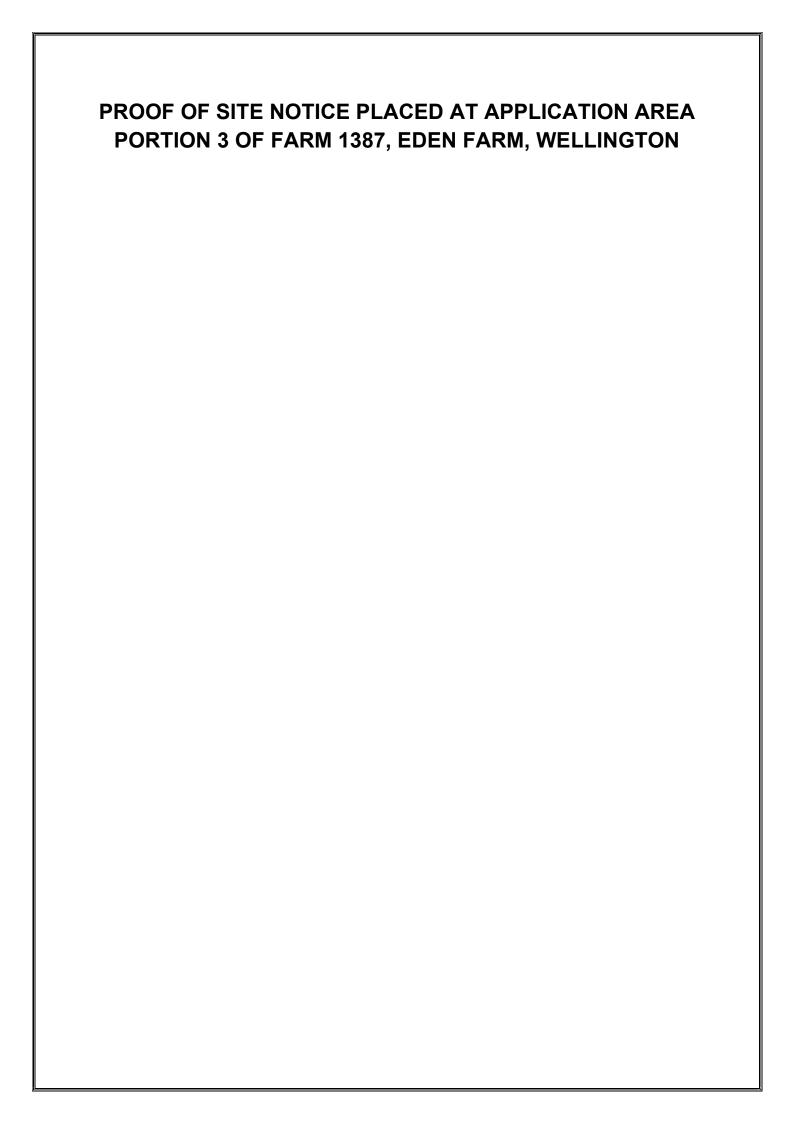
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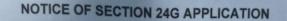
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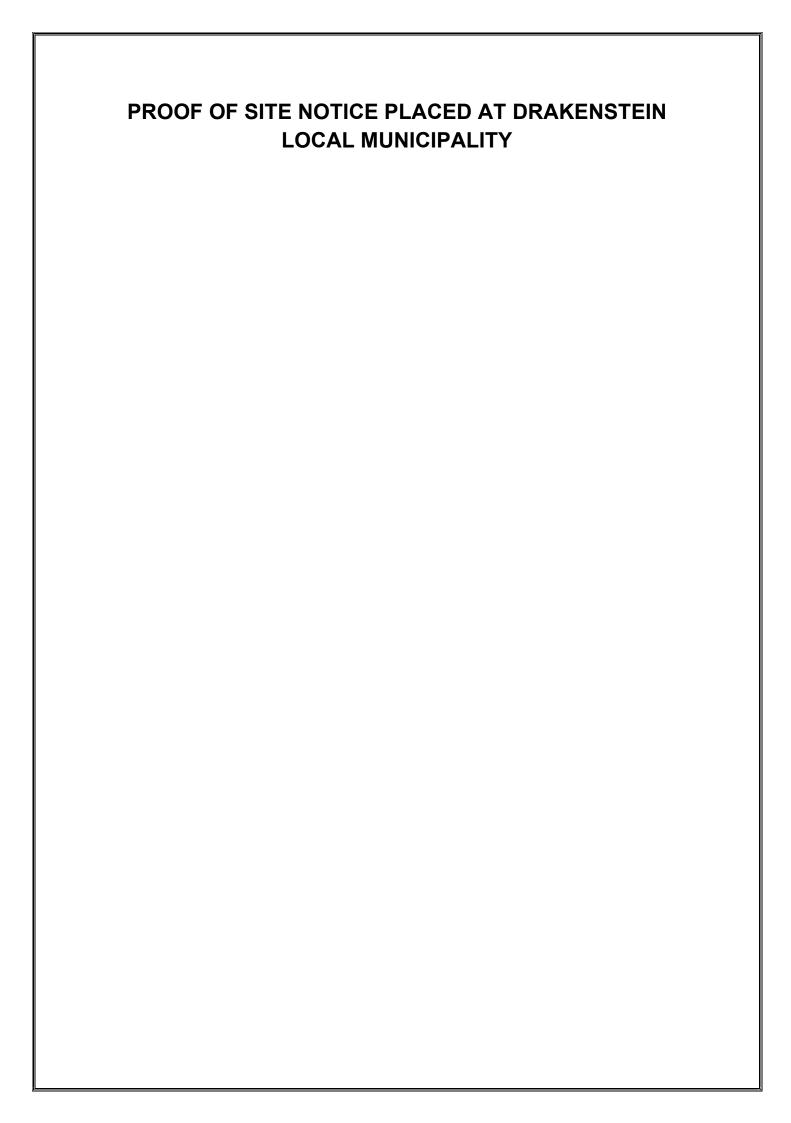
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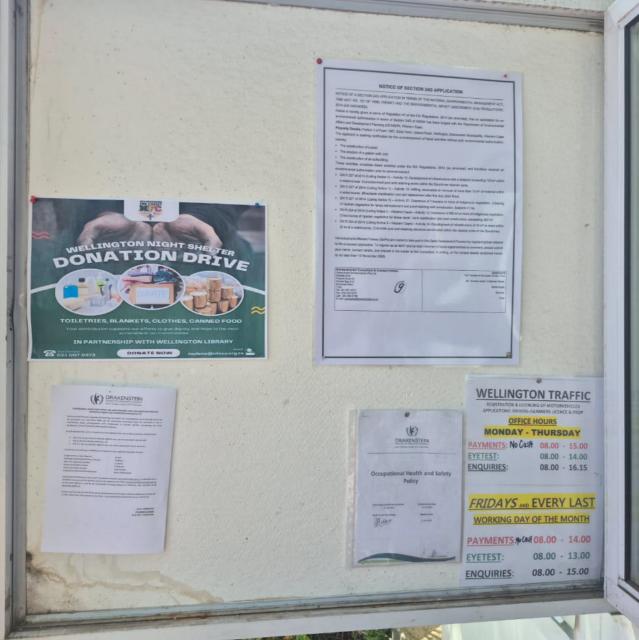
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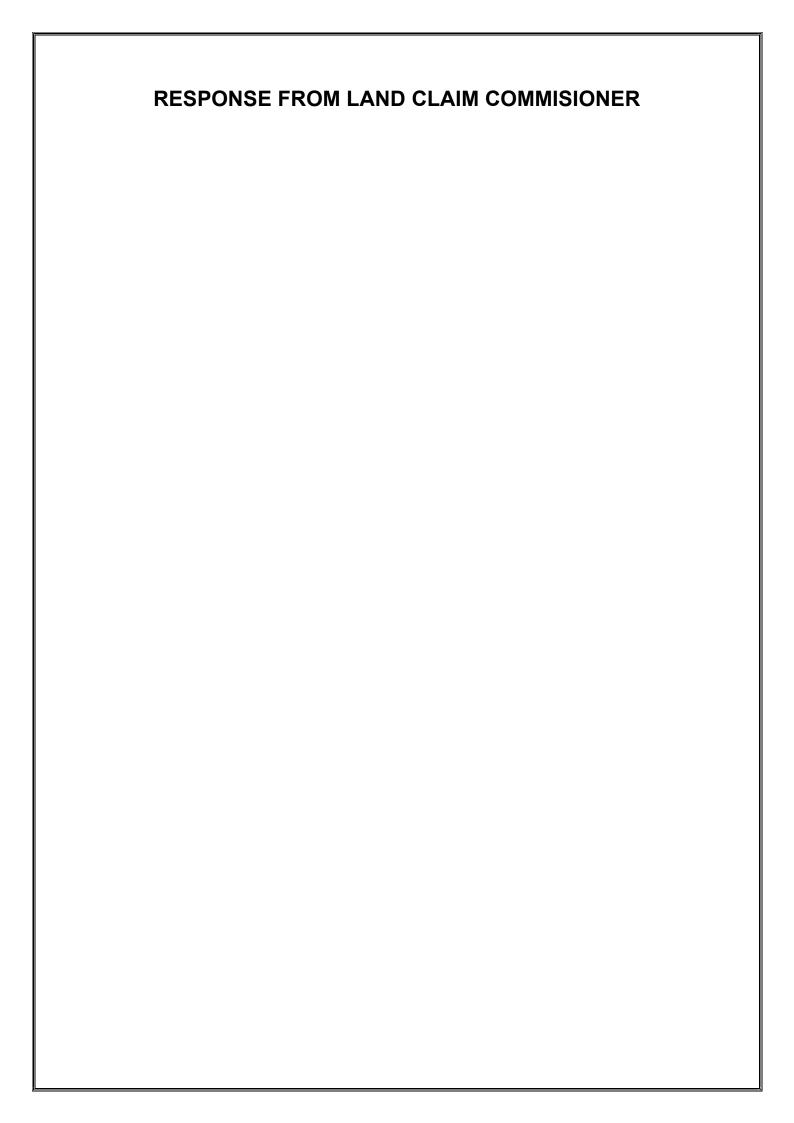
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24th October 2025

Greenmined Environmental 106 Baker Square Paardevlei Somerset West 7130

LAND CLAIM ENQUIRIES: PORTION 3 OF FARM 1387 DIVISION TULBAGH

Thank you for your letter dated 14th October 2025

We confirm that as at the date of this letter no land claims appear on our database of **PORTION 3 OF FARM 1387 DIVISION TULBAGH.** This includes the database for claims lodged 31 December 1998 and those lodge between 1 July 2014 and 28 July 2016. Whilst the Commission takes reasonable care to ensure the accuracy of the information it provides, there are various factors that may be beyond the Commission's control, particularly relating to claims that have lodged but not yet been gazetted such as:

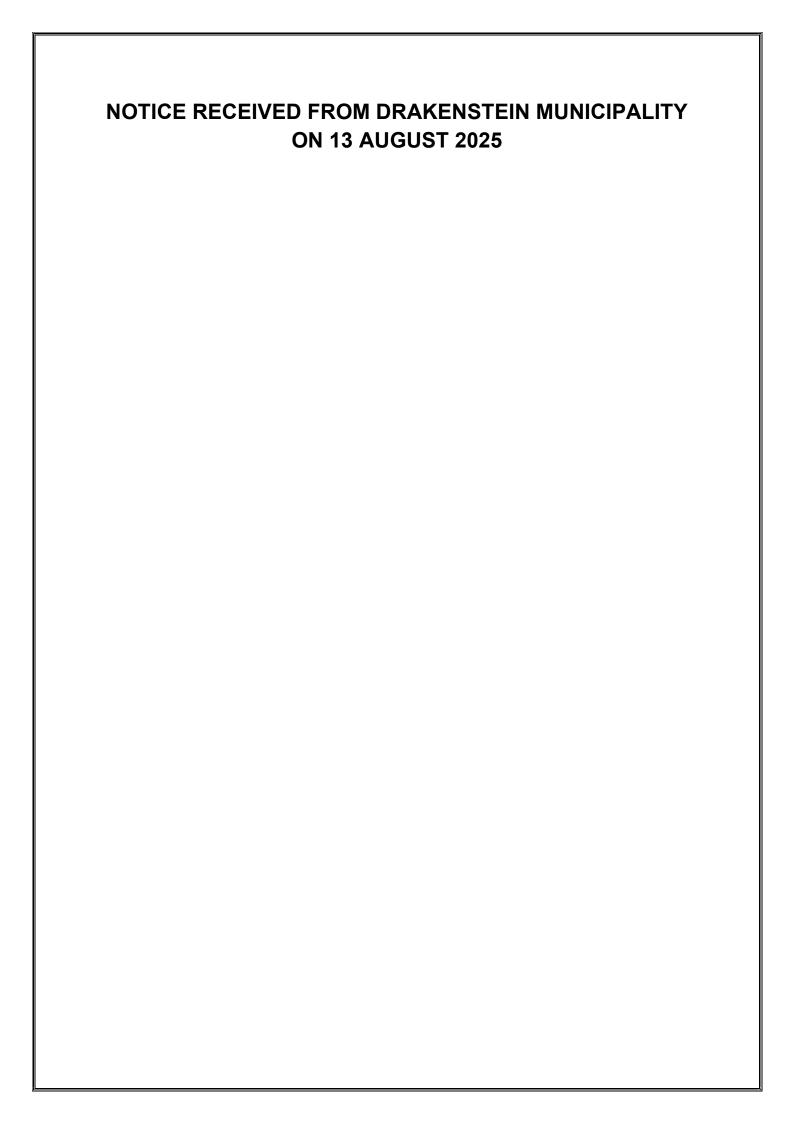
- Some Claimants referred to properties they claim dispossession of rights in land against using historical properties descriptions which may not match the current property description; and
- Some Claimants provided the geographic descriptions of the land they claim without mentioning the particular properties they claim dispossession of rights in land against.
- The Commission can therefore not accept any liability whatsoever if through the process of further investigation of claims it is found that there is in fact a land claim in respect of the above property.

If you are aware of any change in the description of the above property after 19 June 1913 kindly supply us with such description so to enable us to do a further search.

Kind Regards

Dr Wayne Alexander Chief Director:

Restitution Support: RLCC (Western Cape)





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Civic Centre, Berg River Boulevard, Paarl 7646

Enquiries: Dacia Van Louw Contact number: 021 807 4756

Reference: 15/3/6/1 (1387/3 W)
Date: 13 August 2025

PERSON/REGISTERED	Esterl Family Trust				
OWNER OF PROPERTY	Andreas Estrel				
ADDRESS	Eden Farm, Farm 1387/3, Wellington				
ID NO/REG NR	1999/00000/24	DATE	14 May 2025		

NOTICE TO DEMOLISH BUILDING WORK

An inspection conducted on *07 May 2025* revealed that you are in the process of erecting/erected building work on Farm 1387/3 at *4 Upland Road, Eden Farm, Wellington*.

The work being unauthorized building work swimming pool, gabion wall and outbuilding in the Drakenstein Municipality which is in contravention of Section 4(1) read in conjunction with Section 4(4) of the National Building Regulations and Building Standards Act No. 103 of 1977 (the Act), as no prior written approval for the erection of such building has been obtained from the said local authority.

In terms of Section 4(1) of the Act, no person shall without the prior approval in writing of the local authority in question, erect any building in respect of which plans and specifications are to be drawn and submitted in terms of this said Act. In terms of Section 4(4) of the Act, any person erecting any building in contravention of the provisions of Section 4(1) shall be guilty of an offence.

Acting under delegated powers, you are hereby ordered in terms of Regulation A25 (7) of the National Building Regulations, promulgated under Section 17(1) of the said Act, to **DEMOLISH within 14 days** from the date of receipt of this notice (see below).

Failure to comply with this notice constitutes a criminal offence in terms of Regulation A25 (11) of the Act. The Drakenstein Municipality may, without further notice, institute legal proceedings in terms of Section 341 of the Criminal Procedures Act (51 of 1977).

The submission of building plans in compliance with this notice does not place any obligation on DRAKENSTEIN Municipality to approve such building plans for the building work set out above. Should written approval not be granted, you will be required to either rectify or demolish the abovementioned unauthorized building work.

SIGNED: Dacia \ (Delegated Official)		/an Louw	ADDRESS (Where served)	Via email andreas@calitronic.co.za	
SERVED:	DATE 8	TIME	13 August 2025		
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1.

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Sent: Thursday, 09 October 2025 10:53

To: Greenmined Comments

Subject: Automatic reply: Notice of Section 24G Environmental Application – Portion 3 of

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Good day

I am currently on leave and will return to work on Monday, 20 October 2025. For any General Building Control enquiries please contact 021 807 6244.

Kindest Regards Miss. B van der Westhuizen

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Thank you for your email.

Please note I am booked off sick the week of 6 October 2025.

Your email will be responded to as soon as possible.

Please contact the respective case officer if referenced to a specific application: <u>HWC</u> <u>Staff List</u>

HWC December 2025 Operations

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Kind regards,

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OTHER ENQUIRIES

APPEALS

Submission of all appeals related to the outcomes of applications - HWC.Appeals@westerncape.gov.za

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION AND LINKS

HWC Committee Meeting Schedule 2025.pdf

Call for PHS Nominations

HWC Contact Details Aug 2024.pdf

HWC Minor Works Application Guideline

HWC Application submission Guidelines

Report a Heritage Crime https://www.hwc.org.za/

Fee waiver application https://www.hwc.org.za/node/3036

Application forms https://www.hwc.org.za/making-an-application

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Good day

I am currently out of office at an offsite meeting. I will return on 10 October 2025.

Kind regards,

Ismat Adams
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Subject: Notice of Section 24G Environmental Application – Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden

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To: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Thursday, 09 October 2025 15:02

Subject: Read: Notice of Section 24G Environmental Application – Portion 3 of Farm 1387,

Eden Farm, Wellington

Your message

To: Eco Head

Subject: Notice of Section 24G Environmental Application – Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden Farm, Wellington

Sent: Thursday, October 9, 2025 10:51:31 AM (UTC+02:00) Harare, Pretoria

was read on Thursday, October 9, 2025 3:02:10 PM (UTC+02:00) Harare, Pretoria.

From: Office of HOD Dedat < DEDAT.HODOFFICE@westerncape.gov.za>

To: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Thursday, 09 October 2025 11:07

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Your message

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Sent: Thursday, October 9, 2025 8:51:31 AM (UTC+00:00) Monrovia, Reykjavik

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PROOF OF CORRESPONDENCE WITH MRS A LAMEYER FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS AND DEVELOPMENT PLANNING - WESTERN CAPE ON 09 OCTOBER 2025

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To: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Tuesday, 14 October 2025 10:05

Subject: Read: Notice of Section 24G Environmental Application – Portion 3 of Farm 1387,

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Your message

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16. PROOF OF CORRESPONDENCE WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT AND PUBLIC WORKS ON 09 OCTOBER 2025

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To: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Thursday, 09 October 2025 11:39

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To: Vanessa Stoffels

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Sent: Thursday, October 9, 2025 10:51:31 AM (UTC+02:00) Harare, Pretoria

was read on Thursday, October 9, 2025 11:39:15 AM (UTC+02:00) Harare, Pretoria.

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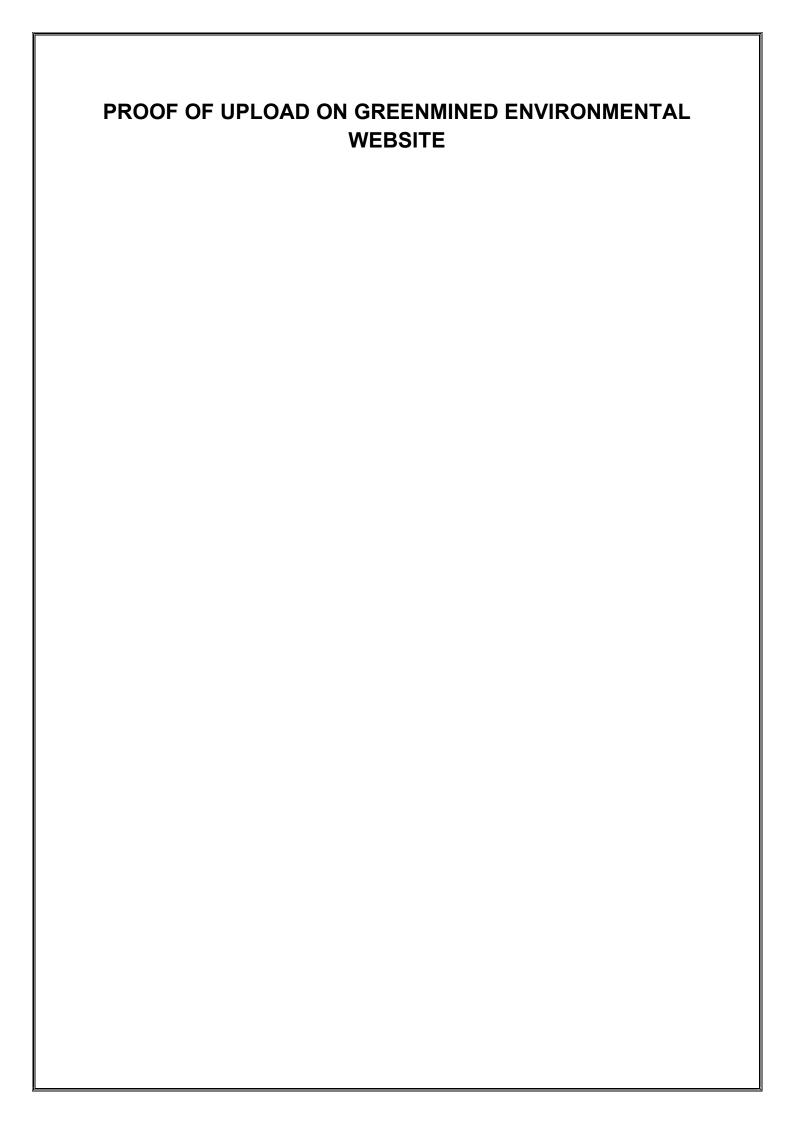
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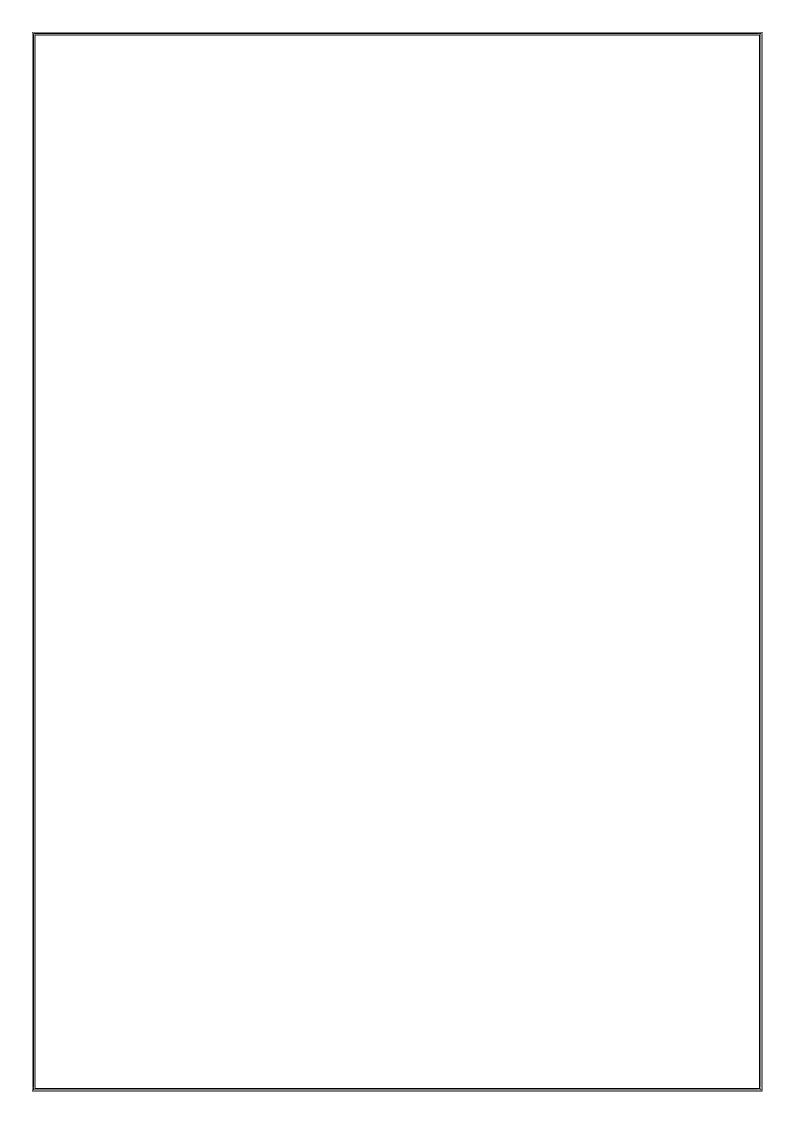
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Organisation / Farm Name	Contact Person
Farm No 1387 Portion 3 (application area)	Mr A Esterl
Farm No 1387 Portion 2	Mr K Lodge
Farm No 1768 Remaining Extent – La Folie	Mrs C Lelard
Farm No 1768 Portion 1 – Thankful Farm	Me S Rose
Farm No 1778 Portion 4 – Welbedagt Farm	Mr H van der Merwe

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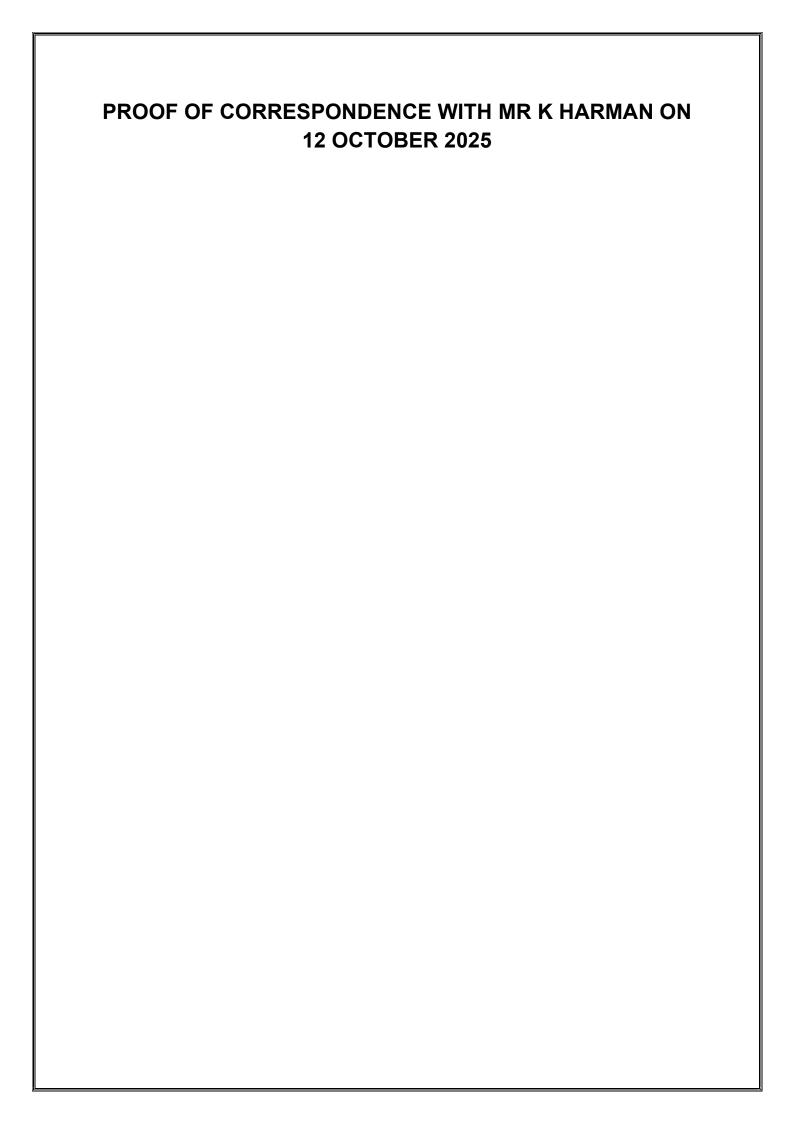
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RESPONSE RECEIVED FROM THE BELOW I&AP'S

Organisation / Farm Name	Contact Person
Interested and Affected Party	Mr K Harman
Farm No 1387 Portion 2	Mr K Lodge
Department of Agriculture	Mr C van der Walt Mr B Layman
Farm No 1778 Portion 4	Mr H van der Merwe
Spruitriver Water Users Association (SRWUA)	Dr E Oettle
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From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Wednesday, 15 October 2025 09:12

To: 'Kurt | Gmail'

Subject: RE: Registration as an interested party - Portion 3 of Farm 1387

Dear Sir,

Thank you for your email and taking part in the public participation process.

I hereby confirm receipt and that you are now registered as and interested and affected party for this project.

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From: Kurt | Gmail < kurtharman@gmail.com>

Sent: Sunday, 12 October 2025 20:13

To: Greenmined Comments < comments@greenmined.co.za>

Subject: Registration as an interested party - Portion 3 of Farm 1387

Hello

I wish to be registered as an interested party to the Section 24G application Portion 3 of Farm 1387.

I have a general interest in environmental matters like these that impact the local area.

Where can I find more information pertaining to this?

Kind Regards,

Kurt

Kurt Harman

Cell: +27 (0) 83 225 3831

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To: Kurt | Gmail

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Kurt | Gmail (kurtharman@gmail.com)

Subject: RE: Registration as an interested party - Portion 3 of Farm 1387



RE: Registration as an interes...

From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Wednesday, 15 October 2025 11:10

To: Kurt | Gmail
Cc: Sonette Smit

Subject: RE: Registration as an interested party - Portion 3 of Farm 1387

Hi Kurt,

Your concern is noted, however another 30 day commenting period will be allowed in the second round of public participation.

The commenting period dates will be on the next notice emails sent out.

Should you have any other queries or concerns please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely, Anel

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From: Kurt | Gmail < kurtharman@gmail.com > Sent: Wednesday, 15 October 2025 10:33

To: Greenmined Comments < comments@greenmined.co.za>

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Thanks Anel

Will there be a comment period after the information is made available, as I currently have nothing to work with?

Kind regards

Kurt

From: Greenmined Comments < comments@greenmined.co.za>

Sent: Wednesday, October 15, 2025 9:08 AM

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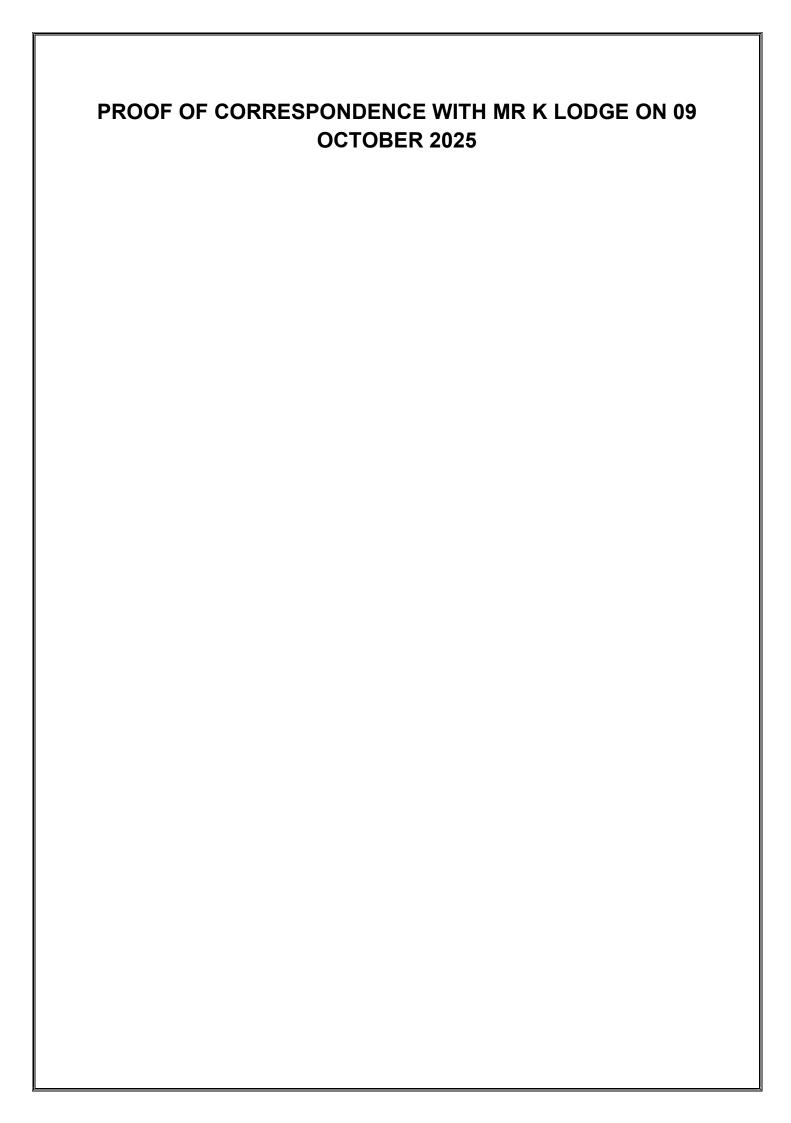
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Sent: Friday, 10 October 2025 08:44

To: 'Kristoph Lodge'
Cc: Sonette Smit

Subject: RE: Notice of Section 24G Environmental Application – Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden

Farm, Wellington

Dear Mr Lodge,

Thank you for your email, I hereby acknowledge receipt and confirmed that as a surrounding landowner you are a registered Interested and Affected Party.

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Kindly send any comments or concerns in written format/email before then end of the public participation period.

Your feedback is valued and will be addressed accordingly.

Many thanks.

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From: Kristoph Lodge <kristophlodge@gmail.com>

Sent: Thursday, 09 October 2025 20:26

To: Greenmined Comments < comments@greenmined.co.za>

Subject: Re: Notice of Section 24G Environmental Application – Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden Farm, Wellington

Hello, yes we are interested in the matters below.

You have my email. Phone is 073-813-2790. Name is Kristoph Lodge.

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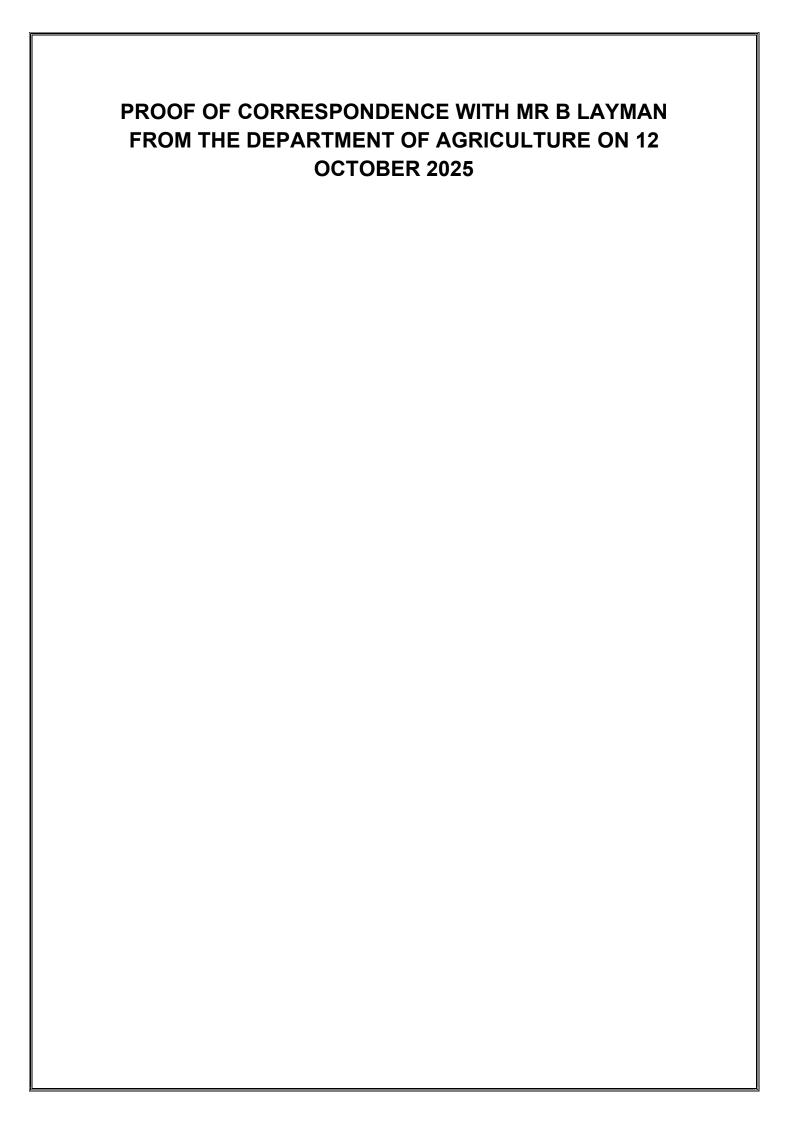
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From: Cor Van der Walt < Cor. Vander Walt@westerncape.gov.za>

Sent: 10 October 2025 08:57 AM

To: Brandon Layman <Brandon.Layman@westerncape.gov.za>

Subject: FW: Notice of Section 24G Environmental Application – Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden Farm, Wellington

Groete/Kind regards

Cor van der Walt (Pr.Sci.Nat; SACNASP reg no. 400120/13)

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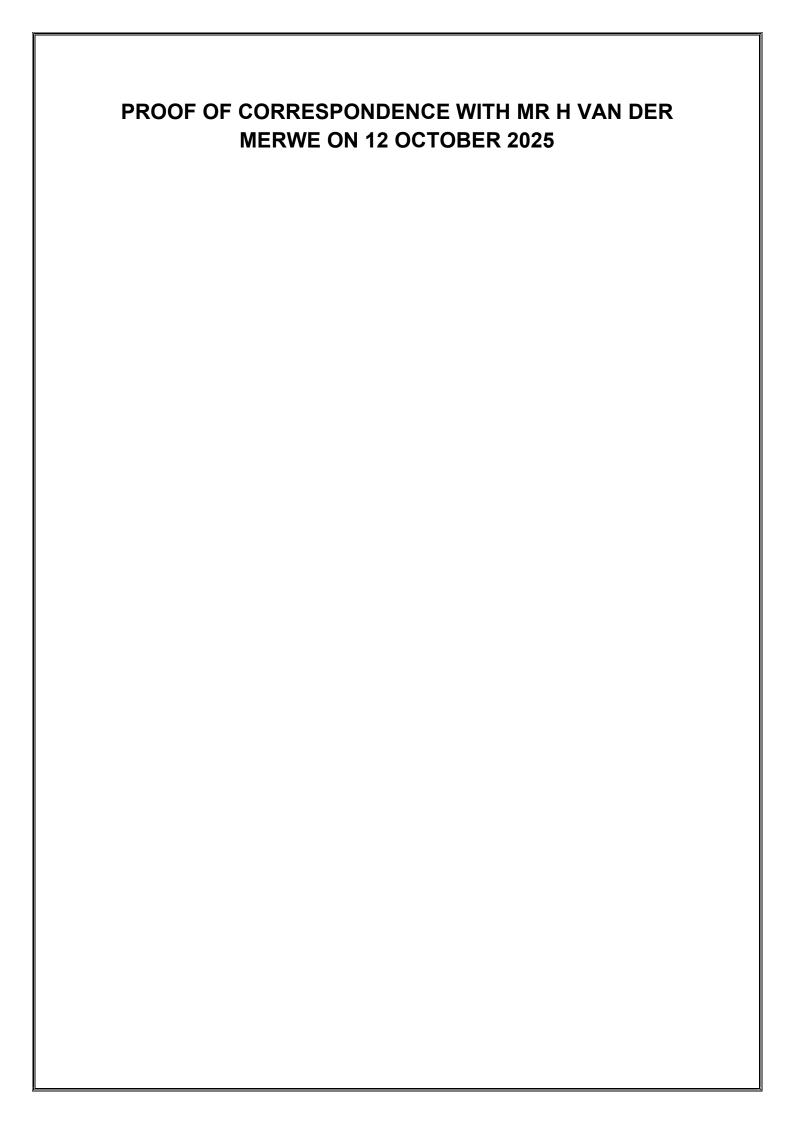
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From: danita@madmouse.co.za

Sent: Monday, 27 October 2025 11:29

To: Greenmined Comments **Cc:** 'Hugo van der Merwe'

Subject: RE: Notice of Section 24G Environmental Application – Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden

Farm, Wellington

Good day,

Thank you for the information provided.

As the representative/owner of the Welbedacht Van Der Merwe Trust, my primary concern relates to the toilets and sewerage system located near our two fountains and river which supplies drinking water to all residents of Welbedacht.

The toilets situated adjacent to Welbedacht's boundary and close to the river should be equipped with conservancy tanks that are regularly pumped out, and <u>not septic tanks</u>. We kindly request proof or confirmation that this is indeed the case.

Your attention to this matter will be highly appreciated.

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Hugo van der Merwe

Phone Number 084 856 1601

From: Hugo van der Merwe <helmien@absamail.co.za>

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From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Wednesday, 12 November 2025 19:28

To: 'danita@madmouse.co.za'; 'Hugo van der Merwe'

Cc: Sonette Smit

Subject: RE: Notice of Section 24G Environmental Application – Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden

Farm, Wellington

Dear Mr van der Merwe,

Thank you for your email dated 27 October 2025 and for registering the Welbedacht Van der Merwe Trust as an Interested and Affected Party (I&AP) in the ongoing Section 24G Rectification process for *Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden Farm, Wellington*.

We appreciate your active participation and take note of your concern regarding the toilets and sewerage system located near your property boundary and the adjacent river, which provides potable water to the residents of Welbedacht.

Your comment regarding the need for sealed conservancy tanks that are regularly pumped out, as opposed to septic tanks with soak-away systems, has been recorded in the Issues and Response Register forming part of the Environmental Rectification Report.

As a registered I&AP, the Welbedacht Van der Merwe Trust will receive direct written notification when the Draft Section 24G Rectification Report becomes available for the formal 30-day Public Participation Process (PPP). This will allow you the opportunity to review the findings, confirm that your concerns have been addressed, and provide any further comments for inclusion in the final submission to DEA&DP.

We acknowledge the significance of the Welbedacht fountains and river system as a vital local water source and assure you that your concern will be treated as a priority within this process.

Please feel free to contact our office should you wish to discuss this matter further or require any clarification.

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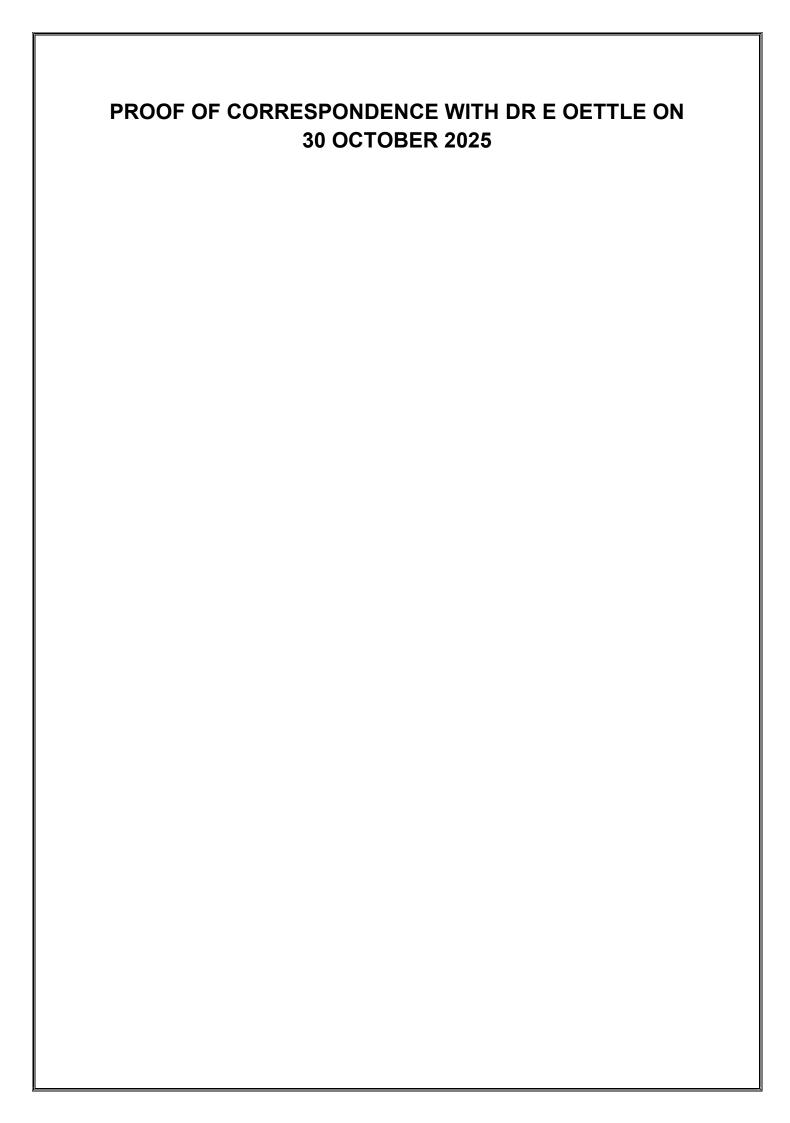
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RE: Notice of Section 24G Envi...



From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Thursday, 30 October 2025 15:18

To: 'Organic Wine'
Cc: Sonette Smit

Subject: RE: Notice of Section 24G Environmental Application – Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden

Farm, Wellington

Dear Dr. Oetlle,

Thank you for your email. I herewith confirm receipt and that you have been successfully added as an IAP.

You will receive all future updates accordingly.

Please let us know if there are any other interested parties you would like us to include.

We trust this meets your favourable approval.

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From: Organic Wine <info@organicwine.co.za>

Sent: Thursday, 30 October 2025 14:02

To: Greenmined Comments < comments@greenmined.co.za>

Subject: Re: Notice of Section 24G Environmental Application – Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden Farm, Wellington

Good day

I wish to register as an IAP for the below.

Dr Edmund Oettle Upland Organic Estate Blouvlei Rd Wellington

On behalf of the Spruitriver Water Users Association (SRWUA)

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Greenmined Comments** < <u>comments@greenmined.co.za</u>>

Date: Thu, Oct 9, 2025 at 10:57 AM

Subject: Notice of Section 24G Environmental Application – Portion 3 of Farm 1387,

Eden Farm, Wellington

To: andreas@calitronic.co.za <andreas@calitronic.co.za>, daniel@fellowship.co.za <daniel@fellowship.co.za>, diaan@dngattorneys.co.za <diaan@dngattorneys.co.za>, kristophlodge@gmail.com <kristophlodge@gmail.com>, camillelelard@gmail.com <camillelelard@gmail.com>, sharonlucierose@gmail.com

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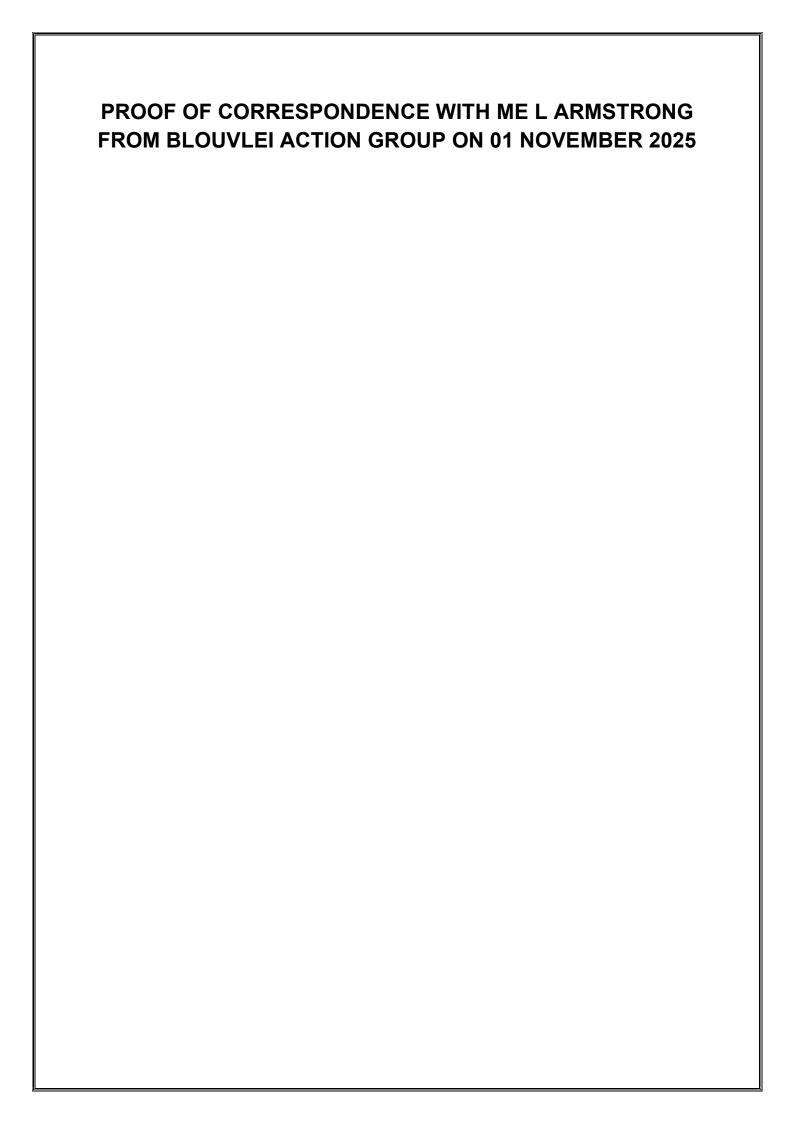
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RE: Notice of Section 24G Envi...



From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Monday, 03 November 2025 08:32

To: Blouvlei Action Group

Cc: Sonette Smit

Subject: RE: Request for EIA / BAR of 24G Environmental Application - Portion 3 of Farm

1387, Eden Farm, Wellington

Dear Lesley,

Thank you for your email I hereby acknowledge receipt and confirm that you have been registered as an Interested and Affected Party (I&AP).

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From: Blouvlei Action Group <blowvlei.action@gmail.com>

Sent: Saturday, 01 November 2025 18:47

To: Anel Olivier <admin@greenmined.co.za>; comments@greenminded.co.za

Subject: Request for EIA / BAR of 24G Environmental Application - Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden Farm, Wellington

Dear Anel Olivier

The Blouvlei Action Group would like to register as an Interested and Affected Party (I&AP) in the above-mentioned application.

To facilitate our participation, we kindly request:

1.	A copy of the full Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) or Basic Assessment Report
	(BAR) prepared for the project, and

2. Information on **where and how the public participation notices** have been published (e.g., newspaper advertisements, site notices, or online postings).

We would appreciate receiving these documents and details by **Monday, 3 November 2025**, to ensure we can provide timely input during the public participation process.

Thank you for y	our assistance.			
Kind regards Lesley 				
On behalf of th	e Blouvlei Action	i Group		

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Blouvlei Action Group

 blouvlei.action@gmail.com> From: Sent: Monday, 03 November 2025 18:16 Greenmined Comments; Sonette Smit To: **Subject:** Re: Request for EIA / BAR of 24G Environmental Application - Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden Farm, Wellington Dear Anel Thank you for registering the **Blouvlei Action Group** as an Interested and Affected Party (I&AP) in the Public Participation Process (PPP). We have serious concerns regarding this application and are unable to provide meaningful comments based solely on the newspaper advertisement. We have not seen the site notices that were reportedly displayed at the Drakenstein Municipality offices or at the entrance to the property. The location of the latter notice, in particular, does not appear to be visible to the general public. In order to ensure that our input is informed and not prejudiced by a lack of information, we hereby formally request access to the complete draft Section 24G Rectification Application Report, including all supporting documentation referenced therein. Please confirm when and how these documents will be made available to registered I&APs. We appreciate your prompt attention to this matter and look forward to your response. Kind regards Lesley On behalf of the Blouvlei Action Group On Mon, Nov 3, 2025 at 8:32 AM Greenmined Comments < comments@greenmined.co.za > wrote: Dear Lesley, Thank you for your email I hereby acknowledge receipt and confirm that you have been registered as an

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From: Blouvlei Action Group <blowvlei.action@gmail.com>

Sent: Saturday, 01 November 2025 18:47

From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Tuesday, 04 November 2025 14:45

To: blouvlei.action@gmail.com

Subject: Request for EIA / BAR of 24G Environmental Application - Portion 3 of Farm

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To: blouvlei.action@gmail.com

Sent: Tuesday, 04 November 2025 14:43

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From: Blouvlei Action Group <blowvlei.action@gmail.com>

Sent: Thursday, 06 November 2025 17:51

To: Greenmined Comments

Subject: response: 24G Environmental Application - Portion 3 of Farm 1387,Eden Farm,

Wellington

Attachments: BAG submission on Eden.docx

Dear Anel Olivier

Herewith BAG's comment on the above matter. Kindly acknowledge receipt of our comment attached to this email.

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On behalf of the Blouvlei Action Group HWC/NHRA S25/2025/05/09





Dear Sir Madam

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The Blouvlei Action Group is a conservation group focussing on the Blouvlei in Wellington, HWC registration number HWC/NHRA S25/2025/05/09

Thank you for registering us as I&APS in the above matter.

Our comment is as follows:

Matters of Policy:

1. Blouvlei Action Group does not condone retro-active regularization as it encourages a build-now-pay-later mentality within the community.

Matters Procedural:

- Correspondence from Greenmined suggests that the public participation
 process is two-pronged and that we are but in the preliminary pre-application
 phase. The notice suggests however that the application has already been
 submitted to the decision-making authority and is in the 30 day- commenting
 phase.
- 2. There are no reports available, preliminary or otherwise.

Matters Substantive:

- 1. Judging from photographic material provided by neighbours in the direct line of vision of the transgression, the negative impacts on the environment are high in every regard including heritage.
- 2. The Blouvlei is a heritage sensitive area, and the continued existence of this development will contribute to the degradation of a key space, in close proximity to landmark sites.

Given all the above, we can only address the legal violation itself. We oppose rectification and request demolition of all non-compliant structures, ensuring the illegal actions are fully prosecuted.

Lesley Armstrong

For Blouvlei Action Group **HWC/NHRA S25/2025/05/09**

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From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Thursday, 13 November 2025 13:31

To: Blouvlei Action Group

Cc: Sonette Smit

Subject: RE response: 24G Environmental Application - Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden Farm,

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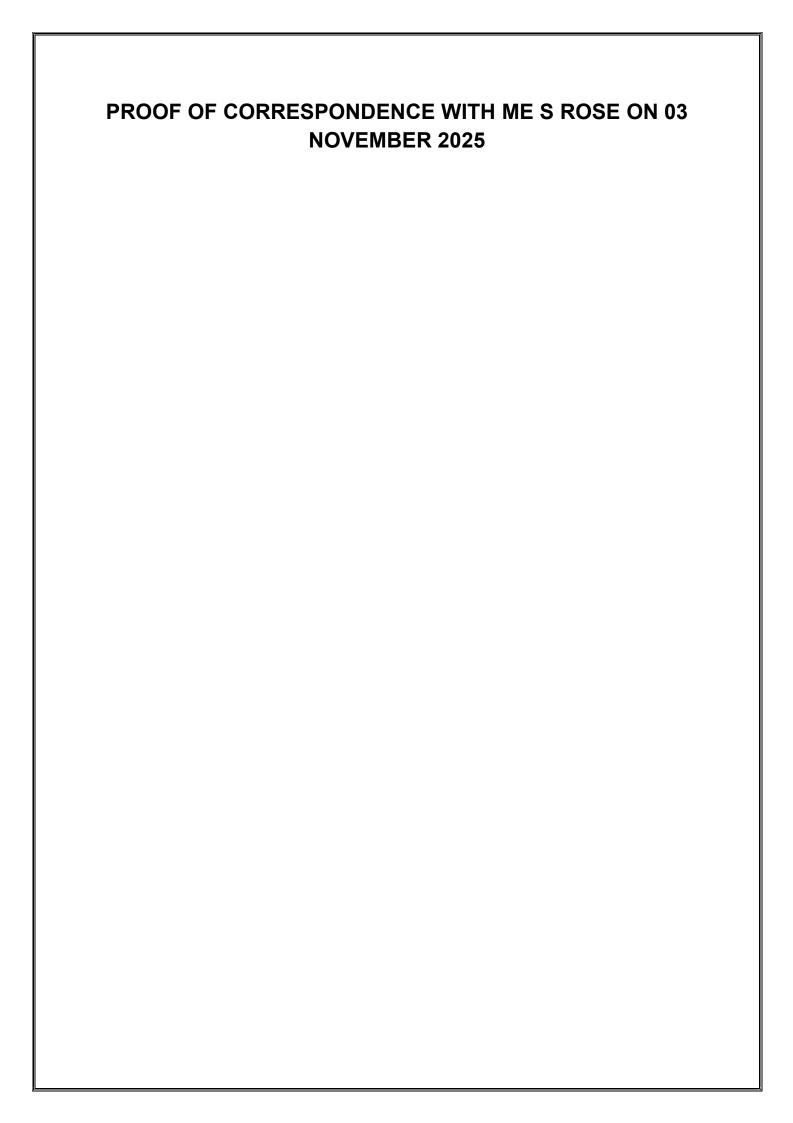
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From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Tuesday, 04 November 2025 15:03

To: 'Sharon Rose'

Subject: RE: Notice of Section 24G Environmental Application – Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden

Farm, Wellington

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From: Sharon Rose <sharonlucierose@gmail.com>

Sent: Monday, 03 November 2025 16:40

To: Greenmined Comments < comments@greenmined.co.za>

Subject: Re: Notice of Section 24G Environmental Application – Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden Farm, Wellington

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- 1. **Draft Section 24G Application Report**, comprising:
- 2.
- Description of the unlawful activity (e.g., construction without prior environmental authorisation)
- Motivation for rectification
- Preliminary impact assessment
- Alternatives considered
- Mitigation measures
- Environmental Management Programme (EMPr)
- 3. **Specialist studies**, if applicable (e.g., freshwater, heritage, botanical, traffic)
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- 5. **Proof of appointment and declaration of independence** of the Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP)
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- 7.
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I am keen to.know the availability and location of the required documents for review.

Thanks and regards,

Sharon Rose

(Immediate neighbour)

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To: Sharon Rose

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RE: Notice of Section 24G Envi...

From: Sharon Rose <sharonlucierose@gmail.com>

Sent: Friday, 07 November 2025 18:08

To: Greenmined Comments

Subject: Input- Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden, Wellington

Attachments: S Rose Eden Farm Input.pdf

Good afternoon,

Attached please find my input with regards to the above matter.

Yours sincerely, Sharon Rose 0823081077

Sharon Rose Thankful Farm Portion 1 of 1768 Olyvenbosch Road Wellington 0823081077 7 November 2025

Dear Sir/Madam,

Input regarding: Application for rectification in terms of Section 24G of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998) submitted to the Western Cape Department of Environmental Affairs and Development Planning (DEA&DP). (Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden Farm, Upland Road, Wellington, Drakenstein Municipality, Western Cape.)

Thank you for the opportunity to provide input on the above matter.

Context of this input:

I, Sharon Rose, am the owner of Farm 1768/1 (Thankful). My property shares the river border with the Esterl Family Trust property (Eden Farm) and also extends approximately 30 meters upstream on the opposite bank, from the point of the construction in question.

I have resided on the farm since November 2019. During this time I have experienced the seasonal fluctuations of the Spruit River as well as the flood and subsequent damage which occurred in July 2024.

I would like to object to the activities in question and would motivate that the buildings, gabion and swimming pool are demolished and that the area is restored.

Accordingly I would like to raise objections to all the items indicated including:

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In addition, I have noted that the outbuilding is referred to as the singular. However the construction has been of 3 separate outbuildings:

- 1. A covered entertainment area abutting the swimming pool
- 2. A storage/bath house on the western side of the swimming pool and
- 3. A laborer's cottage on the westerly side of the storage/bath house.

The input given here is in relation to all three buildings in addition to the swimming pool and gabion.

Reasons are the follows:

1. Distance from the River and impact on the integrity of the river as a water source:

All three buildings and the swimming pool are within the riparian zone of the Spruit River. The Spruit River is the primary water source of both drinking and agricultural water of the farms both above and below the property and onwards towards the town of Wellington. There is an unacceptable risk that the grey water and sewage of the labourer's cottage and the bath house and the backwash water of the swimming pool cottage will seek into the soil directly above the river bank or into the river itself. Furthermore, the sewage system of the labourer's cottage and bath house would be vulnerable to future flood damage, which could entail a larger direct spill into the Spruit River. The long term impact of grey water into the river bank

or a larger direct spill, will result in the pollution of the river and compromise it as a drinking and irrigation water source. This will negatively affect the health and livelihoods of the farming community who are dependent on it.

2. Exacerbating flood damage and the vulnerability of downstream properties.

During future floods, the likely result of the gabion will be to increase the speed of the flow of the river. This will increase the destructive force of the water. Should a development such as this be allowed to remain, it creates a precedent for landowners along the river to also build gabions to direct the river. The resulting force of the water during a flood surge would place residents residing close to the river in danger, including those within the town of Wellington.

3. Destruction of the Sense of Place.

The three buildings and the swimming pool negatively impact the natural and rural sense of place of the area. The Spruit River is a key part of the identity of the area. The valley which it runs through is a designated Heritage Area. The farms on the banks of the Spruit River include some of the oldest farms of the Western Cape.

Two farms downstream of the property is Rhebokskloof, a farm granted in 1712. This property was the first olive farm in South Africa and is still a working olive and wine farm which uses the Spruit River for irrigation.

The Blouvlei area is rural, historic and picturesque. The densification of this property is inappropriate and intrudes on my quality of life as a resident of the neighboring farm.

4. The purpose of the facilities and future use in relation to the zoning of the property

The size of the swimming pool and the accompanying infrastructure of the entertainment area and bath house, suggest that the end intention is not for just domestic use of the permanent residents. Instead, it seems more plausible that the end intention is to use this as part of a commercial venture.

During the illegal construction, I have made numerous attempts to engage with the owners regarding the continued excessive noise and intrusions on my property for the purposes of gathering building materials and the use of the river bank as an open lavatory by workers. As a result, I have no confidence that the use of the facilities which have been constructed will be in accordance with that of an agricultural property or that commitments to ensure contained activities will be honoured.

5. Ecological impact

Regarding flora: The area in question is in the transition zone between Renosterveld and Mountain Fynbos. The area has healthy pockets of Wild Olive and Wild Almond forest which remain strong, particularly along the river bank.

This provides cover for a wide variety of fauna which includes Cape Otter, Grey Mongoose, and Steenbok.

I hereby motivate that all the buildings, the swimming pool and the gabion are demolished and the riverbank restored. Please do not set a precedent that deliberate illegal construction in our Blouvlei area can be made legal through a symbolic retrospective process.

Thank you for your consideration.

Yours sincerely,

Sharon Rose

From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Monday, 10 November 2025 10:21

To: 'Sharon Rose'
Cc: Sonette Smit

Subject: RE: Input- Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden, Wellington

Dear Ms Rose,

Thank you for your submission during the Public Participation Process for the Section 24G rectification application on Portion 3 of Farm 1387 (Eden Farm). We appreciate your careful review and would like to clarify the points you raised:

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Our site verification confirms there is no labourer's cottage on the western side of the ablution/bath house or elsewhere within the riparian corridor. Existing riverside structures comprise:

the stabilising retaining/pool structure within the previously eroded footprint,

a lapa, and

a small ablution facility (connected to a sealed conservancy/septic system).

2) Water quality & pollution prevention

No pool water/backwash, greywater, or chemicals may enter the Spruitrivier.

Chemicals (if used) are stored in a bunded, weatherproof area above flood level.

The ablution is planned to be linked to a sealed conservancy/septic system and serviced by a licensed provider.

Waste will be segregated, contained, and removed to licensed facilities.

These measures are captured in the EMPr and will be enforceable under the authorisation.

3) Flood risk & downstream effects

The gabion/retaining works were confined to the disturbed flood footprint and function to halt erosion and reduce sediment load downstream. Post-rainfall inspections and corrective actions are required and logged.

4) Sense of place/visual character

Finishes will be neutral, with indigenous landscaping to soften views and integrate the works with the rural setting. Additional measures (e.g., earth-tone painting; maintaining vegetation cover) are included to further minimise visual contrast.

5) Use & intensity

The pool/lapa/ablution are for private domestic use only (no commercial events/guest activities).

You will receive a formal notice when the Draft Section 24G Application Report and EMPr are available for review, with full access details (electronic) and the comment period.

We will send this to you directly via email.

Thank you again for your engagement in the process.

Kind Regards/Vriendelike Groete Anel Olivier

Project Administrator



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From: Sharon Rose <sharonlucierose@gmail.com>

Sent: Friday, 07 November 2025 18:08

To: Greenmined Comments < comments@greenmined.co.za > **Subject:** Input- Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden, Wellington

Good afternoon,

Attached please find my input with regards to the above matter.

Yours sincerely, Sharon Rose 0823081077

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To: Sharon Rose

Sent: Monday, 10 November 2025 10:21

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Subject: RE: Input- Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden, Wellington



RE: Input- Portion 3 of Farm 1...

From: Sharon Rose <sharonlucierose@gmail.com>

Sent: Monday, 10 November 2025 10:30

To: Greenmined Comments

Subject: Re: Input- Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden, Wellington

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Subject: Re: Input- Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden, Wellington **Attachments:** 1000115051.jpg; 1000115047.jpg; 1000115048.jpg

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Sent: Tuesday, 11 November 2025 16:12 **To:** sharonlucierose@gmail.com

Subject: RE: Input- Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden, Wellington

Dear Sharon,

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Kind Regards/Vriendelike Groete Anel Olivier

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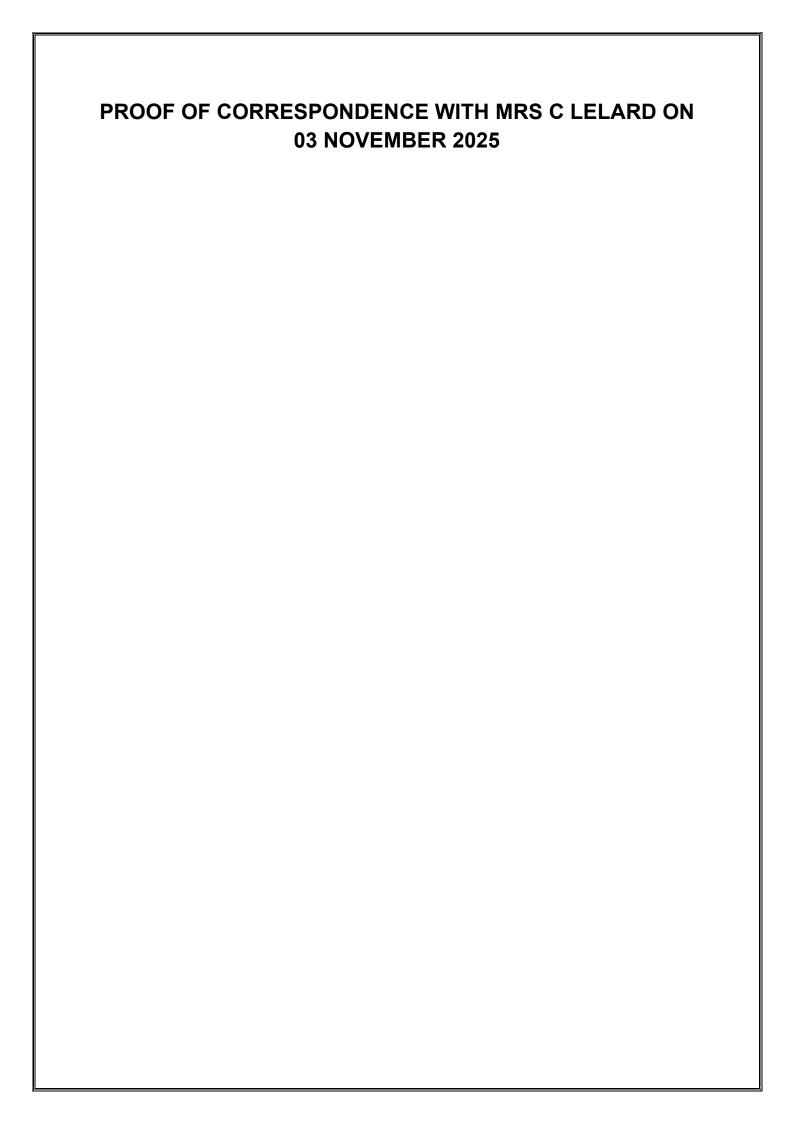
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RE: Input- Portion 3 of Farm 1...



From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Tuesday, 04 November 2025 15:08

To: 'camille lelard'

Subject: RE: Registering as an I&AP

Dear Camille,

Thank you for your email. I hereby confirm receipt and confirm that you are registered as an Interested and Affected Party (I&AP) in the public participation process for the Section 24G Rectification Application on Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Wellington.

Please note that the current stage of the Public Participation Process (PPP) constitutes the registration phase as required under Regulation 8 of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations, 2014 (as amended). This phase is intended solely to ensure that all stakeholders are formally recorded prior to the circulation of the Draft Section 24G Application Report and Environmental Management Programme (EMPr).

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From: camille lelard <camillelelard@gmail.com>

Sent: Tuesday, 04 November 2025 12:24

To: Greenmined Comments < comments@greenmined.co.za>

Subject: Registering as an I&AP

Good day,

As an owner of a property along the Spruit River, almost opposite Eden Farm, I would like to register as an I&AP.

Our property is owned by a company, TERRAFRICA (Pty) LTD, and I am one of the directors.

Camille Lelard 0713968617

Kind regards

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Camille Lelard La Blue Vallée (ex La Folie) Olyvenbosch Road WELLINGTON 7655 +27713968617

From: Microsoft Outlook

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To: camille lelard

Sent: Tuesday, 04 November 2025 15:05 **Subject:** Relayed: RE: Registering as an I&AP

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Subject: RE: Registering as an I&AP



RE: Registering as an I&AP

From: camille lelard <camillelelard@gmail.com>

Sent: Sunday, 09 November 2025 21:59

To:Greenmined CommentsSubject:Re: Registering as an I&APAttachments:New Document(123).pdf

Good evening, Please find our input on Eden Farm, Kind regards,

Camille Lelard La Blue Vallée (ex La Folie) Olyvenbosch Road WELLINGTON 7655 +27713968617

Le mar. 4 nov. 2025 à 15:04, Greenmined Comments < comments@greenmined.co.za > a écrit :

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Camille Lelard La Folie Farm 1768/0 Olyvenbosch Road WELLINGTON 7655 0713968617

9th November 2025

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Subject: Application for rectification in terms of Section 24G of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998) submitted to the Western Cape Department of Environmental Affairs and Development Planning (DEA&DP). (Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Eden Farm, Upland Road, Wellington, Drakenstein Municipality, Western Cape.)

I, Camille Lelard, am hereby representing TERRAFRICA (Pty) LTD, the company who owns Farm 1768/0 also known as La Folie. My husband, Philippe Lelard and my father Christophe Labesse are also directors.

Our farm is situated next to Thankful farm, owned by Sharon Rose, on the same side of the river, upstream form Eden Farm.

We took ownership in March 2025 and were able to join Spruitrivier WUA members on the 3rd of April 2025 for the annual river walk.

That's when we discovered, in shock, the extent of the construction and damage on the banks of Eden Farm.

This serves as a formal objection to the activities in question.

We request the demolition of the buildings, gabions and swimming pool and the full restoration of the area to it's original state.

We would like to raise objection to all the following items:

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In the initial document received, it is mentioned « the construction of an outbuilding » but there seems to be more than one building from what we can see when standing in the river.

The necessity to demolish is obvious, here are other elements that lead to the same conclusion:

- The gabions have modified the way the river flows, straightening a river course causes the
 water flow to increase in volume and speed leading to higher risks of important damage in
 case of a flood. The use of impermeable materials like cement creates a barrier that is
 ecologically detrimental, as it prevents the natural absorption and drainage processes
 essential for the river banks.
- The placement of the pool and other structures within the sensitive, protected riparian buffer zone, raises significant concerns about the handling of greywater and sewage and its potential impact on the river's water quality.

- We must consider the immense ecological impact of these constructions. The area is a habitat
 for valuable indigenous flora and fauna, and the severe modification of the riverbanks has
 irreversibly changed the landscape. This illegal disregard for a protected environment is highly
 detrimental to our valley and cannot be tolerated
- The peaceful ambiance of our beautiful Blouvlei Valley is directly undermined by these constructions. As a magnificent, rural, and preserved area with Heritage status, the valley represents a legacy of hard work by previous generations to protect it. It is essential that those who disregard these established values and create such an abomination are held accountable. All residents in this wild area must respect the shared understanding that personal development cannot supersede community and preservation standards.

These unauthorized constructions are highly problematic because they set a harmful precedent, encouraging others to disregard necessary building authorizations.

I truly hope that this case will be taken very seriously and these violations will be properly dealt with.

I thank you for taking our opinions into consideration and allowing us to express our discontent.

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Kind regards,

Camille Lelard for TERRAFRICA (Pty) LTD

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From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Thursday, 13 November 2025 12:47

To: 'camille lelard'
Cc: Sonette Smit

Subject: RE: Registering as an I&AP

Dear Mrs Lelard,

Thank you for your email, we hereby acknowledge receipt.

Warm regards, Anel

Kind Regards/Vriendelike Groete Anel Olivier

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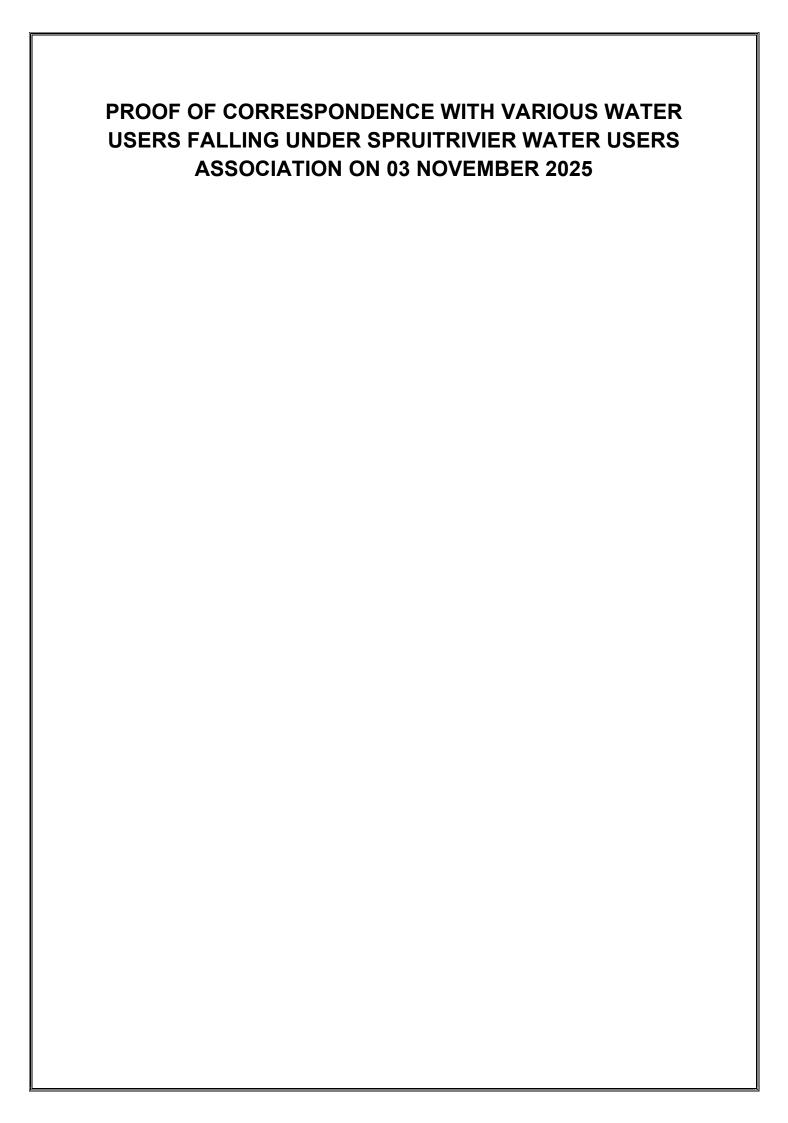
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From: **Greenmined Comments**

Sent: Tuesday, 04 November 2025 15:29

To: Janine Maske

Cc: 'Blouvlei Action Group'; 'Lesley Armstrong'; 'Nick Roux'; 'Rikus Mouton'; 'Kelvin

Antonie'; info@organicwine.co.za; info@wine-estate-hildenbrand.co.za; 'Spruitrivier

WUA'

Subject: RE: Public Participation Rectification Application on Eden Wellington.

Dear Mrs. Maske,

Thank you for your email. I hereby confirm receipt and confirm that you and the water users cc'ed in your mail are registered as an Interested and Affected Party (I&AP) in the public participation process for the Section 24G Rectification Application on Portion 3 of Farm 1387, Wellington.

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From: Janine Maske <laureat@iafrica.com> **Sent:** Monday, 03 November 2025 14:47

To: Greenmined Comments < comments@greenmined.co.za>

Cc: 'Blouvlei Action Group' <blowlei.action@gmail.com>; 'Lesley Armstrong' <lesleyarm9@gmail.com>; 'Nick Roux' <n_s_roux@yahoo.co.uk>; 'Rikus Mouton' <brunti@live.co.za>; 'Kelvin Antonie' <antoniekelvin2@gmail.com>; info@organicwine.co.za; info@wine-estate-hildenbrand.co.za; 'Spruitrivier WUA' <spruitrivierwua@gmail.com> **Subject:** Public Participation Rectification Application on Eden Wellington.

Dear Sir Madam

We are residents and verified water users in the Spruit River Catchment Area. Regarding the illegal activities undertaken at Eden Farm, Upland Rd, Wellington, we hereby formally register for participation in the public participation process (PPP) concerning the application for rectification in terms of Section 24G of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998), which has been submitted to the Western Cape Department of Environmental Affairs and Development Planning (DEA&DP).

In accordance with Regulation 41 of the EIA Regulations (2014, as amended), and prior to submitting comments, we request access to the

the complete *draft Section 24G Rectification Application Report* and all supporting documents for review during the public participation process.

In line with DEADP guidelines and the NEMA Section 24 framework, we expect to have sight of the following:

1. **Draft Section 24G Application Report**, comprising:

- Description of the unlawful activity (e.g., construction without prior environmental authorisation)
- Motivation for rectification
- Preliminary impact assessment
- Alternatives considered
- Mitigation measures
- Environmental Management Programme (EMPr)
- 2. **Specialist studies**, if applicable (e.g., freshwater, heritage, botanical, traffic)
- 3. Site layout plans or maps detailing the location and extent of the activity
- 4. **Proof of appointment and declaration of independence** of the Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP)
- 5. Public participation plan and associated notices, including:
 - Newspaper advertisements
 - Site notices
 - o Correspondence to stakeholders

We kindly await confirmation of our registration and request information on the availability and location of the required documents for our review.

Kind regards
Erich and Janine Maske
Klein Waterval
Blouvlei Rd
Welington

Email: <u>laureat@iafrica.com</u> or <u>Maske@iafrica.com</u>

From: Reni Hildenbrand <info@wine-estate-hildenbrand.co.za>

Sent: Thursday, 06 November 2025 16:13

To: Greenmined Comments

Subject: Read: Public Participation Rectification Application on Eden Wellington.

Attachments: ATT00001

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From: Lesley Armstrong <lesleyarm9@gmail.com>

Sent: Thursday, 06 November 2025 06:49

To: Greenmined Comments

Subject: Read: Public Participation Rectification Application on Eden Wellington.

Attachments: ATT00001

From: Rikus Mouton <Brunti@live.co.za>

To: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Wednesday, 05 November 2025 06:31

Subject: Read: Public Participation Rectification Application on Eden Wellington.

Your message

To: Rikus Mouton

Subject: RE: Public Participation Rectification Application on Eden Wellington. Sent: Tuesday, November 4, 2025 3:28:35 PM (UTC+02:00) Harare, Pretoria

was read on Wednesday, November 5, 2025 6:30:06 AM (UTC+02:00) Harare, Pretoria.

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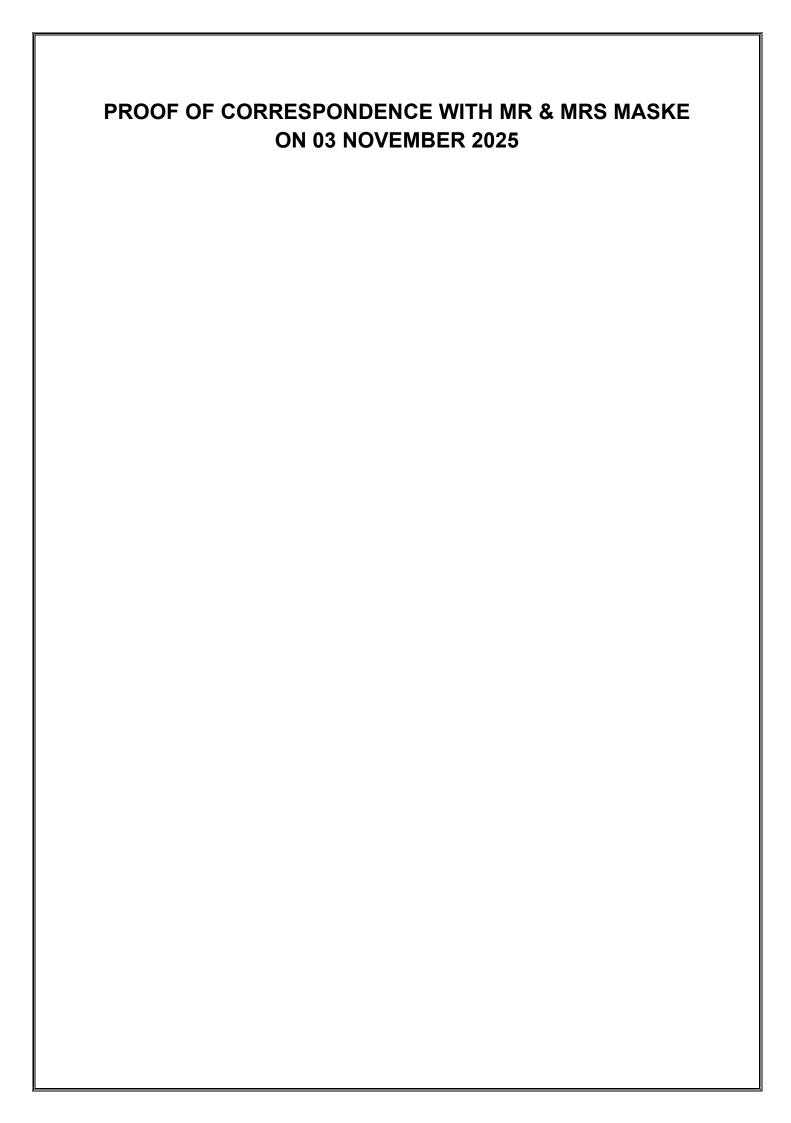
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'Spruitrivier WUA' (spruitrivierwua@gmail.com)

Subject: RE: Public Participation Rectification Application on Eden Wellington.

RE: Public Participation Re...



From: Greenmined Comments

Sent: Tuesday, 04 November 2025 15:50

To: 'Janine Maske'
Cc: Maske@iafrica.com

Subject: RE: Query Janine and Erich Maske

Attachments: RE: Public Participation Rectification Application on Eden Wellington.

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As request the reference number for this application is 14/1/1/E2/3/3/3/0915/25

We trust you find this in good order.

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To: Greenmined Comments < comments@greenmined.co.za>

Cc: Maske@iafrica.com

Subject: Query Janine and Erich Maske

Dear Anel

Please confirm that we, Erich and Janine Maske, of Klein Waterval, Wellington have been registered as I&APs in the process pertaining to the application for rectification on Eden. The request was sent to you yesterday.

We await details of where we can peruse the application and supporting documentation, as there are only 6 days left for comment. We note that no reference number for the DEADP application was supplied on the notice. Could you rectify that as well please.

Kind regards

Janine Maske

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Dear Anel

Thank you for your explanation regarding application 14/1/1/E2/3/3/3/0915/25.

The management of this ppp however remains confusing. What you are suggesting in your explanation does not align with what the NOTICE says, or with what I understand to be correct in processes of this nature.

The NOTICE suggests a 30 day commenting period. It is not correct that Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) only see the Section 24G application and supporting documents after the initial 30-day commenting period. I have never heard of a first-phase public participation which involves nothing more than registration for comment in a second phase. The Process for a 24 G is that public participation must include access to relevant documentation during the initial notice period.

At best it is not good practice to issue a notice without making relevant documents available and only share them in a second round. More realistically it is not reflective of the relevant laws to do that. The Section 24G Fine Regulations and associated EIA Regulations (2014) require that public participation be conducted in line with Chapter 6 of the EIA Regulations, which I have already shared with you. Thes regulations require that, access to draft report and supporting documents are required in the 30 day commenting period.

Even in the event that Greenmined thought it would be more efficient to depart from best practice, there is nothing in the NOTICE to suggest or explain this. I&AP's have no idea that their first opportunity to comment on the application with the benefit of supporting documents, will be in the second round. Your suggestion to me that the first 30 days is merely for registration is incorrect in terms of the regulations and ambiguous when read with your notice; the pertinent parts of which are highlighted as follows:

This notice forms part of the 30-day public participation process, which runs from 9 October 2025 to 10 November 2025.

Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) are invited to register and comment on the application. To register as an I&AP and be kept informed of future opportunities to comment, please provide your name, contact details, and interest in the matter in writing to comments@greenmined.co.za

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 his process you authorise such information to be shared for the purpose of this application.

Should you have any queries or wish to submit comments, please ensure they are received by no later than Monday, 10 November 2025.

The suggestion that a second round of participation can retroactively satisfy participation requirements, mirrors the idea that prompted the application in the first place, namely that it is ok to transgress and seek post facto rectification.

I must remind you that as the EAP in this matter you are expected to ensure the rights of all interested parties, not just the applicant.

In light of all the above I respectfully request confirmation with all registered I&APs in copy, that the application will be readvertised at a time when the application and all the supporting documents are available.

Kind regards
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FYI and future reference: The wording of your notice as placed at various information points (nothing visible near the subject property) suggests we are in the second phase of ppp, and there is no reference to its pre-application (preliminary) status, as described in your email. There is also no statement of intent to submit an application, rather a statement of fait accompli: "an application for rectification in terms of Section 24G of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998) has been submitted to the Western Cape Department of Environmental Affairs and Development Planning (DEA&DP)."

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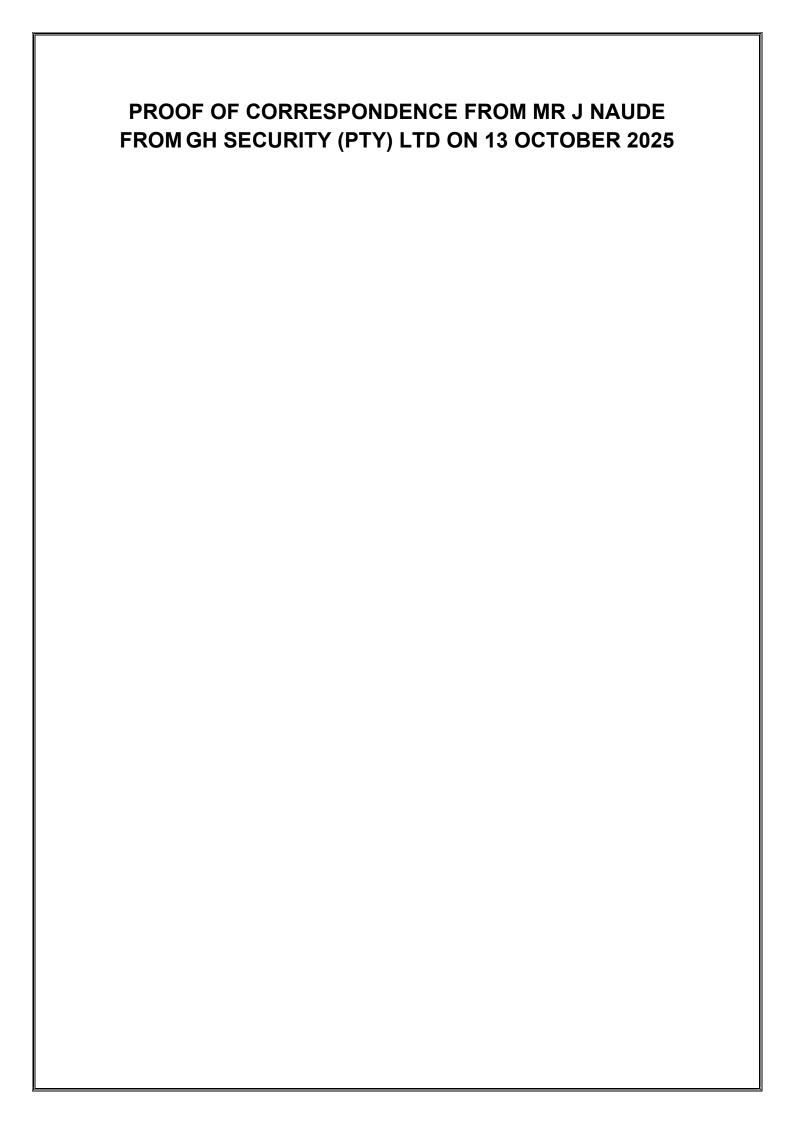
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From: joseph naude <ghsecure4@gmail.com>

Sent: Monday, 13 October 2025 10:58

To:Greenmined CommentsSubject:RE: Registration Letter

Attachments: I&AP Letter.pdf

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Good morning

Trust you are well. Kindly see attached application letter to be registered as an Interested and Affected Party. Thank you

Kind Regards

J Naude|GH Security(Pty)Ltd.



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Date: 13/10/2025

To whom this may concern.

Good day

With this letter I wish to register as an Interested and Affected Party (I&AP) for any future opportunities for Security services

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