

# Comments and Responses 1177 Manungu

## Ms Eloise Cilliers

Date 2018/08/23 Method Email

### Comment

Good day We refer to the above mentioned matter. \*\*Kindly find attached letter for your attention. Extract from letter: "IN RE: COUWENBURG BOERDERY // MANUNGU COLLIERY PROJECT 1. We refer to the above mentioned matter and confirm we are instructed by Couwenburg Boerdery (hereinafter referred to as "our client") to address this letter to you. 2. Our client as an Interested and Affected Party and after perusing the Background Information Document of the project hereby raises the following concerns with regard to the proposed project: 3. Polluted Water 3.1. Our client is concerned that the groundwater of the mining project will negatively impact the water quality that is being circulated to our clients farm. Our client uses the water for their cattle and agriculture. The contaminated water will have a negative impact as our client will not be able to use the water which will be circulated from the proposed coal processing facility. In the event that the disposed wash plant water waste is circulated into the water system of our clients our clients it will result in the water being contaminated and unusable. 4. Air Pollution 4.1. The release of the methane gasses into the air as a result of the coal mining will negatively impact the living condition of the nearby environment of the proposed coal processing facility and will have severe health implications for the workers of our client and livestock. 4.2. The livestock, agriculture as well as the persons living within the surrounding area of the facility which includes our clients farm will be severely effected by the air pollution as a result of the stock piles height amendments. As a result of the higher stockpile there will be more dust and which will further negatively impact the surrounding livestock, agriculture and heath of workers on our clients farm. 5. Once we receive the scoping report we will once again provide you with our clients feedback and commentary. " Please refer to Appendix 2 G for a copy of the correspondence.

### Response

Dear Eloise, Thank you for your comments regarding the Maungu Colliery Project. Kindly note that your clients comments have been passed onto the mine and specialists for their consideration. Should you have any further comments or queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

## Ms Marirtte Lieferrink

Date 2018/07/20 Method Email

### Comment

Noted, with thanks.

### Response

No Response was required.

## Ms Nadia Hetzel

Date 2018/08/21 Method Email

### Comment

### Response

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## Ms Nadia Hetzel

Dear Cheyenne, Our client provided us with your notification with regards to the abovementioned matter dated 20 July 2018 under your project reference number 1177. You indicated in your notification dated 20 July 2018 that all I&AP's whom have registered during the initial notification periods for this project will remain registered moving forward. We have registered previously Afgri as an interested and affected party and we await your further reports on the proposed new infrastructure, facilities and amendments to the existing licenses upon which we will comment thereon on behalf of our client. We trust you find the above in order.

Dear Nadia, Thank you for your below correspondence. Kindly note that Afgri, Mr Smuts and yourself are registered on the project I&AP database. You will be notified of the availability of the Scoping Report when it becomes available. Should you have any further comments or queries please feel free to contact me.

Date 2019/07/22 Method Email

### Comment

Dear Cheyenne, Trust you are well. I refer to the draft scoping report with regards to the Manungu project. Our client is the landowner of portion 11 of the farm Welgevonden 272 IR and silo number 3997 is situated on this property. We note the public participation meeting is scheduled for 7 August 2019 and we will provide our comments. We also note that underground mining is planned for the abovementioned portion. Kindly provide us with the blasting report as the scoping report is not providing any detail with regards to the blasting and vibration. As you know we only need to determine our client's risk with regards to the silo. Kindly indicate how the silo will be affected in light of the proposed blasting. Trust you find the above in order.

### Response

Good morning Nadia. I trust you are well. Would you kindly provide us with the coordinates (or Google Earth pin) of the exact location of the silo number 3997 referred to in your mail below. We will then be in a position to provide a specific response on the risk of vibration to your clients silo.

## Dr Mervyn Lotter

Date 2018/07/23 Method Email

### Comment

Dear Ms Cheyenne I am not the correct person to forward this information to. If you have not already done so, please contact one of our Landuse Advisors and they will be able to advise you. Frans Krige: franskrige@telkomsa.net Khumbelo Malale: khumbelomalele@gmail.com

### Response

Dear Mr Lotter, Thank you for your correspondence regarding the Manungu Colliery Project. Kindly note that Mr Krige and Ms. Knarasoo have both been added to the project database. Please could you confirm if you wish to be removed from the project I&AP database. Should you have any further comments please feel free to contact me.

## Mr John Geeringh

Date 2018/07/23 Method Email

### Comment

Please send me a kmz file and locality map of the affected areas. I have received what appears

### Response

Hi John, My apologies for the multiple emails. There seems to be an issue with the server

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## Mr John Geeringh

to be four invitations for the same project. Can you please confirm?

hanging which causes the email to send multiple times. The invite is for a project that was originally initiated last year. I have attached previous correspondence for your convenience. I have also attached the updated KMZ file for your convenience.

## Ms Ria Barkhuizen

Date 2019/07/16 Method Email

### Comment

Good day To enable SANRAL to give comments on your application, we request a locality map and memorandum pertaining to your application. I don't have access to internet, websites or dropboxes. Information can be emailed to nrstat@nra.co.za, or hand delivered to 38 Ida street, Menlo Park, Pretoria.

### Response

Dear Ria, Thank you for your correspondence. Kindly find attached locality map as requested. Should you have any further comments or queries please feel free to contact me.

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### Response

Dear Ria, Further to my earlier email with attached locality map, kindly find previous correspondence from Sanral regarding a no objection to the project. Should you have any comments or queries regarding the above please feel free to contact me.

## Mr JD Mnguni

Date 2018/08/14 Method Email

### Comment

Please acknowledge receipt of Submission. Extract from email submission: "RE : SUBMISSION AS AN AFFECTED PARTY. JD MNGUNI - CLAIMANT WEILAAGTE 271 IR AND WEIGEVONDEN 272 IR 1. Attach find letter head, i.e. Rule 5 report from the Land Claims Commission. 2. Also find status of the Claim Government Gazette Vol 635 of 25-05-2018 no 41650. 3. I hereby order you not to remove any Mnguni's graves on any of the claimed farms as indicated without my approval. 4. I also order you to stop any mining - activity on the claimed portions on the farms. 5. Finally not to enter into any sale- agreement with any current farm owner until further notice. Your cooperation in this regard will be appreciated." Please refer to Appendix 2 G for a copy of the full submission.

### Response

Dear Mr Mnguni, As per our telephonic discussion yesterday and as per your request below, kindly note that I acknowledge receipt of submission of your comments. Should you have any further comments or queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

## Ms Deshree Pillary

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## Ms Deshree Pillary

Date 2018/08/13 Method Email

### Comment

Good day 1. As per our telephonic communication, I would please like to confirm that Mr and Mrs Nel are registered as interested and affected parties for the Manungu Colliery Project (EIMS Reference Number: 1177). 2. May we also please receive in a letter or via email communication that the first application has been closed and a new one will be lodged. 3. Lastly, may we please be notified when the scoping report with the appropriate amendments will be available whereby the allocated 30 days to comment will be begin. Thank you so much, have a great day further.

### Response

Dear Deshree, Thank you for taking my call earlier and my apologies for not being able to reply sooner. As per our telephonic conversation yesterday kindly note that Mr and Mrs Nel have been registered to the project I&AP database with the following contact details: Jurg Nel, Werda Handel (Pty) Ltd, 083 327 3072/ 083 327 4914, jurnel@telkomsa.net/ founel@telkomsa.net. Should these details have changed or be incorrect could you please provide me with the correct details for Mr and Mrs Nel so that I may update the database. Furthermore, please be advised that the applicant has formally withdrawn the first application from the Department of Mineral Resources. Please note that a new application will be lodged in due course. With regards to the availability of the Scoping Report, please be advised that it is anticipated that the Scoping Report will be released for public review and comment within the following 2 months. Furthermore, as a registered I&AP, please be advised that you will be immediately notified of the release of the Scoping Report for public review and comment. I trust you find the above in order. Should you have any further comments or queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Date 2018/08/14 Method Email

### Comment

Dear Cheyenne Thank you so much for your response we appreciate it and will comment on the scoping report once it becomes available. Please note that we will require at least 30 days to comment on the EIAR before it goes to the DMR. Thank you once again.

### Response

No response was required.

Date 2018/09/17 Method Email

### Comment

I hope you are well, I know you are currently on site visit. I would please like to ask how far is the progress of the Scoping Report? I would also please like to ask if you by any chance have the original 2008 Mining Right EMP that was done by Ferret Mining for Tshedza Mining Resources (Pty) Ltd. We have tried phoning them as well as Eco-gain Consulting who did the previous Basic Assessment but with no luck as both numbers do not exist. Have a great day further.

### Response

Good Morning Deshree, I trust this email finds you well. As requested, kindly see the link below for the requested 2008 Mining Right EMP. Could you kindly confirm receipt of the document. Link: <https://drive.google.com/open?id=1iwoVttZrsiYmcCTe16ub4oroMTB1xua> Should you have any further queries please feel free to contact me.

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Hi Deshree, My apologies for only responding to your email now. I have been on site. As per our

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telephonic discussion, the Scoping report is currently undergoing internal review. Once it is made available, you will be notified of the availability of the Scoping Report for public review and comment. Furthermore, please note that your request for the original 2008 Mining Right EMP that was done by Ferret Mining for Tshedza Mining Resources (Pty) Ltd was sent to the client. I will get back to you regarding the original EMP once I receive feedback from the client. Should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact me.