

Dale Holder

From: Fiona Grimett <FGrimett@environment.gov.za>
Sent: 30 September 2020 12:19 PM
To: Dale Holder
Cc: Matlhodi Mogorosi; Sindiswa Dlomo
Subject: PP plan approval for Hotazel Solar Phase II, Northern Cape Province
Attachments: JMO637.02 Public Participation Plan Hotazel 2.pdf; Process for Submitting files to the CD IEA_062020.pdf

Dear Dale,

The attached public participation plan for Hotazel Solar Phase II, Northern Cape Province refers.

The Department has reviewed the attached Public Participation (PP) Plan, submitted in terms of the Directions Regarding Measures to Address, Prevent and Combat the Spread of COVID-19 Relating to National Environmental Management Permits and Licences. The proposed plan contains suitable public consultation measures, and is hereby **approved**. Please also consider the possibility of posting notices of the availability of the report for comment on social media (in addition to the newspaper advertisement), as well as holding virtual meetings as reasonable alternative methods of public participation, if requested by I&APs where they are reasonably unable to access and comment on the report (e.g. illiteracy). You may proceed with the implementation of the PP plan.

Further note that the attached directions apply with regards to the process for submitting draft documents to the Competent Authority for comment. Please ensure that you attach this PP plan approval to the application form, when submitting to the Department.

Regards,

Fiona Grimett
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Chief Directorate: Integrated Environmental Authorisations
Directorate: National Infrastructure Development: National Infrastructure Projects
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From: Dale Holder <dale@cape-eaprac.co.za>
Sent: Monday, September 21, 2020 09:26
To: EIA Applications <EIAApplications@environment.gov.za>
Subject: Pre Application Meeting Request and submission of Public Participation Plan - Hotazel 2

To Whom it may concern.

PRE-APPLICATION MEETING REQUEST AND SUBMISSION OF PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PLAN - HOTAZEL 2

Kindly find attached request for pre application meeting, proposed public participation plan and document control form for the proposed Hotazel 2.

Please note that a pre application meeting was already held in respect of this application on 25 October 2019 (meeting Minutes attached). We are therefore happy for the allocated case officer to review and comment on the PPP Plan directly, without the need to have a second pre application meeting.

Kind Regards,

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From: Matlhodi Mogorosi <MMogorosi@environment.gov.za>
Sent: 29 September 2020 01:52 PM
To: Dale Holder
Cc: Fiona Grimett; Sindiswa Dlomo
Subject: RE: Pre-application meeting request and submission of Public Participation Plan-Hotazel 2

Dear Dale,

I do not think that another meeting is necessary if it is only for the PP Plan to be approved. We will then consider the attached plan for approval.

Regards

Matlhodi Mogorosi
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From: Dale Holder [mailto:dale@cape-eaprac.co.za]
Sent: 29 September 2020 01:03 PM
To: Matlhodi Mogorosi
Cc: Fiona Grimett; Sindiswa Dlomo
Subject: RE: Pre-application meeting request and submission of Public Participation Plan-Hotazel 2

Dear Mathlodi

Thank you for the email.

Kindly note that we have had an "in person" meeting for this project late last year (I have attached the meeting minutes). Considering this, would it still be necessary to have another pre application meeting? (the purpose of the meeting would only to be discuss the proposed public participation plan as submitted.)

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Sent: 29 September 2020 12:56 PM
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Cc: Fiona Grimett <FGrimett@environment.gov.za>; Sindiswa Dlomo <SDlomo@environment.gov.za>
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Dear Dale,

Please note that we are back in the office and as such will have to request a boardroom for the meeting. I will put in a request for the boardroom and will let you know of the dates that it is available. This however means that we will not be able to have the meeting on the dates provided in the meeting request.

Kind regards

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From: EIA Applications <EIAApplications@environment.gov.za>
Sent: 22 September 2020 12:33 PM
To: Constance Musemburi
Cc: Lerato Mokoena; Wayne Hector; Dale Holder
Subject: 2020-09-0019
Attachments: Document Control Form Hotazel 2.docx; JMO637.02 Public Participation Plan Hotazel 2.pdf; JMO637.03 Request for pre application meeting.pdf; JMO543 Meeting Summary - Pre Application Meeting Hotazel Solar Phase II - FINAL.pdf; 2020-09-0019.pdf

Dear Constance.

Please note that you have been allocated an application:

Type of Application: Pre-Application Meeting Request;
Reference Number: 2020-09-0019;
Date Received: 21/09/2020;
Action Required: Decide on meeting request.

Kindly let Ephron know which date the meeting is to be held, if it will be set.

*EAP/Applicant: please use this reference number when submitting the application for EA/amendment application (page 1 of the application form), as well as attach the approved PP Plan if the application requires a PP process.

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Department of Environment, Forestry and Fisheries

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