ISSUES AND RESPONSES REPORT AFRO FISHING, VIKING INSHORE FISHING & SEAVUNA FISHING - COASTAL WATERS DISCHARGE PERMITS 28-May-15

COMMENT / ISSUES	RESPONSES			
Manuel, Warren - Mossel Bay Municipality: Environmental				
Automatically registered as an I&AP.				
Mpekula, Unathi - Transnet National Ports Authority				
Automatically registered as an I&AP.				
Myburgh, Pieter - Mossel Bay Municipality: Technical Services				
Automatically registered as an I&AP.				
Van Aswegen, Quelynne - Transnet National Ports Authority				
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28 May 2015

Our Ref: MOS373/04

Attention: Stakeholder

Via: e-mail, fax or post

RE: NOTIFICATION OF APPLICATION FOR COASTAL WATERS DISCHARGE PERMITS IN THE MOSSEL HARBOUR

Cape EAPrac have been appointed as the independent Environmental Assessment Practitioners (EAP), by the Applicants as listed below, to ensure compliance with the regulations contained in the National Environmental Management: Integrated Management Act (NEM:ICMA, Act 24 of 2008) and the National Environmental Management Act (NEMA, Act 107 of 1998 as amended) for Coastal Waters Discharge Permits (CWDP).

	Afro Fishing	Viking Fishing	SeaVuna Fishing
DEA Ref#:		2014/001/WC/Viking Fishing Company	Pending
Proponent:	Afro Fishing (Pty) Ltd	Viking Inshore Fishing (Pty) Ltd	SeaVuna Fishing Co (Pty) Ltd

The procedures for a Coastal Waters Discharge Permit (CWDP) as defined by DEA: Oceans & Coasts in terms of the NEM:ICMA are being followed for this application. Afro Fishing, Viking Fishing and SeaVuna are existing operators that have been legally discharging into the Mossel Bay Harbour and have been requested to obtain a CWDP in terms of the latest regulations for the NEM:ICMA.

You have been identified as a possible Interested and Affected Party (I&AP) for this Environmental Process and have been automatically registered as such. Therefore, as a registered I&AP, you are hereby notified that the *CWDP* is available for review and comment for a period of 30 days extending from Saturday 30 May 2015 to Monday 29 June 2015.

A digital copy of the CWDP will also be available on the Cape EAPrac website at:

www.cape-eaprac.co.za 'Active Projects' – 'Mossel Bay Harbour'

Please submit your full contact details and any comments you may have to Cape EAPrac (contact details below) on or before Monday 29 June 2015:

Cape EAPrac
ATTN: Melissa Mackay

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Upon closing of the 30-day comment period, comments received will be considered and feedback provided, after which the comments and responses will be submitted to the DEA: Oceans & Coasts for decision making. If you require any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact this office directly.

Kind regards,

Melissa Mackay

For **Cape EAPrac**

Review & Comment Period:

Saturday 30 May 2015 to Monday 29 June 2015.

In the event that you or your organization have been wrongly identified as a stakeholder, or in the event that the responsibility of providing comment on this application lies with another party within your organization, either forward this notice to them or notify Cape EAPrac within one week of receiving this notice of the correct party that should be informed. Should you be aware of any relevant legislation that needs to be complied with, in addition to this process, please inform us of such as soon as possible.

Melissa Mackay

From:

Melissa Mackay <mel@cape-eaprac.co.za>

Sent:

28 May 2015 12:13 PM

To:

'Quelynne Van Aswegen Transnet National Ports Authority MSB';

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Subject:

Coastal Waters Discharge Permits

Attachments:

MOS373.04 Notification of availability of CWDP 28May15.pdf

Good afternoon

RE: PUBLIC PARTICIPATION FOR CWDP FOR MOSSEL BAY OPERATORS

Please find attached notification regarding applications for Coastal Waters Discharge Permits (CWDP) for Afro Fishing, Viking Inshore Fishing and SeaVuna Fishing operating from the Mossel Bay Harbour. A comment period of 30 days is provided. Should you be aware of any other stakeholders that you feel should be included in this public participation process, please feel free to provide this office with their details. A CD has been posted to each of the authorities.

Regards

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