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APPLICATION FORM FOR AMENDMENT OF AN ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION – AUGUST 2023

Application submitted for amendment to a valid environmental authorisation in terms of the National Environmental Management Act, Act No. 107 of 1998, as amended and the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations, 2014, as amended (the Regulations)

PROJECT TITLE (*This must include local municipality and/or district municipality and province*)

Click or tap here to enter text.

Application in terms of	Part 1 <input type="checkbox"/>
	Part 2 <input type="checkbox"/>
Indicate if the DRAFT report accompanies the application (select one box)	YES <input type="checkbox"/>
	NO <input type="checkbox"/>

PRE-APPLICATION CONSULTATION

Was a pre-application meeting held	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Date of the pre-application meeting	Click or tap to enter a date.	
Reference number of pre-application meeting held	Click or tap here to enter text.	
Were minutes compiled and submitted to the Department for approval	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
A copy of the approved pre-application meeting minutes must be appended to this application as APPENDIX 1 .		



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IMPORTANT INFORMATION BEFORE COMPLETING THIS APPLICATION FORM:

1. General:

- 1.1. This form must be used to apply for the Amendment of an Environmental Authorisation where this Department is the Competent Authority. An amendment includes:
 - 1.1.1. adding, substituting, removing or changing a condition or requirement of an Environmental Authorisation, or
 - 1.1.2. updating or changing any details or correcting a technical error.
- 1.2. The appointed environmental assessment practitioner (EAP) **must be registered with Environmental Assessment Practitioners Association of South Africa (EAPASA)** in terms of Regulation 14 of Section 24H Registration Authority Regulations, 2016, as amended. Proof of such valid registration must be appended to this Application form ([APPENDIX 8B](#)). This will be confirmed by the Competent Authority (CA) on the EAPASA website.
- 1.3. The EAP candidate may only **assist** the registered EAP and work under the supervision of a registered EAP (Regulation 14(6) in the S24H Registration Authority Regulations, 2016, as amended). The registered EAP takes full responsibility for the work conducted.
- 1.4. The required information must be typed within the spaces provided in the form. The sizes of the spaces provided are not necessarily indicative of the amount of information to be provided. Spaces are provided in tabular format and will extend automatically when each space is filled with typing. A legible font type and size must be used when completing the form. The font size should not be smaller than 10pt (e.g. Arial 10).
- 1.5. Unless protected by law, all information contained in and attached to this application, will become public information on receipt by the Competent Authority. Upon request during any stage of the application process, the Applicant / EAP must provide any registered interested and affected party with the information contained in and attached to this application.
- 1.6. This application form is current as of **August 2023**. It is the responsibility of the Applicant/Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) to ascertain whether subsequent versions of the form have been published or produced by the Competent Authority. The latest available Departmental templates are accessible at <https://www.dffe.gov.za/documents/forms/legal>.
- 1.7. The onus is on the Applicant/EAP to confirm whether DFFE is the Competent Authority to which this application must be submitted (Section 24C of NEMA).
- 1.8. An application for amendment of Environmental Authorisation lapses if the applicant fails to meet any of the timeframes prescribed in terms of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended.

2. Administrative Requirements:

- 2.1. An application fee is applicable (refer to [2. FEES](#)). Proof of payment **must** accompany this application and be paid **prior** to the submission of this Application form ([APPENDIX 2](#)). The application will not be processed without proof of payment unless one of the exclusions provided for in the Fee Regulations is applicable **AND** such information in the exclusion section of this application form has been confirmed by this Department.
- 2.2. A cover letter on your company letterhead indicating the nature of this application **must** be appended to this form for e.g. new application for Environmental Authorisation, amendment application for Environmental Authorisation etc.
- 2.3. An electronic copy of the signed application form must be submitted of both the Applicant and EAP and the signature should not be older than 4 months. The relevant form(s) can be found on our website <https://www.dffe.gov.za/documents/forms/legal>.
- 2.4. This form must be submitted to the CA in the format as prescribed in the process to upload documents form. Note, that this CA does not accept hard copy documents since June 2020. <https://www.dffe.gov.za/documents/forms/legal>
- 2.5. Where required, select the box required. The empty box, once selected, will replace with a ☒.
- 2.6. The use of the phrase "not applicable" in the form must be done with circumspection. Where it is used in respect of material information that is required by the Competent Authority for assessing the application, this may result in the application being considered as **incomplete** as provided for in the EIA Regulations.
- 2.7. Unless protected by law, all information contained in and attached to this application, will become public information on receipt by the Competent Authority. Upon request during any stage of the application process, the Applicant / EAP must provide any registered interested and affected party with the information contained in and attached to this application.

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- 2.8. Should a specialist report or report on a specialised process be submitted at any stage for any part of this application, the terms of reference for such report and declaration of interest of the specialist must also be submitted. The form can be found on our website <https://www.dffe.gov.za/documents/forms/legal>.
- 2.9. Please note that this form must be copied to the relevant Provincial Environmental Department(s). Ensure that correct details are provided.
- 2.10. Certified copy/ies of the Environmental Authorisation and all subsequent Amendments thereto, if applicable must be attached to this application as **APPENDIX 3**. Should a certified copy/ies of the Environmental Authorisation and subsequent Amendments thereto not be available, an original commissioned Affidavit/Affirmation under oath undertaken by the holder must be appended to this application form, which signature should not be older than 4 months.

Competent Authority Details

Online Submission only:

<https://sfiler.environment.gov.za:8443/>.

Click <https://www.dffe.gov.za/documents/forms/legal> for guidance document which must be complied with in order to upload/submit files to this Competent Authority.

Physical address:

Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment
Attention: Chief Director: Integrated Environmental Authorisations
Environment House
473 Steve Biko Road
Arcadia

For Submission enquiries: Contact the Directorate: IEA Strategic Support, Coordination and Reporting at:
Email: EIAApplications@dffe.gov.za

For EIA related implementation queries:
Email: EIAAdmin@dffe.gov.za

For EIA Related Interpretation queries in terms of the Listed Activities:
Email: IQ@dffe.gov.za

For SIP confirmation, please contact the SIP coordinator at the below contact details:

- Mr Alvino Wildschutt-Prins
Programme Manager: Infrastructure Pipeline Development & Management
SIP Programme Management Office
Cell: 072 650 2249
Email: alvino@presidency.gov.za
- Mr Avik Singh, Infrastructure Project pipeline (SIP Support)
AvikS@idc.co.za

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1. COMPETENT AUTHORITY

Identified Competent Authority to consider the application:	Department of Forestry Fisheries and the Environment
Reason(s) in terms of S24C of NEMA:	<i>Please reference a specific sub regulation and/or gazette.</i>
Attach proof of Section 24 C (3) agreement, where applicable	Proper motivation must be attached to the application (APPENDIX 4)

2. FEES

Applicants are required to tick the appropriate box below to indicate that either proof of payment is attached or that, in the applicant's view, an exclusion applies. Proof of payment or a motivation for exclusions must be attached as [APPENDIX 2](#) of this application form.

Proof of payment attached	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Payment Reference Number	<i>Click or tap here to enter text.</i>	
Exclusion in terms of Regulation 2(a) or 2(b) of GNR 141 of 28 February 2014 (Fee Regulations)	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>

An applicant is excluded from paying fees if:

- The activity is a community based project funded by a government grant; or
- The applicant is an organ of state.

TYPE OF EXCLUSION	Tick where applicable. Proper motivation must be attached to the application (APPENDIX 2)	
The activity is a community based project funded by a government grant	<input type="checkbox"/>	
The applicant is an organ of state	<input type="checkbox"/>	
FEE AMOUNT	Fee	
Application for amendment of environmental authorisation	R2 000	<input type="checkbox"/>

Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment banking details for the payment of application fees:

Payment/Refund Enquiries: Email: EIAAdmin@dfpe.gov.za
Banking details: Bank ABSA Bank Branch code 632005 Account number 1044 2400 72 Account Type Current account
Reference number: Reference number to be provided in the specific format indicating centre point coordinates of site in decimal degrees to 5 or 6 decimal places: latitude/longitude e.g. -33.918861/18.423300
Status: Tax exempted

3. GENERAL INFORMATION

PROJECT TITLE (This must include local municipality and/or district municipality and Province)

Include the project title which describes the main activity, any associated activities and provide the area within which it occurs.

Title	Choose a title.
Name of the Applicant	Click or tap here to enter text.
Surname of the Applicant	Click or tap here to enter text.
Responsible position, e.g. Director, CEO, etc	
Name in which the EA was issued to	Click or tap here to enter text.
Name of contact person for applicant (if other)	Click or tap here to enter text.
Company/ Trading name (if any)	Click or tap here to enter text.
Company Registration Number	Click or tap here to enter text.
Physical address	Click or tap here to enter text.
Postal address	Click or tap here to enter text.
Postal code	Click or tap here to enter text.
Telephone	Click or tap here to enter text.
Cellphone	Click or tap here to enter text.
E-mail	Click or tap here to enter text.

Name of the Landowner	Click or tap here to enter text.
Surname of the Landowner	Click or tap here to enter text.
Postal address	Click or tap here to enter text.
Postal code	Click or tap here to enter text.
Telephone	Click or tap here to enter text.
Cellphone	Click or tap here to enter text.
E-mail	Click or tap here to enter text.

Name of the Person in control of the land	Click or tap here to enter text.
Surname of the Person in control of the land	Click or tap here to enter text.
Postal address	Click or tap here to enter text.
Postal code	Click or tap here to enter text.
Telephone	Click or tap here to enter text.
Cellphone	Click or tap here to enter text.
E-mail	Click or tap here to enter text.

In instances where there is more than one landowner, please attach a list of those landowners with their contact details as [APPENDIX 5](#).

Certified copy/ies of the Environmental Authorisation and subsequent Amendments thereto, if applicable must be attached to this application as [APPENDIX 3](#). Should a certified copy/ies of the Environmental Authorisation and subsequent Amendments thereto not be available, an original commissioned Affidavit/Affirmation under oath undertaken by the applicant, must be appended to this application form, with signatures not being older than 4 months.

Unless the application is in respect of linear activities or Strategic Infrastructure Projects as contemplated in the Infrastructure Development Act (Act No. 23 of 2014) and Regulation 39 of the EIA Regulations, 2014, as amended, written consent of landowner/s must be submitted in [APPENDIX 5](#).

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The signed declaration undertaking by the applicant must be submitted as [APPENDIX 6](#) (must not be older than 4 months).

Provincial Environmental Authority:	Click or tap here to enter text.
Name of contact person in Environmental Section (name and surname)	Click or tap here to enter text.
Postal address	Click or tap here to enter text.
Postal code	Click or tap here to enter text.
Telephone	Click or tap here to enter text.
Cellphone	Click or tap here to enter text.
E-mail	Click or tap here to enter text.

Local Municipality	Click or tap here to enter text.
Name of contact person in Environmental Section (name and surname)	Click or tap here to enter text.
Postal address	Click or tap here to enter text.
Postal code	Click or tap here to enter text.
Telephone	Click or tap here to enter text.
Cellphone	Click or tap here to enter text.
E-mail:	Click or tap here to enter text.

In instances where there is more than one Local/Provincial Authority involved, please attach a list of those Local/ Provincial Authorities with their contact details as [APPENDIX 7](#). Ensure that the details provided above are verified and valid.

4. ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT PRACTITIONER (EAP) INFORMATION

Company of Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP)	Click or tap here to enter text.
EAP name and surname	Click or tap here to enter text.
EAP Qualifications and Professional affiliations	Click or tap here to enter text.
Physical address	Click or tap here to enter text.
Postal address	Click or tap here to enter text.
Postal code	Click or tap here to enter text.
Telephone	Click or tap here to enter text.
Cellphone	Click or tap here to enter text.
E-mail	Click or tap here to enter text.

In terms of section 24H of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998) (NEMA), and the S24H Regulations as amended:

Are you a registered environmental assessment practitioner, registered with EAPASA in terms of Regulation 14 of Section 24H Registration Authority Regulations, 2016, as amended.	YES* <input type="checkbox"/>	NO** <input type="checkbox"/>
If “No**” provide proof of appointment letter clearly depicting appointment before the 08 August 2022 as per GNR 1733, Amendment of Section 24H Registration Authority Regulations, 2016, 7 February 2022. If you do not attach this proof, you may not commence further with the application, kindly refer to Regulation 14 (2) of the Section 24H Registration Authority Regulations, 2016, as amended.	Attached as APPENDIX 8A	

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If “Yes*” please provide a valid certificate of registration (Please attach under APPENDIX 8B) Note that this will be verified with EAPASA.	Attached as APPENDIX 8B
Please provide valid EAPASA Registration number.	Click or tap here to enter text.

Note that this information for Section 4 is only required if an EAP is undertaking the amendment process. The appointed EAP must meet the requirements of Regulation 13 of the EIA Regulations, 2014 as amended and Regulation 14(2) and 15(1) of the Section 24H Registration Authority Regulations (Regulation No. 849, Gazette No. 40154 of 22 July 2016, of the National Environmental Management Act (NEMA), Act No. 107 of 1998, as amended. The declaration of independence of the EAP and undertaking under oath or affirmation that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of the application is true and correct must be submitted as [APPENDIX 8C](#).

5. DETAILS OF IMPLEMENTATION OF PREVIOUS ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION

Reference Number of EA:	Click or tap here to enter text.	
Date EA issued:	Click or tap here to enter text.	
Reference Number of all amendments issued with its respective dates. <i>Include reason for amendment e.g., 14/12/16/3/3/1/1 /AM1- 27 October 2023 – extension of validity period for additional 2 years:</i>	Click or tap here to enter text.	
<u>Date EA expires:</u> N.B. Regulation 28(1)(A) of the EIA Regulations 2014, as amended states that “The competent authority shall not accept or process an application for amendment of an environmental authorisation if such environmental authorisation is not valid on the day of receipt of such amendment application...”	Click or tap here to enter text.	
Was the activity commenced with during the validity period of the environmental authorisation? If yes, please describe the implementation of the previous environmental authorisation to date:	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Click or tap here to enter text.		

6. AMENDMENTS APPLIED FOR AND RELATED INFORMATION

Please indicate if the amendment being applied for falls within the ambits of a Part 1 of Part 2 amendment, as outlined in Chapter 5 of the EIA Regulations, 2014 as amended, and provide reasons thereof.

Part 1	Click or tap here to enter text.
Part 2	Click or tap here to enter text.

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6.1. NATURE OF AMENDMENT/S:

Please indicate which of the following is relevant:

(a) there is a material change in the circumstances which existed at the time of the granting of the environmental authorisation;	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
(b) there has been a change of ownership in the property and transfer of rights and obligations must be provided for; or	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
(c) any detail contained in the environmental authorisation must be amended, added, substituted, corrected, removed or updated.	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>

Please note, that whilst this has been indicated, the Department will when be acknowledging receipt, agree or disagree with the amendment being applied for, and the process to be followed must be that as outlined in the official acknowledgement letter.

Please note in terms of Section 8(a) of the GG42323 of 22 March 2019, Generic Environmental Management Plans. (GEMPR's), Should the EA be transferred, Part B: Section 2 must be completed by the new applicant/proponent and submitted with the application for an amendment of the EA in terms of regulations 29 or 31 of the EIA Regulations, whichever applies. The information submitted as part of such an application for an amendment to an EA will be considered to be incomplete should a signed copy of Part B: Section 2 not be submitted. Once approved, Part B: Section 2 forms part of the EMPr for the development and the EMPr becomes legally binding to the new EA holder. This information can be submitted under [APPENDIX 11](#).

6.2. RENEWABLE ENERGY DEVELOPMENT ZONES:

Does the project form part of a Renewable Energy Development Zone (REDZ) as per GN 114 ?	YES* <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
If "YES"		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Confirm Technology 	Large Scale Wind <input type="checkbox"/>	Large Scale Solar PV <input type="checkbox"/>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Confirm Zone as per GNR 114 and GNR 142 and 144 	Click or tap here to enter text.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A map showing the proposed development (100% of the proposed footprint) within the boundary of the zone mentioned above must be generated using the screening tool. Use the "Print Map" feature available in the Screening tool to create a map as required. 	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	Attached as APPENDIX 9A

6.3. ELECTRICITY GRID INFRASTRUCTURE (EGI):

Does the project form part of an Electricity Grid Infrastructure (EGI) as per GN 113?	YES* <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
If "YES"		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Confirm Strategic Transmission Corridor (STC) as per GNR 113 	Click or tap here to enter text.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A map showing the proposed development (greater than 50% of the proposed footprint) within the boundary of the STC mentioned above. Use the "Print Map" feature available in the Screening tool to create a map as required. 	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	Attached as APPENDIX 9B
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attach a pre-negotiated route with the landowner(s) as per Reg 5 of GNR 113. (See <i>template attached to this Application form</i>) 	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	Attached as APPENDIX 9C

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Does the project form part of the Electricity Grid Infrastructure (EGI) in a REDZ as per GN 145?	YES* <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
If "YES*":		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Confirm Zone as per GNR 145 	Click or tap here to enter text.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A map showing the proposed development (greater than 50% of the proposed footprint) within the boundary of the zone mentioned above must be generated using the screening tool. Use the "Print Map" feature available in the Screening tool to create a map as required. 	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	Attached as APPENDIX 9D
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attach a pre-negotiated route with the landowner(s) as per Reg 5 of GNR 145. (See template attached to this Application form) 	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	Attached as APPENDIX 9E

6.4. GAS TRANSMISSION PIPELINE INFRASTRUCTURE:

Does the project form part of a Gas Transmission Pipeline Infrastructure as per GN 143?	YES* <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
If "YES*"		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Confirm Strategic Gas Pipeline Corridor (SGPC) as per GNR 143 	Click or tap here to enter text.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A map showing the proposed development (greater than 50% of the proposed footprint) within the boundary of the SGPC mentioned above. Use the "Print Map" feature available in the Screening tool to create a map as required. 	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	Attached as APPENDIX 9F
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attach a pre-negotiated route with the landowner(s) as per Reg 3 of GNR 411. (See template attached to this Application form) 	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	Attached as APPENDIX 9G

6.5. STRATEGIC INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS:

Does the project form part of any of the Strategic Infrastructure Projects (SIPs) as described in the National Development Plan, 2011?	YES* <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
<p>If "YES*" attach the confirmation of SIP obtained from the relevant sector representative (SIP Coordinators) and not a motivation from an EAP as APPENDIX 9H.</p> <p>For a SIP project, kindly indicate which SIPs are applicable and attach the confirmation of SIP applications from the relevant sector representative in APPENDIX 9H. Should no proof be provided, the application will be considered as a normal EIA Application with associated timeframes.</p>		
		Attached as APPENDIX 9H

6.6. DESCRIPTION OF AMENDMENT/S:

6.6. Describe the amendments that are being applied for:

Please be specific in your request for e.g. an additional 3 years is required; the holder requires an update to contact details etc. If possible, quote page numbers of the EA where amendments are requested e.g. page 06 of the EA typed as XXX is requested to be amended to XXX.

Include a map of the proposed amendment/s in [APPENDIX 10](#).

Click or tap here to enter text.

6.7. MOTIVATION FOR AMENDMENT/S:

6.7. Please provide the reasons and/or a motivation for the application for amendment:

Please be specific in your reasons for e.g. an additional 3 years is required; the holder requires an update to contact details etc as the current holder is no longer employed with the holding company.

Click or tap here to enter text.

6.8. Should the amendment being requested result due to **6.1 (b)** above, you are required to furnish the Department with a written undertaking that the new holder of the environmental authorisation is willing and able to assume responsibility of the environmental authorisation issued.

Said undertaking must be on the letterhead of the proposed new holder and signed by both the current and proposed holder. Signatures should not be older than 4 months old.

Provide a short motivation and explanation below

Click or tap here to enter text.

7. ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS

7.1. Describe any **negative** environmental impacts that may occur if the application for amendment is granted, amongst others, information on any increases in air emissions, waste generation, discharges to water and impacts of the natural or cultural environment must be included.

Click or tap here to enter text.

7.2. Describe any **negative** environmental impacts that may occur if the application for amendment is **not** granted.

Click or tap here to enter text.

7.3. Describe any **positive** environmental impacts that may occur if the application for amendment is granted, amongst others information on any reduction in the ecological footprint, air emissions, waste generation and discharges to water must be included.

Click or tap here to enter text.

8. AUTHORISATION FROM OTHER GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS

Are any permission, licenses or other authorisations required from any other departments before the requested amendments can be effected?		YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
If YES, please indicate the following:			
	Competent Authority and contact person	Project Name and authorisation required e.g., WML, WULA	Authorisation applied for (Yes/ No)
Application Reference Number	Click or tap here to enter text.	Click or tap here to enter text.	Click or tap here to enter text.
Application Reference Number	Click or tap here to enter text.	Click or tap here to enter text.	Click or tap here to enter text.
Application Reference Number	Click or tap here to enter text.	Click or tap here to enter text.	Click or tap here to enter text.
Please provide details of the steps taken to ascertain this information:			
Click or tap here to enter text.			
Explain whether the above approval(s) will be in conflict with the proposed amendments applied for.			
Click or tap here to enter text.			
In your opinion, will this proposed amendment adversely affect the rights and interests of other parties? Please provide a detailed motivation of your opinion.			
YES <input type="checkbox"/>			
NO <input type="checkbox"/>			
Click or tap here to enter text.			

NOTE: The Department is entitled to request further information if it believes it is necessary for the consideration of the application. If the application is for a substantive amendment or if the rights or interests of other parties are likely to be adversely affected, the Department will instruct the applicant to conduct a public participation process and to conduct any investigations and assessments that it deems necessary.

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9. LIST OF APPENDICES

		SUBMITTED	
		YES	NO
APPENDIX 1	PRE-APPLICATION MEETING MINUTES	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
APPENDIX 2	PROOF OF PAYMENT / MOTIVATION FOR EXCLUSION	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
APPENDIX 3	CERTIFIED COPIES OF EA AND SUBSEQUENT AMENDMENTS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
APPENDIX 4	SECTION 24 C (3) AGREEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
APPENDIX 5	LIST OF LANDOWNERS AND WRITTEN CONSENT	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
APPENDIX 6	DECLARATION OF APPLICANT	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
APPENDIX 7	LIST OF LOCAL/PROVINCIAL AUTHORITY INVOLVED	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
APPENDIX 8A	PROOF OF APPOINTMENT OF EAP BEFORE 8 AUGUST 2022	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
APPENDIX 8B	VALID EAPASA REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
APPENDIX 8C	DECLARATION OF EAP AND UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH OR AFFIRMATION	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
APPENDIX 9A	RENEWABLE ENERGY DEVELOPMENT ZONE MAP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
APPENDIX 9B	EGI IN STRATEGIC TRANSMISSION CORRIDOR MAP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
APPENDIX 9C	PRE-NEGOTIATED ROUTE AGREEMENT FOR EGI		
APPENDIX 9D	EGI IN RENEWABLE ENERGY DEVELOPMENT ZONE MAP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
APPENDIX 9E	PRE-NEGOTIATED ROUTE AGREEMENT FOR EGI IN REDZ	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
APPENDIX 9F	GAS TRANSMISSION PIPELINE INFRASTRUCTURE MAP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
APPENDIX 9G	PRE-NEGOTIATED ROUTE AGREEMENT FOR GAS TRANSMISSION PIPELINE	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
APPENDIX 9H	STRATEGIC INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS (SIP)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
APPENDIX 10	MAP OF THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT/S	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
APPENDIX 11	Other Click or tap here to enter text.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

APPENDIX 1
PRE-APPLICATION MEETING MINUTES

APPENDIX 2
PROOF OF PAYMENT / MOTIVATION FOR EXCLUSION

APPENDIX 3
CERTIFIED COPIES OF EA AND SUBSEQUENT AMENDMENTS

APPENDIX 4
SECTION 24 C (3) AGREEMENT

APPENDIX 5

LIST OF LANDOWNERS AND WRITTEN CONSENT

(with contact details) and written consent of landowners. If more than 1 landowner consent is attached, use sub-number 5a, 5b, 5c to denote the associated document.

- If more than 1 landowner consent is attached, use sub-number 3a, 3b, 3c to denote the associated document.
- See attached template for landowner consent.
- In addition, the below list of landowners must be completed.

Listed Activity	Project description	Farm Portions	Farm Owner	Landowner consent provided Y/N	Include document name
<i>e.g. Act 11</i>	<i>Sub and Line</i>	<i>Portion 3 of Farm BelingerX</i>	<i>Mr Y. Smit</i>	<i>Yes, for Substation</i>	<i>Appendix 5A</i>
<i>e.g. Act 27</i>	<i>Clearance for Substation area</i>	<i>Portion 3 of Farm BelingerX</i>	<i>Mr Y. Smit</i>	<i>Yes, for Substation</i>	<i>Appendix 5B</i>
<i>e.g. Act 14</i>	<i>Storage of dangerous goods</i>	<i>Portion 6 of Farm BelingerX</i>	<i>Mrs A. Williams</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>Appendix 5B</i>

*If more than 1 activity applies to the same farm portion/property and same landowner, One (1) landowner consent form may be submitted, which clearly outlines all the relevant activities specific to said property and landowner.

APPENDIX 5 (a/b/c etc)

CONSENT FROM THE LANDOWNER / PERSON IN CONTROL OF THE LAND, ON WHICH THE ACTIVITY IS TO BE UNDERTAKEN

Submitted in terms of the requirements of sub-regulation 39(1) of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations, 2014 (if the applicant is not the owner or person in control of the land on which the activity is to be undertaken).

KINDLY NOTE THAT:

1. This document should be attached as Appendix 5 to: The application form for amendment Environmental Authorization in terms of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998).
2. This form is current as of August 2023. It is the responsibility of the Applicant / Environmental Assessment Practitioner ("EAP") to ascertain whether subsequent versions of the form have been released by the Department.
3. One form must be filled in per landowner.

1. DETAILS OF APPLICANT:

Project Applicant	Click or tap here to enter text.
Trading name (if any)	Click or tap here to enter text.
Contact person	Click or tap here to enter text.
Physical address	Click or tap here to enter text.
Postal address:	Click or tap here to enter text.
Postal code	Click or tap here to enter text.
Telephone/ cell:	Click or tap here to enter text.
E-mail:	Click or tap here to enter text.

2. DETAILS OF LANDOWNER:

(where the applicant is not the landowner or person in control of the land)

Landowner or person in control of the land:	Click or tap here to enter text.
Contact person	Click or tap here to enter text.
Physical address	Click or tap here to enter text.
Postal address:	Click or tap here to enter text.
Postal code	Click or tap here to enter text.
Telephone/ cell:	Click or tap here to enter text.
E-mail:	Click or tap here to enter text.

3. PROJECT DETAILS AND ACTIVITIES APPLIED FOR:

Project title	Click or tap here to enter text.
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3.1. Activities applied for:

Describe each listed activity in Listing Notices 1, 2 or 3 (GNR 983 -985, 04 December 2014) which is being applied for as per the project description

Activity No(s):	Provide the relevant Basic Assessment Activity(ies) as set out in Listing Notice 1 of the EIA Regulations, 2014 as amended	Describe the portion of the proposed project to which the applicable listed activity relates. Ensure to include thresholds/area/footprint applicable.

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Click or tap here to enter text.	Click or tap here to enter text.	Click or tap here to enter text.
Click or tap here to enter text.	Click or tap here to enter text.	Click or tap here to enter text.
Activity No(s):	Provide the relevant Scoping and EIA Activity(ies) as set out in Listing Notice 2 of the EIA Regulations, 2014 as amended	Describe the portion of the proposed project to which the applicable listed activity relates. Ensure to include thresholds/area/footprint applicable.
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Click or tap here to enter text.	Click or tap here to enter text.	Click or tap here to enter text.
Activity No(s):	Provide the relevant Basic Assessment Activity(ies) as set out in Listing Notice 3 of the EIA Regulations, 2014 as amended	Describe the portion of the proposed project to which the applicable listed activity relates. Ensure to include thresholds/area/footprint applicable.
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Click or tap here to enter text.	Click or tap here to enter text.	Click or tap here to enter text.

4. PROPERTY DESCRIPTION:

Property Description

Click or tap here to enter text.
(Farm name, portion etc.) Where a large number of properties are involved), please attach a full list to this application.

Town(s) or district(s):
Physical (street)
address of project:

Click or tap here to enter text.
Click or tap here to enter text.

5. CONSENT FROM LANDOWNER OR PERSON IN CONTROL OF THE LAND TO UNDERTAKE THE ACTIVITY/IES:

I, Click or tap here to enter text. declare that, I:-

1. Am the landowner or person in control of the property described in Section 4 of this document; and

2. That I hereby give consent to the applicant [Click or tap here to enter text.](#) as described in section 1 of this document to undertake the activity/ies as described in section 3 of this document on the property described in section 4.

Signature of the landowner or person in control of the land

Thursday, 13 October 2022

APPENDIX 6 DECLARATION OF APPLICANT

I, [Click or tap here to enter text.](#) declare that –

- a) I am, or represent¹, the applicant in this application;
- b) I have appointed a valid, EAPASA registered Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) to act as the independent EAP for this application / have obtained exemption from the requirement to obtain an EAP²;
- c) I will take all reasonable steps to verify whether the EAP and specialist/s appointed are independent, affiliated with the relevant professional body e.g. EAPASA/SACNASP etc and have expertise in conducting environmental impact assessments or undertaking specialist work as required, including knowledge of the Act, the EIA Regulations and any guidelines that have relevance to the proposed activity;
- d) I will provide the EAP and the Competent Authority with access to all information at my disposal that is relevant to the application;
- e) I will be responsible for the costs incurred in complying with the EIA Regulations, including but not limited to –
 - costs incurred in connection with the appointment of the EAP or any person contracted by the EAP;
 - costs incurred in respect of the undertaking of any process required in terms of the Regulations;
 - costs in respect of any fee prescribed by the Minister or MEC in respect of the Regulations;
 - costs in respect of specialist reviews, if the Competent Authority decides to recover costs; and
 - the provision of security to ensure compliance with conditions attached to an environmental authorisation, should it be required by the Competent Authority;
- f) I will inform all registered interested and affected parties of any suspension of the application as well as of any decisions taken by the Competent Authority in this regard;
- g) I am responsible for complying with the conditions of any environmental authorisation issued by the Competent Authority;
- h) I hereby indemnify the Government of the Republic of South Africa, the Competent Authority and all its officers, agents and employees, from any liability arising out of the content of any report, any procedure or any action which the applicant or EAP is responsible for in terms of these Regulations;
- i) I will not hold the Competent Authority responsible for any costs that may be incurred by the applicant in proceeding with an activity prior to obtaining an environmental authorisation or prior to an appeal being decided in terms of these EIA Regulations;
- j) I will perform all obligations as expected from an applicant in terms of the EIA Regulations;
- k) All the particulars furnished by me in this form are true and correct;
- l) I am aware of what constitutes an offence in terms of Regulation 48 and that a person convicted of an offence in terms of Regulation 48(1) is liable to the penalties as contemplated in section 49B of the NEMA Act; and
- m) I am aware that in terms of Section 24F of the National Environmental Management Act, as amended (Act No. 107 of 1998) that no listed activity may commence prior to an environmental authorisation being granted by the Competent Authority.

Signature of the applicant/ Signature on behalf of the applicant

[Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

Name of company (if applicable)

[Click or tap to enter a date.](#)

Date

¹ If this is signed on behalf of the applicant, proof of such authority from the applicant must be attached. If the applicant is a juristic person, a signature on behalf of the applicant is required as well as proof of such authority.

² If exemption is obtained from appointing an EAP, the responsibilities of an EAP will automatically apply to the person conducting the environmental impact assessment in terms of the Regulations.

APPENDIX 7
LIST OF LOCAL/PROVINCIAL AUTHORITY INVOLVED
(WITH CONTACT DETAILS)

(Use this table as a template for information)

Provincial/Local authority:
Contact person:
Postal/Physical address:
Telephone/Cell:
E-mail:

Click or tap here to enter text.
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APPENDIX 8A
PROOF OF APPOINTMENT OF EAP BEFORE 8 AUGUST 2022

APPENDIX 8B
VALID EAPASA REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE

APPENDIX 8C

DECLARATION OF EAP AND UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, [Click or tap here to enter text.](#), declare that –

- a) I act as the independent, registered in terms of EAPASA, environmental assessment practitioner in this application;
- b) I have expertise in conducting environmental impact assessments, including knowledge of the Act, EIA Regulations and any guidelines that have relevance to the proposed activity;
- c) I will comply with the Act, EIA Regulations and all other applicable legislation;
- d) I am aware that I must be registered with Environmental Assessment Practitioners Association of South Africa (EAPASA) in terms of Regulation 14 of Section 24H Registration Authority Regulations, 2016, as amended.**
- e) I am aware that a candidate EAP may only assist the registered EAP and work under the supervision of a registered EAP (regulation 14(6) in the S24H Registration Authority Regulations, 2016, as amended) such as myself. I take full responsibility for the work conducted.
- f) I will perform the work relating to the application in an objective manner, even if this results in views and findings that are not favourable to the applicant;
- g) I will take into account, to the extent possible, the matters listed in Regulation 13 of the EIA Regulations and Regulation 14 of S24H of Section 24H Registration Authority Regulations, 2016, as amended, when preparing the application and any report relating to the application;
- h) I undertake to disclose to the applicant and the Competent Authority all material information in my possession that reasonably has or may have the potential of influencing - any decision to be taken with respect to the application by the Competent Authority; and - the objectivity of any report, plan or document to be prepared by myself for submission to the Competent Authority, unless access to that information is protected by law, in which case it will be indicated that such information exists and will be provided to the Competent Authority;
- i) I will perform all obligations as expected from an environmental assessment practitioner in terms of the EIA Regulations and S24H of NEMA ; and
- j) I am aware of what constitutes an offence in terms of Regulation 48 and that a person convicted of an offence in terms of Regulation 48(1) is liable to the penalties as contemplated in Section 49B of the Act and EIA Regulations and Regulation 18 and 20 of S24H Registration Authority Regulations, 2016, as amended.

Disclosure of Vested Interest (delete whichever is not applicable)

- k) I do not have and will not have any vested interest (either business, financial, personal or other) in the proposed activity proceeding other than remuneration for work performed in terms of the EIA Regulations;
- l) I have a vested interest in the proposed activity proceeding, such vested interest being:
[Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

Signature of the registered environmental assessment practitioner

[Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

Name of company:

Thursday, 23 March 2023

Date

UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION

I, _____ swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or
to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.

Signature of the registered Environmental Assessment Practitioner

Name of Company

Date

Signature of the Commissioner of Oaths

Date

APPENDIX 9A
RENEWABLE ENERGY DEVELOPMENT ZONE MAP

APPENDIX 9B
EGI IN STRATEGIC TRANSMISSION CORRIDOR MAP

APPENDIX 9C
PRE-NEGOTIATED ROUTE AGREEMENT FOR EGI

APPENDIX 9D
EGI IN RENEWABLE ENERGY DEVELOPMENT ZONE MAP

APPENDIX 9E
PRE-NEGOTIATED ROUTE AGREEMENT FOR EGI IN REDZ

APPENDIX 9F
GAS TRANSMISSION PIPELINE INFRASTRUCTURE MAP

APPENDIX 9G
PRE-NEGOTIATED ROUTE AGREEMENT FOR GAS TRANSMISSION PIPELINE

APPENDIX 9H
STRATEGIC INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS (SIP)
SIP CONFIRMATION LETTER FROM SIP COORDINATOR

APPENDIX 10
MAP OF THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT/S

APPENDIX 11

OTHER