



Appendix F3: Proof of Newspaper Advertisement

ENVIRONMENTAL NOTIFICATION: ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION APPLICATION FOR PROSPECTING

Notice is given in terms of Section 16 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, 2002 (Act 28 of 2002) (MPRDA) and Chapter 4 of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) 2014 Regulations (as amended) promulgated under the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act 107 of 1998) (NEMA) (as amended), of an application for a Prospecting Right and an Environmental Authorisation to explore for mineral deposits in the Free State Province of South Africa. This involves a Prospecting Right application in terms of the MPRDA and an Environmental Authorisation application in terms of the NEMA EIA Regulations following a Basic Assessment process.

Nature of Activity:

Reef Exploration (Pty) Ltd (Reef Exploration) submitted an online Prospecting Right and Environmental Authorisation Application to the Free State Department of Mineral Resources and Energy on the 4th March 2024. The online application was successful and the project was allocated the reference number FS 30/5/1/1/2/10695 PR. Acceptance of the Prospecting Right application was received on the 20th March 2024. If the application is granted, Reef Exploration will be enabled to ascertain if economically viable mineral deposits exist within the application area. The minerals of interest include: gold, silver, coal, diamond (alluvial), platinum group metals, rare earths, sulphur, uranium.

According to the associated Prospecting Work Programme, exploration will be completed over a period of 5 years and the following invasive and non-invasive techniques will be utilised during prospecting:

Invasive:

1. 6 diamond boreholes

Non-Invasive:

1. Data acquisition
2. Database, map generation and development of geological modelling
3. Field visits
4. Geophysical surveys
5. Re-visit key historical borehole core, and re-logging and re-sampling
6. Logging and sampling of new boreholes
7. Code compliant resource estimation
8. Concept study

It is anticipated that the following NEMA EIA listed activities will be triggered by this application:

1. **Listing Notice 1 - Activity 20 of GNR 327 (as amended on 11 June 2021):** Any activity including the operation of that activity which requires a prospecting right in terms of Section 16 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, 2002 (Act No. 28 of 2002), as well as any other applicable activity as contained in this Listing or in Listing 3 of 2014, required to exercise the prospecting right.
2. **Listing Notice 3 - Activity 12(b)(i) and (ii) of GNR 324 (of 2017):** The clearance of an area of 300 square metres or more of indigenous vegetation except where such clearance of such indigenous vegetation is required for maintenance purpose undertaken in accordance with a maintenance management plan (i) within any critically endangered or endangered ecosystem listed in terms of Section 52 of the NEMBA or prior to the publication of such a list, within an area that has been identified as critically endangered in the National Spatial Biodiversity Assessment 2004 and (ii) within critical biodiversity areas identified in bioregional plans.

Location:

The application area is located approximately 30 km east of Bothaville town in the Free State Province of South Africa. It covers an area of 18 627.1944 ha and extends over 50 farm portions.

Availability of Draft Basic Assessment Report and Environmental Management Programme and Details of Open Day:

The Draft Basic Assessment Report and Environmental Management Programme (BAR and EMPR) will be made available for public review, for a period of at least 30 days, **from the 18th June 2024 until the 22nd July 2024** at the Bothaville Golf Club (1 Greyling Street, Bothaville, 056 515 2951). Furthermore, an electronic copy of the report will be made available on the Shango Solutions website (www.shango.co.za/public-documents/) from the 18th June 2024. Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) are invited to participate by providing comments and raising issues of concern regarding the proposed project. A stakeholder Open Day will be held to discuss the contents of the report on the 11th July 2024 at the Bothaville Golf Club (1 Greyling Street, Bothaville, 056 515 2951) from 10:00 to 14:30.

Registration and Comment:

I&APs are provided a period of at least 30 days to register and comment on the proposed activity and application. In order to ensure that you are identified and registered as an I&AP and that your comments are considered, please submit your name, contact details, reason for your interest and issues/concerns, in writing or telephonically, to Shango Solutions, by no later than the **22nd July 2024**. Please include the project reference name (Bothaville Consolidated) in all correspondence. Please note that only registered I&APs will be notified of further opportunities for involvement in this process.

Any queries, comments, or concerns with regards to this application can be directed to Shango Solutions:

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E-mail: tshililo@shango.co.za

Contact person: Ms Tshililo Malange

Project name/reference: Bothaville Consolidated

Postal address: P. O. Box 2591, Cresta, 2118, South Africa

Any comments or concerns regarding this application can also be directed to the Department of Mineral Resources and Energy (and a copy sent to Shango Solutions):

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Contact person: Ms Happy Maphisa

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DMRE reference number: FS 30/5/1/1/3/2/10695 EM

Attention: Regional Manager – Free State Region Mineral Regulation

OMGEWINGSKENNISGEWING: AANSOEK OM 'N OMGEWINGSMAGTIGING VIR PROSPEKTERING

Kennis word hiermee gegee ingevolge Artikel 16 van die Wet op die Ontwikkeling van Minerale- en Petroleumhulpbronne, 2002 (Wet 28 van 2002) (MPRDA) en Hoofstuk 4 van die Omgewingsimpakassesserings- (OAI) regulasies 2014 (soos gewysig) en gepromulgeer kragtens die Wet op Nasionale Omgewingsbestuur, 1998 (Wet 107 van 1998) (NEMA) (soos gewysig) van 'n aansoek om 'n Prospekterreg en 'n Omgewingsmagtiging om mineraleafsettings in die Vrystaatprovinsie van Suid-Afrika te ontgin. Dit behels 'n Prospekterregaansoek ingevolge die MPRDA en 'n Omgewingsmagtigingsaansoek ingevolge die NEMA OIA-regulasies na aanleiding van 'n Basiese Asseseringsproses.

Aard van die aktiwiteit:

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Daar word verwag dat die volgende NEMA OIA- gelyste aktiwiteite deur hierdie aansoek aan die gang gesit sal word:

1. **Lyskennisgewing 1 - Aktiwiteit 20 van GNR 327 (soos gewysig op 11 Junie 2021):** Enige aktiwiteit, met inbegrip van die bedryf van daardie aktiwiteit, wat 'n prospekterreg vereis ingevolge Artikel 16 van die Wet op die Ontwikkeling van Minerale en Petroleumhulpbronne, 2002 (Wet 28 van 2002), asook enige ander toepaslike aktiwiteit vervat in hierdie Lyskennisgewing of in Lyskennisgewing 3 van 2014, wat vereis word vir die uitoefening van die prospekterreg.
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Ligging:

Die aansoekgebied is ongeveer 30 km oos van die dorp Bothaville in die Vrystaatprovinsie van Suid-Afrika geleë. Dit beslaan 'n oppervlakte van 18 627.1944 ha en strek oor 50 plaasgedeeltes.

Beskikbaarheid van Konsep- Basiese Asseseringsverslag en Omgewingsbestuursprogram en besonderhede van opedag:

Die Konsep- Basiese Asseseringsverslag en Omgewingsbestuursprogram (BAV en OBPV) sal vir openbare oorsig beskikbaar gestel word vir 'n tydperk van ten minste 30 dae, **vanaf die 18^{de} Junie 2024 tot die 22^{ste} Julie 2024** by die Bothaville-gholfklub (Greylingstraat 1, Bothaville, 056 515 2951). Verder sal 'n elektroniese kopie van die verslag beskikbaar wees op Shango Solutions se webwerf (www.shango.co.za/public-documents/) vanaf die 18^{de} Junie 2024. Belanghebbende en Geraakte Partye (B&GP's) word genooi om deel te neem deur kommentaar te lewer en bekommernisse uit te spreek oor die voorgestelde projek. 'n Opedag vir belanghebbendes sal op die 11^{de} Julie 2024 van 10:00-14:30 by die Bothaville-gholfklub (Greylingstraat 1, Bothaville, 056 515 2951) gehou word om die inhoud van die verslag te bespreek.

Registrasie en kommentaar:

B&GP's kry 'n tydperk van ten minste 30 dae om te registreer en kommentaar te lewer oor die voorgestelde aktiwiteit en aansoek. Ten einde te verseker dat u geïdentifiseer en geregistreer is as 'n B&GP en dat u kommentaar oorweeg word, verstrekk asseblief u naam, kontakbesonderhede, rede vir jou belangstelling en kwessies/bekommernisse, skriftelik of telefonies, aan Shango Solutions, teen nie later nie as die **22^{ste} Julie 2024**. Sluit asseblief die projekverwysingsnaam (Bothaville Consolidated) in by alle korrespondensie. Let wel dat slegs geregistreerde B&GP's in kennis gestel sal word van verdere geleenthede van betrokkenheid by hierdie proses

Enige navrae, kommentaar of bekommernisse ten opsigte van hierdie aansoek kan gerig word aan Shango Solutions:

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Projeknaam/verwysing: Bothaville Consolidated

Posadres: Posbus 2591, Cresta, 2118, Suid-Afrika

Enige kommentaar of bekommernisse oor hierdie aansoek kan ook gerig word aan die Departement van Minerale Hulpbronne en Energie (en 'n kopie gestuur aan Shango Solutions):

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DMHE-verwysingsnommer: FS 30/5/1/1/3/2/10695 EM

Vir aandag: Streeksbestuurder – Mineraleregulering vir die Vrystaatstreek

TSEBISO YA TIKOLOHO: KOPO YA HO FUMANA TUMELLO YA HO BATLA DIHLAHISWA

Tsebisano ena e etswa tumellanong le Karolo 16 ya Molao wa Ntlatfatsong ya Mehlopi ya Diminerale le Petroleum, 2002 (Molao wa 28 wa 2002) (MPRDA) le Kgaolo 4 ya Molao wa Tekolo ya Tshebetso ya Tikoloho (EIA) ya 2014 (e ntlafaditsweng) ka tlasa Molao wa Tsamaiso ya Naha ya Tikoloho, 1998 (Molao wa 107 wa 1998) (NEMA) (e ntlafaditsweng), mabapi le kopo ya ho fumana Tumello ya ho Batla Dihlahiswa tse Profinseng ya Foreistata naheng ya Afrika Borwa. Hona ho akarelletsa ho etsa kopo ya ho Batla Dihlahiswa tumellanong le MPRDA le Tumello ya Tikoloho tumellanong le Molao wa NEMA ya EIA ya tshebetso ya Tlhahlobo ya Motheo.

Seo Tshebetso e se Akarelletsang:

Ka la 4 Hlakubele 2024, Reef Exploration (Pty) Ltd (Reef Exploration) e ile ya romela kopo ofising e Foreistata ya Lefapha la Diminerale le Dihlahiswa ka mokgwa wa inthanete, e le ho fumana Tumello ya ho Batla Dihlahiswa. Kopo ya rona e ile ya fihla sebakeng se loketseng mme projeke e ile ya fumana nomoro ya tshupiso, e leng FS 30/5/1/1/2/10695 PR. Kopo ya ho Fumana Tumello ya ho Batla Dihlahiswa e ile ya fihla ka la 20 Hlakubele 2024 Haeba kopo eo e tijaeha monwana, Reef Exploration e tla be e fumane tumello ya ho batlisisa hore na ho ka ba le dihlahiswa sebakeng seo ho kopilweng ho sona. Dihlahiswa tseo re amehileng ka tsona di akarelletsa: gauta, silevera, mashala, cobalt, koporo, taemane (alluvial), tshepe, manganese, molybdenum, nickel, lead, polatinamo, ditshepe tsa sehlopha, majwe a bohlokwa, salfire, yuraniamo, tungsten le zinki

Lenaneo la Tshebetso ya ho Batla le tla nka dilemo tse hlano mme ho tla etswa mesebetsi e latelang tumellanong le lenaneo lena la tshebetso:

O amang sebaka:

1. Ho tshetsoa mekoti 6 e sebopeho sa taemane

E sa ameng sebaka:

1. Ho batla Datha
2. Dathabeise, ho etsa mmapa le mohlala wa sebaka (geoloji)
3. Ho etela sebaka
4. Tlhahlobo ya sebaka (geophysical)
5. Ho ya dikoting tse tshetsoeng hape, ho kenya dintlha tse ntjha le ho hlahloba botjha
6. Ho kenya dintlha tse ntjha tsa tlhahlobo
7. Khoutu e bontshang ho mamela melao ya tshebetso ya Diminerale
8. Ho lekola monyetla wa tshebetso

Kopo ena e tla lekolwa ho latela Molao wa NEMA:

1. **Tshebetso ya 1 – Mosebetsi wa bo20 wa GNR 327 (o ntlafaditsweng ka la 11 Phuptjane 2021):** Mosebetsi le ha e le ofe o hlokanang ho lekola tumellanong le Karolo 16 ya Molao wa Molao wa Ntlatfatsong ya Mehlopi ya Diminerale le Petroleum, 2002 (Molao wa 28 wa 2002), le mosebetsi ofe kapa ofe o amehang Tshebetso song ya 3 ya 2014 mabapi le ho fumana tumello ya ho lekola.
2. **Tshebetso ya 3 – Mosebetsi wa bo12(b)(i) le (ii) wa GNR 324 (wa 2017):** Ho hleka masimo a etsang sebaka se kang diskweremithara tse 300 kapa ho feta, ntle le moo ho hlokehang thokomelo e kgethehileng ho latela moralo wa thokomelo ya masimo (i) haufi le sebaka se boletsweng se kgethehile ho latela Karolo 52 ya NEMBA pele tshebetso ena e hlahella, e le sebaka seo ho thweng se kgethehile ho latela Tekolo ya Naha ya Mefutafuta ya 2004 le (ii) dibaka tse keneng moralong wa dibaka tse kgethehileng.

Sebaka:

Sebaka se amehang se ka ba dikhilomithara (km) tse ka 30 botjhabela ho Bothaville, profinseng ya Foreistata, naheng ya Afrika Borwa. Se boholo ba dihekthara tse 18 627.1944 mme se akaretsa mapolasi a 50.

Ho fumaneha ha Raporoto ya Mathomo ya Tekolo ya Motheo le Lenaneo la Tsamaiso ya Tikoloho ha mmoho le Letsatsi la Kopano:

Raporoto ya Mathomo ya Tekolo ya Motheo le Lenaneo la Tsamaiso ya Tikoloho (BAR le EMPR) di tla fumaneha hore setjhaba se di lekole ka matsatsi a 30, **ho tloha ka la 18 Phuptjane 2024 ho fihla ka la 22 Phupu 2024**, mme di tla fumaneha Bothaville Golf Club (1 Greyling Street, Bothaville, 056 515 2951). Ho feta moo, tokomane ya elektronike e tla boela e fumanehe websaeteng ya Shango Solutions (www.shango.co.za/public-documents/) ho tloha ka la 18 Phuptjane 2024. Bathahaselli le Baamehi (I&AP) ba menngwa ho fana ka maikutlo le dingongoreho mabapi le projeke ena. Ka la 11 Phupu 2024, ho tla ba le letsatsi la ho kopana e le ho sekaseka dintlha tsa raporoto, mme e tla tshwarelwa Bothaville Golf Club (1 Greyling Street, Bothaville, 056 515 2951) ho tloha ka 10:00 ho fihla ka 14:30.

Ho Ingodisa le ho Fana ka Maikutlo:

Bathahaselli le Baamehi (I&AP) ba fuwe matsatsi a 30 a ho ingodisa le ho tshwaela kopo e amang mosebetsi o rerilweng ho etswa. E le hore o ingodise o le I&AP ya projeke ena mme o batla ho fana ka maikutlo, o ka romella Shango Solutions lebitso la hao, mokgwa wa ho ikopanya le wena, lebaka leo o thahasellang le ho ngongoreha ka lona, ka lengolo kapa ka mohala, pele ho la **22 Phupu 2024**. Ka kopo ha o ngola ka mehla o kenye tshupiso ya projeke (Bothaville Consolidated). Ka kopo elang hloko hore ke di I&AP tse ingoditseng feela tse tla fumana monyetla wa ho kenella haholwanyane mosebetsing ona.

Dipotso, maikutlo, dingongoreho mabapi le kopo ena di ka romelwa Shango Solutions:

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Iswa ho: Motsamaisi wa Lebatowa – Free State Region Mineral Regulation

Dansers ryg talle top-pryse in

Dansers van Vibe Dance Studio het Saterdag 8 Junie aan die "Dance Face Challenge"-danskompetiesie in Riebeeckstad deelgeneem en hul goed van hul raak gekwy.

Die uitslae is soos volg:

Minje Blignaut: brons vir Hip Hop; Chelsea Joubert: platinum vir Hip Hop, goud vir Contemporary, silwer vir Show Dance; Mia Jonker: brons vir Acro, silwer vir Show Dance; Mia Fouche: goud vir Musical Theater, brons vir Acro, goud vir Lyrical, platinum vir Hip hop, goud vir Contemporary; Chloé Fouche: goud vir Hip Hop; Shynette Odendaal: platinum vir Hip Hop; Caitlin Betts: platinum vir Show Dance, platinum vir Contemporary; Lache Dressler: goud vir Contemporary; Nicolle Snyders: brons vir Acro, platinum vir Hip Hop; Anri Cox: platinum vir Contemporary, diamant vir Hip Hop; Dominique Joubert: platinum vir Show dance, platinum vir Contemporary, goud vir Acro, platinum vir Hip Hop; Ivandri Olwage: goud vir Hip Hop; Lianey Roux: silwer vir Contemporary; Ziandri van den Berg: goud vir



Hierdie dansers van Vibe Dance Studio in Riebeeckstad het by die onlangse "Dance Face Challenge"-danskompetiesie goed presteer.

Foto: Verskaf

Acro; Anandie Jacobs: goud vir Acro en Leah Blignaut: goud vir Hip Hop.

Die spesiale eerbewyse:

- Dinamiese danser en beste verhoogtewoordigheid: Dominique Joubert
- Akrobatiese potensiaal: Mia Jonker
- Krag en intensiteit: Anri Cox
- Selfvertroue en bewende danser: Ziandri van den Berg

Ouderdom algehele plasinge:

6-8j jaar – Ziandri van den Berg, derde; 9-11 jaar – Mia Fouche: tweede; 12-14 jaar – Dominique Joubert, derde; Nicolle Snyders, tweede en Anri Cox, eerste; 15-17 jaar – Caitlin Betts, eerste.

Algehele Styl-wenners:

Lyrical: Mia Fouche; Musical Theater: Mia Fouche; Show Dance: Dominique Joubert en Contemporary: Caitlin Betts

Birds taking to the sky

Marti Will

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The Free State Open and World Cup Roller Fly qualifier was held on the morning of 26 May in Bloemfontein.

"What made this day special was that 14 roller kits in the Free State were going to compete to qualify for the World Cup. Only two out of the 14 fanciers could qualify in the newly formed Free State region, which will move on to represent South Africa against fanciers from all over the world," says Morne Joubert, chairman of the association.

The Free State region is being spearheaded by Hannes Rossouw acting as regional director, Morne Joubert as chairperson, and Leon Laubscher as deputy chairperson.

The region is divided into two groups. The competition kicked off at the residence of Laubscher who put up a world class kit and performance, and ended up being in the first place.

"For the second round of the competition, we started at Vanderbijlpark at the residence of Hannes, regional director of the region.

"Icy cold weather and winds made it difficult for the kits, but Hannes came out in first place for the day and ended up in second place overall, making him the second qualifier for the region with Laubscher first overall," says Joubert.

He says that as the Free State region is in its first year of competing, they would like to thank all the pigeon fanciers who competed.

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Die aansoekgebied is ongeveer 30 km oos van die dorp Bothaville in die Vrystaatprovinsie van Suid-Afrika geleë. Dit beslaan 'n oppervlakte van 18 627.1944 ha en strek oor 50 plaasgedeeltes.

Beskikbaarheid van Konsep- Basiese Assesseringsverslag en Omgewingsbestuursprogram en besonderhede van opedag:

Die Konsep- Basiese Assesseringsverslag en Omgewingsbestuursprogram (BAV en OBPV) sal vir openbare oorsig beskikbaar gestel word vir 'n tydperk van ten minste 30 dae, vanaf die 18^{de} Junie 2024 tot die 22^{ste} Julie 2024 by die Bothaville-golfklub (Greylingstraat 1, Bothaville, 056 515 2951). Verder sal 'n elektroniese kopie van die verslag beskikbaar wees op Shango Solutions se webwerf (www.shango.co.za/public-documents/) vanaf die 18^{de} Junie 2024. Belanghebbende en Geraakte Partye (B&GP's) word genooi om deel te neem deur kommentaar te lewer en bekommernisse uit te spreek oor die voorgestelde projek. 'n Opedag vir belanghebbendes sal op die 11^{de} Julie 2024 van 10:00-14:30 by die Bothaville-golfklub (Greylingstraat 1, Bothaville, 056 515 2951) gehou word om die inhoud van die verslag te bespreek.

Registrasie en kommentaar:

B&GP's kry 'n tydperk van ten minste 30 dae om te registreer en kommentaar te lewer oor die voorgestelde aktiwiteit en aansoek. Ten einde te verseker dat u geïdentifiseer en geregistreer is as 'n B&GP en dat u kommentaar oorweeg word, verstrekk asseblief u naam, kontakbesonderhede, rede vir jou belangstelling en kwessies/bekommernisse, skriftelik of telefonies, aan Shango Solutions, teen nie later nie as die 22^{ste} Julie 2024. Sluit asseblief die projekverwysingsnaam (Bothaville Consolidated) in by alle korrespondensie. Let wel dat slegs geregistreerde B&GP's in kennis gestel sal word van verdere geleenthede van betrokkeheid by hierdie proses

Enige navrae, kommentaar of bekommernisse ten opsigte van hierdie aansoek kan gerig word aan Shango Solutions:

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Enige kommentaar of bekommernisse oor hierdie aansoek kan ook gerig word aan die Departement van Minerale Hulpbronne en Energie (en 'n kopie gestuur aan Shango Solutions):

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Vir aandag: Streeksbestuurder – Mineraleregulering vir die Vrystaatstreek



TSEBISO YA TIKOLOHO:

KOPO YA HO FUMANA TUMELLO YA HO BATLA DIHLAHISWA

Tsebiseno ena e etswa tumellanong le Karolo 16 ya Molao wa Ntlatso ya Mehodi ya Diminerale le Petroleum, 2002 (Molao wa 28 wa 2002) (MPRDA) le Kgaolo 4 ya Molao ya Tekolo ya Tsebetso ya Tikoloho (EIA) ya 2014 (e ntlafaditsweng) ka tlasa Molao wa Tsamaiso ya Naha ya Tikoloho, 1998 (Molao wa 107 wa 1998) (NEMA) (e ntlafaditsweng), mabapi le kopo ya ho fumana Tumello ya ho Batla Dihlahiswa tse Profinseng ya Foreistata naheng ya Afrika Borwa. Hona ho akarelletsa ho etsa kopo ya ho Batla Dihlahiswa tumellanong le MPRDA le Tumello ya Tikoloho tumellanong le Molao ya NEMA ya EIA ya tsebetso ya Tihahlobo ya Motheo.

Seo Tsebetso e se Akarelletsang:

Ka la 4 Hlakubele 2024, Reef Exploration (Pty) Ltd (Reef Exploration) e ile ya romela kopo ofising e Foreistata ya Lefapha la Diminerale le Dihlahiswa ka mokgwa wa inthanete, e le ho fumana Tumello ya ho Batla Dihlahiswa. Kopo ya rona e ile ya filha sebakeng se loketseng mme projeke e ile ya fumana nomoro ya tshupiso, e leng FS 30/5/1/1/2/10695 PR. Kopo ya ho fumana Tumello ya ho Batla Dihlahiswa e ile ya filha ka la 20 Hlakubele 2024 Haeba kopo eo e tshaelwa monwana, Reef Exploration e tla be e fumane tumello ya ho batlisisa hore na ho ka ba le dihlahiswa sebakeng seo ho kopilweng ho sona. Dihlahiswa tseo re amehileng ka tsona di akarelletsa: gauta, silevera, mashala, cobalt, koporo, taemane (alluvial), tshupe, mangenese, molybdenum, nickel, lead, polatinamo, ditshupe tsa sehlopha, majwe a bohlokwa, safire, yuraniamo, tungsten le zinki

Lenaneo la Tsebetso ya ho Batla le tla nka dilemo tse hlano mme ho tla etswa mesebetsi e latelang tumellanong le lenaneo lena la tsebetso:

O amang sebaka:

1. Ho tshelwa mekoti 6 e sebopeho sa taemane

E sa amang sebaka:

1. Ho batla Datha
2. Dathabeise, ho etsa mmapa le mohlala wa sebaka (geoloji)
3. Ho etela sebaka
4. Tihahlobo ya sebaka (geophysical)
5. Ho ya dikoting tse tshelweng hape, ho kenya dintlha tse ntjha le ho hlahloba botjha
6. Ho kenya dintlha tse ntjha tsa tihahlobo
7. Khoutu e bontshang ho mamela melao ya tsebetso ya Diminerale
8. Ho lekola monyetla wa tsebetso

Kopo ena e tla lekolwa ho latela Molao wa NEMA:

1. **Tsebetso ya 1 – Mosebetsi wa bo20 wa GNR 327 (o ntlafaditsweng ka la 11 Phuptjane 2021):** Mosebetsi le ha e le ofe o hlohang ho lekola tumellanong le Karolo 16 ya Molao wa Molao wa Ntlatso ya Mehodi ya Diminerale le Petroleum, 2002 (Molao wa 28 wa 2002), le mosebetsi ofe kapa ofe o amehang Tsebetso ya 3 ya 2014 mabapi le ho fumana tumello ya ho lekola.
2. **Tsebetso ya 3 – Mosebetsi wa bo12(b)(i) le (ii) wa GNR 324 (wa 2017):** Ho hleka masimo a etsang sebaka se kang diskweremithara tse 300 kapa ho feta, ntle le moo ho hlokehang tlhokomelo e kgethehileng ho latela moralo wa tlhokomelo ya masimo (i) haufi le sebaka se boletseng se kgethehile ho latela Karolo 52 ya NEMBA pele tsebetso ena e hlahella, e le sebaka seo ho thweng se kgethehile ho latela Tekolo ya Naha ya Mefutafuta ya 2004 le (ii) dibaka tse keneng moralong wa dibaka tse kgethehileng.

Sebaka:

Sebaka se amehang se ka ba dikilomithara (km) tse ka 30 botjhabela ho Bothaville, profinseng ya Foreistata, naheng ya Afrika Borwa. Se bohoho ba dihekthara tse 18 627.1944 mme se akarelletsa mapolasi a 50.

Ho fumaneha ha Raporo to ya Mathomo ya Tekolo ya Motheo le Lenaneo la Tsamaiso ya Tikoloho ha mmoho le Letsatsi la Kopano:

Raporo to ya Mathomo ya Tekolo ya Motheo le Lenaneo la Tsamaiso ya Tikoloho (BAR le EMPR) di tla fumaneha hore setjhaba se di lekole ka matsatsi a 30, ho tloha ka la 18 Phuptjane 2024 ho filha ka la 22 Phupu 2024, mme di tla fumaneha Bothaville Golf Club (1 Greyling Street, Bothaville, 056 515 2951). Ho feta moo, tokomane ya elektronike e tla boela e fumanehe websaeteng ya Shango Solutions (www.shango.co.za/public-documents/) ho tloha ka la 18 Phuptjane 2024. Bathahaselli le Baamehi (I&P) ba menngwa ho fana ka maikutlo le dingongreho mabapi le projeke ena. Ka la 11 Phupu 2024, ho tloha ba le letsatsi la ho kopana e le ho sekaseka dintlha tsa raporo to, mme e tla tshwarelwa Bothaville Golf Club (1 Greyling Street, Bothaville, 056 515 2951) ho tloha ka 10:00 ho filha ka 14:30.

Ho Ingodisa le ho Fana ka Maikutlo:

Bathahaselli le Baamehi (I&P) ba fuwe matsatsi a 30 a ho ingodisa le ho tshwaela kopo e amang mosebetsi o rerilweng ho etswa. E le hore o ingodisa o le I&P ya projeke ena mme o batla ho fana ka maikutlo, o ka romela Shango Solutions lebitso la hao, mokgwa wa ho ikopanya le wena, lebaka leo o thahasellang le ho ngongoreha ka lona, ka lengolo kapa ka mohala, pele ho la 22 Phupu 2024. Ka kopo ha o ngola ka mehla o kenye tshupiso ya projeke (Bothaville Consolidated). Ka kopo elang hloko hore ke di I&P tse ingodisitseng feela tse tla fumana monyetla wa ho kenella haholwanyane mosebetsing ona.

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Nomoro ya Tshupiso ya DMRE: FS 30/5/1/1/3/2/10695 EM

Iswa ho: Motsamaisi wa Lebatowa – Free State Region Mineral Regulation



Nursing graduates show great promise



From the left are Dr Elna van Dyk (manager of the Academic Planning unit), Thatohatsi Selepe (diploma in General Nursing) and Dr Mantoa Augustina "Stonko" Mofokeng (acting director for Nursing Education and Training, Free State).

Photo: Supplied

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The MEC for Health, Mathabo Leeto, presided over the post-nurses graduation ceremony that was held at the Kingdom Academy in Welkom on 6 June.

This event saw 288 students graduate. From these, 113 received a higher certificate in Auxiliary Nursing, 115 received a diploma in General Nursing, and 60 received a diploma in Nursing Science and Midwifery.

The 60 students who received the diploma in Nursing Science and Midwifery are the final students of the legacy qualification as it is being phased out.

Leeto wished the graduates well on their new journey of life.

She told them that they are an asset to the province and that they are well-equipped to become the best of the best in the entire world.

Leeto emphasised that, essentially, the Free State serves as the breeding ground and a feeder to the high national and international demand for nurses.

Leeto further acknowledged that nurses are the foundation, the spine, the backbone and the pillar upon whom the health care system is established.

"It is befitting, therefore, that they are emotionally equipped to know what suffering is and what it means to be in need, so that in their professional journey, they know and do not wish pain and suffering for any of the persons they are destined to take care of in the future."

She urged the nurses to be ready in their mindset to practice nursing in the new National Health Insurance (NHI) dispensation with the Act being recently signed into law.

"It is Youth Month and many of these graduate nurses are

youths; they should be ready to carry out the implementation of the NHI with great vigour and enthusiasm. Also, they should be technologically aware as the Free State Department of Health is implementing a new dispensation of digital health systems," she said.

The overall top achiever is Thatohatsi Selepe. She received top accolades and was awarded several trophies amongst which is the Dr Mantoa Augustina "Stonko" Mofokeng trophy for the student who attained the highest combined marks in theory and practical, but not less than 65%, in general nursing science-related modules.

Dr Elna van Dyk, manager of the Academic Planning unit, also donated the Dr Elna Van Dyk trophy for the best student in first-year general nursing science, theory and practical, but not less than 65%, in general nursing science-related modules.

ENVIRONMENTAL NOTIFICATION: ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION APPLICATION FOR PROSPECTING

Notice is given in terms of Section 16 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, 2002 (Act 28 of 2002) (MPRDA) and Chapter 4 of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) 2014 Regulations (as amended) promulgated under the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act 107 of 1998) (NEMA) (as amended), of an application for a Prospecting Right and an Environmental Authorisation to explore for mineral deposits in the Free State Province of South Africa. This involves a Prospecting Right application in terms of the MPRDA and an Environmental Authorisation application in terms of the NEMA/EIA Regulations following a Basic Assessment process.

Nature of Activity:

Reef Exploration (Pty) Ltd (Reef Exploration) submitted an online Prospecting Right and Environmental Authorisation Application to the Free State Department of Mineral Resources and Energy on the 4th March 2024. The online application was successful and the project was allocated the reference number FS 30/5/1/1/2/10695 PR. Acceptance of the Prospecting Right application was received on the 20th March 2024. If the application is granted, Reef Exploration will be enabled to ascertain if economically viable mineral deposits exist within the application area. The minerals of interest include: gold, silver, coal, diamond (alluvial), platinum group metals, rare earths, sulphur, uranium.

According to the associated Prospecting Work Programme, exploration will be completed over a period of 5 years and the following invasive and non-invasive techniques will be utilised during prospecting:

Invasive:

- 6 diamond boreholes

Non-Invasive:

- Data acquisition
- Database, map generation and development of geological modelling
- Field visits
- Geophysical surveys
- Re-visit key historical borehole core, and re-logging and re-sampling
- Logging and sampling of new boreholes
- Code compliant resource estimation
- Concept study

It is anticipated that the following NEMA EIA listed activities will be triggered by this application:

- Listing Notice 1 - Activity 20 of GNR 327 (as amended on 11 June 2021):** Any activity including the operation of that activity which requires a prospecting right in terms of Section 16 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, 2002 (Act No. 28 of 2002), as well as any other applicable activity as contained in this Listing or in Listing 3 of 2014, required to exercise the prospecting right.
- Listing Notice 3 - Activity 12(b)(i) and (ii) of GNR 324 (of 2017):** The clearance of an area of 300 square metres or more of indigenous vegetation except where such clearance of such indigenous vegetation is required for maintenance purpose undertaken in accordance with a maintenance management plan (i) within any critically endangered or endangered ecosystem listed in terms of Section 52 of the NEMBA or prior to the publication of such a list, within an area that has been identified as critically endangered in the National Spatial Biodiversity Assessment 2004 and (ii) within critical biodiversity areas identified in bioregional plans.

Location:

The application area is located approximately 30 km east of Bothaville town in the Free State Province of South Africa. It covers an area of 18 627.1944 ha and extends over 50 farm portions.

Availability of Draft Basic Assessment Report and Environmental Management Programme and Details of Open Day:

The Draft Basic Assessment Report and Environmental Management Programme (BAR and EMPR) will be made available for public review, for a period of at least 30 days, from the 18th June 2024 until the 22nd July 2024 at the Bothaville Golf Club (1 Greyling Street, Bothaville, 056 515 2951). Furthermore, an electronic copy of the report will be made available on the Shango Solutions website (www.shango.co.za/public-documents/) from the 18th June 2024. Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) are invited to participate by providing comments and raising issues of concern regarding the proposed project. A stakeholder Open Day will be held to discuss the contents of the report on the 11th July 2024 at the Bothaville Golf Club (1 Greyling Street, Bothaville, 056 515 2951) from 10:00 to 14:30.

Registration and Comment:

I&APs are provided a period of at least 30 days to register and comment on the proposed activity and application. In order to ensure that you are identified and registered as an I&AP and that your comments are considered, please submit your name, contact details, reason for your interest and issues/concerns, in writing or telephonically, to Shango Solutions, by no later than the 22nd July 2024. Please include the project reference name (Bothaville Consolidated) in all correspondence. Please note that only registered I&APs will be notified of further opportunities for involvement in this process.

Any queries, comments, or concerns with regards to this application can be directed to Shango Solutions:

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Project name/reference: Bothaville Consolidated

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Any comments or concerns regarding this application can also be directed to the Department of Mineral Resources and Energy (and a copy sent to Shango Solutions):

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DMRE reference number: FS 30/5/1/1/3/2/10695 EM

Attention: Regional Manager – Free State Region Mineral Regulation



Educate children in Thabong

A children's day event was held on 12 June at the Thabong Indoor Sports Centre. The event was organised by SA Hope, a group of crèches in Thabong. The Matjhabeng Fire Department and the Police Forensic Services educated the children about child abuse and crimes that affect them.

Photo: Supplied



LEMAY CONSTRUCTION Appointment of Community Liaison Officer

New Teacher Education Building - Welkom Campus

Central University of Technology has appointed Lemay Construction to undertake the construction of a new Teacher Education Building on the Welkom Campus. Communication with the community is essential to the collaboration that will result in a successful project.

Lemay Construction will be appointing one Community Liaison Officer (CLO) for this project.

The suitable candidate must comply with the following minimum qualifications and experience:

- National Senior Certificate (Matric);
- 5 years working experience within the community;
- Usual place of residence within the community and is recognised as such;
- Speaks, reads and writes English (the language of the contract), and at least two other languages spoken within the community; and
- Demonstrates effective communication skills (verbal and written)

The following personal attributes will be an advantage (but are not pre-requisites):

- Has a position of high regard within the community (an advantage);
- Is able to act impartially in deliberations with the community;
- Have sound knowledge of local community structures, groupings, interests and developments related to these;
- Have strong dispute resolution skills; and
- Have previous experience of performing such duties.

The appointed CLO will have the following broad duties:

- Community liaison and communication
- Sourcing of suitable labour required by the main contractor
- Administration and reporting to the Project Steering Committee
- Human resources facilitation
- Specific duties assigned by the main contractor

Applications for this appointment including detailed CVs are to be addressed to the main contractor for this project: Pieter@lemay.co.za

The closing date for submissions is 05 July 2024.

