

NOTICES

NOTIFICATION OF APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION AND ATMOSPHERIC EMISSION LICENCE**Proposed Newcastle Gas Engine Power Plant 100 MW Independent Power Producer Project, Newcastle, KwaZulu-Natal**

Notice is hereby given that Newcastle Energy (Pty) Ltd. (Newcastle Energy) intends to lodge an application for Environmental Authorisation in terms of the National Environmental Management Act (No. 107 of 1998) (NEMA) with the National Department of Environment, Forestry and Fisheries (DEFF). Newcastle Energy also intends to apply for an Atmospheric Emissions License (AEL) in terms of the National Environmental Management: Air Quality Act (No. 39 of 2004) (NEMA:QA) with the Amajuba District Municipality.

Project details: Newcastle Energy own an existing 18.5 MW capacity gas fired co-generation plant within the Karbochem Industrial Complex in Newcastle, KwaZulu-Natal. Through the Newcastle Gas Engine Power Plant (NGEPP) Independent Power Producer (IPP) project, Newcastle Energy proposes to increase its electricity generation capacity, within the same site, to approximately 100 MW.

The proposed project is subject to the following:

- A Scoping and Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) process in terms of the NEMA 2014 EIA Regulations, as amended.
- An application for an AEL in terms of the NEMA:QA listed activity Subcategory 1.4 "Gas combustion installations".

All Interested and Affected Parties are invited to register with SRK Consulting (contact details below) and to submit comments on the Draft Scoping Report by **17 November 2020**.

The Draft Scoping Report will be available for review from 19 October 2020 from:

- SRK's website via the following link: <https://docs.srk.co.za/en/za-newcastle-gas-engine-power-plant-100-mw-ipp-project-scoping-eia>
- From SRK on request.

Contact details: Mr. Siphelele Mkhize of SRK Consulting
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Date of this notice: 16 October 2020



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**INVITATION TO REGISTER ON SANRAL NRA 11-014-2015/1 AMAJUBA PLC DATABASE**

The above mentioned PLC wishes to invite all SMME's who are doing construction work from Grade 1 to Grade 6CE. The entity must be fully compliant with the following: Company name, Directors ID's, Gender, Physical address, Postal address, Proof of residence, Ward number, Contact person, contact number, email address, company registration number, CIDB grading, BEE certificate, CSD registration, letter of good standing if any, VAT number and tax clearance certificate. It must be stipulated in the profile if you are involved in any other construction related works eg surveying etc.

NB: The Company must be from within Amajuba District Municipality, company profiles shall be delivered by hand at No 03 Plattberg Village Ladysmith Rainbow Civils Offices.

Telephonic, telegraphic, telex, facsimile, e-mailed or electronic applications will NOT be accepted. If you have submitted before there is no need to submit again.

PLEASE INDICATE WARD NUMBER OUTSIDE THE ENVELOPE

LATE SUBMISSIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

CLOSING DATE- 28 October 2020.

Enquiries can be directed to MV Nxumalo PLO 082 743 0094

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**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS****DMR Reference No. KZN30/5/1/1/2/122 MR****Kangra Coal (Pty) Ltd – Invitation to Register as Interested and Affected Parties**

Location and Nature of Activity: Kangra Coal (Pty) Ltd, owns the Welgedacht Exploration Company (hereafter referred to as Welgedacht) which comprises of the Umgala, Aasvolkrans and Zimbutu Collieries. These mines were operating in the vicinity of Utrecht since 1963.

Umgala/ Knight's Hill, one of the mines that was operated by the Welgedacht Exploration Company is located approximately 45 km from Newcastle and approximately 3 km from Utrecht. The project is located within the magisterial district of Amajuba and the local municipality of eMadlangeni.

A portion of the Umgalas Colliery dump is experiencing spontaneous combustion and Kangra Coal is in the process of investigating ways of extinguishing the fire and rehabilitating the dump in such a manner that it does not catch fire in future.

Registration as Interested and Affected Parties

The National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No.107 of 1998) ("NEMA"), Section 23 promotes the application of appropriate environmental management tools in order to ensure the integrated environmental management of activities. This section also ensures adequate and appropriate opportunity for public participation in a decision that may affect the environment.

Interested and Affected Parties ("I&APs") are therefore invited to register and participate and to kindly submit any comments, proposals for extinguishing the spontaneous combustion on the dump. Proposals, comments and requests for registration are to reach Ms Niketiwe Dlamini by the **17 November 2020**, using the contact details provided below. I&AP's should please refer to the Department of Mineral Resource's ("DMR")

Reference number above and must provide their comments together with their name, contact details. A mitigation plan will be compiled by Kangra Coal and will be made available to all registered Interested and Affected Parties for review and comment.

For more information contact: Ms Niketiwe Dlamini from Kangra Coal.

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Inkomba yeDMR KZN30/5/1/1/2/122 MR**Kangra Coal (Pty) Ltd - Isimemo Sokubhalisa Njengamaqembu Anentshisekelo Nathintekile**

Indawo Kanye Nohlobo Lomsebenzi: I Kangra Coal (Pty) Ltd ingumnikazi we (Welgedacht Exploration Company (ngemuva kwalokhu okubizwa ngokuthi Welgedacht) okubandakanya Umgala, Aasvolkrans and Zimbutu Collieries. - Lezi zimayini bezisebenza endaweni ese-Utrecht kusukela ngo-1963

Umgala/ Knight's Hill enye yezimayini ezazisetshenzwa yi Welgedacht Exploration Company etholakala cishe ngamakhilomitha angama-45 ukusuka eNewcastle futhi cishe amakhilomitha ama-3 ukusuka e-Utrecht. Le phrojekthi itholakala esifundeni sikamantshi waseMajuba kanye nomasipala wendawo eMadlangeni.

Ingxenywe yokulahla udoti welahle kwi Umgala Colliery ibhekene nokushisa okuzenzekelayo kanti neKangra Coal isemkhankasweni wokuphenya izindlela zokucisha umlilo nokuvuselela indawo yokulahla inkunkuma ngendlela yokuthi ingabi nomlilo ngokuzayo.

Ukubhaliswa Anentshisekelo Nathintekayo

• Umthetho Wokuphathwa kwemvelo zwelonke, I National Management Act, 1998 (Act No 107 of 1998) ("NEMA") Section 23 igqugquzela ukusetshenziswa kwamathuluzi afanele okuphathwa kwemvelo ukuze kuqinisekise ukulawulwa kwemvelo kwemisebenzi. Lesi sigaba siqinisekisa nethuba elanele nelifanele lokubamba iqhaza komphakathi esinqumweni esingathinta imvelo. Abanentshisekelo nabathintekayo (I&APs) bayamenywa ukhuthi baphawule bathumele noma yikuphi ukuphawula, iziphakamiso zokucima umlilo ozenzekelayo endaweni yokulahla ilahle. Iziphakamiso, ukuphawula kanye nezicelo zokubhaliswa kufanele zifinyelele ku Nkosazana Niketiwe Dlamini ungakendluli umhlaka **17 Novemba 2020** usebenzisa imininingwane yokuxhumana enikezwe ngezansi. Ama-I & AP kufanele abheke kwinombolo eyinkomba yoMnyango Wezokumbiwa phansi ("DMR") ngenhla futhi kufanele anikeze imibono yabo kanye namagama abo, imininingwane yokuxhumana. Uhlelo lokunciphisa luzohlanganiswa yiKangra Coal futhi luzotholakala kubo bonke ababhalisile abanentshisekelo nabathintekayo ukuze babuyekeze futhi baphawule.

Uma ufuna kwazi kabanzi chumana no Nks Niketiwe Dlamini we Kangra Coal.

Imininingwane Yokuxhumana:

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Plate 1: Site Notices at N11 turn off to Karbochem Industrial Complex (27°46'28.73"S; 29°57'49.71"E)



Plate 2: Site Notice placed at Karbochem main gate entrance (27°47'2.21"S; 29°58'7.51"E)



Plate 3: Site Notice placed at Newcastle Energy northern gate (27°47'6.48"S; 29°58'6.91"E)



Plate 4: Site Notice placed at Newcastle Energy Main Entrance (27°47'8.22"S; 29°58'8.95"E)



Plate 5: Site Notice placed at Southern Boundary of Newcastle Energy Plant (27°47'10.97"S; 29°58'13.13"E)