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Dear Stakeholder

## **Environmental authorisation process for the Amendment of Modikwa Platinum Mine's (MPM) Environmental Management Programme (EMPr) to include the Doornbosch Mining Right and to consolidate the MPM EMPr amendments, Limpopo Province**

- **Availability of Draft Scoping Report for public comment – (30 days)**
- **Public comment period: Monday 4 September 2017 to Monday 3 October 2017**
- **Next steps in the Environmental Authorisation Process**

SRK Consulting (SRK) has been appointed by MPM as the independent Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) to undertake the necessary environmental authorisation process and associated stakeholder engagement to meet the requirements of the National Environmental Management Act 107 of 1998 (NEMA).

We would like to thank the stakeholders who have submitted comments in response to the information distributed during the announcement phase, which is still open until 12 September 2017. All comments received during the announcement phase and the comments received during the Draft Scoping Report public comment period, will be recorded and submitted to the Limpopo Department of Mineral Resources (DMR), as part of the Final Scoping Report (FSR).

The purpose of this letter is to inform you as an interested and affected party that the draft Scoping Report (DSR) is now available for public comment for a period of 30 days from Monday 4 September 2017 to Monday 3 October 2017.

### **WHERE TO OBTAIN THE DSR?**

Electronically in PDF format on the SRK website: <http://www.srk.co.za/en/za-modikwa-platinum-mine-empr-amendment>

- Electronically on request from the stakeholder engagement office, (see details on next page);
- At the Modikwa Platinum Mine security office, Modikwa Clinic and Modikwa South 2 Shaft.

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**HOW TO COMMENT?**

You may comment by completing the comment sheet available with this letter and the Draft Scoping Report, writing a letter or email, or by contacting the stakeholder engagement office, see contact details below:

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**NEXT STEPS IN THE ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION PROCESS**

Comments received during the comment period will be used to update the Final Scoping Report which will be submitted to DMR for consideration. Stakeholders will also be provided with an opportunity to comment on the EIA/EMPr Report once finalised during the Impact Assessment phase.

Thank you for your involvement in this process. We look forward to your continued participation.

Yours faithfully,

**SRK Consulting (South Africa) (Pty) Ltd**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Franciska Lake', written in a cursive style.

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