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**RE: Notice of Environmental Authorisation and Appeal Period: Agricultural Expansion on Portion 274 of Farm 42 Strathsomers Estate, Falcon Ridge Farm, in the Sundays River Valley Municipality (Provincial DEDEAT REF: EC06/C/LN2/M/55-2017 and NEAS REF: ECP/EIA/0000468/2017)**

As a registered interested and affected party (I&AP) on the database for the above project, this serves as notification of the Environmental Authorisation (**dated 8 June 2018**) issued to Habata Boerdery, by the Provincial Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism, Cacadu Region, for the agricultural expansion on Portion 274 of Farm 42 Strathsomers estate, known as Falcon Ridge Farm, in the Sundays River Valley Municipality.

A copy of the Environmental Authorisation including the Reasons for the Decision may be downloaded through the website [www.publicprocess.co.za](http://www.publicprocess.co.za).

**Manner of Appeal**

Your attention is drawn to Chapter 2 of the National Appeal Regulations, published in GN R993 of 08 December 2014 in terms of Section 44 read together with Section 43 of NEMA (as amended), which regulates appeal procedures. An appeal against the decision contained in the Authorisation must be addressed in writing to the MEC for Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism in terms of Regulation 4 (1) of the Appeal Regulations, 2014, and within twenty (20) days from the date of this correspondence. The appellant must also serve a copy of the appeal to the regional office that processed the application, namely, the Provincial Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism, Cacadu Region.

*Only appeals on environmental grounds can be considered. All appeals should be accompanied by relevant supporting documentation,*

The address to which the **originals** of any such an appeal and any other documents pertaining to the appeal must be mailed is outlined below. Please note that originals may also be delivered by hand or courier.

Department	Economic Development, Environmental Affairs & Tourism
Attention	General Manager: Environmental Affairs
Postal Address	Private Bag X0054, BHISHO, 5605
Hand delivery	Beacon Hill, Hockley Close, King William's Town
In order to facilitate the efficient administration of appeals <b>copies</b> of any appeal and supporting documentation must also be submitted as follows:	
General Manager: Mr Albert Mfenyana: Environmental Affairs per fax:	[043] 605 7300
Manager Environmental Affairs: Mr. S. Gqalangile –per fax:	[043] 605 7300
It is strongly recommended that electronic copies of all appeal documentation also be e-mailed	E-mail addresses will be supplied on request

Should you have any queries or require additional information please contact Sandy Wren, Marisa Jacoby or Zandri Grobbelaar using the contact details provided above.

Yours sincerely

**SANDY WREN**