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Dear «Title» «Last_Name»

RE: Notice of Basic Assessment Process, Broadlands Photovoltaic Power Project

In terms of the NEMA 2010 EIA Regulations: GN R543, 544, 545 and 546 promulgated under Chapter 5 of the National Environmental Management Act (as amended), you have been identified as an interested and or affected party (I&AP) for the above project. This serves as notification that a Basic Assessment is being undertaken on behalf of Windcurrent SA (Pty) Ltd (the applicant) for the establishment of a 4.5MW solar power project on Portion 1 of 868 and Portion 15 of 689, near Humansdorp, Kouga Municipality in the Eastern Cape Province.

The need for a Basic Assessment is triggered by the inclusion of, but not limited to, the following activity in GN R 544:

1. The construction of facilities or infrastructure for the generation of electricity where:
 - ii. **the output is** 10 megawatts or less but the total extent of the facility covers an area in excess of 1 hectare.

Other listed activities in GN R 544 requiring environmental authorisation are 10. (i) and 23. (ii).

The CSIR has been appointed as the independent Environmental Assessment Practitioner to undertake the Basic Assessment and Public Process Consultants will manage the public participation component of the project.

In order to be placed on the project database and receive further information on the project, you are required to register your interest in writing. Kindly notify us of your request to register, and state your area of interest/concern in this matter, within 30 days of receipt of this notification, by **5 May 2011**. Additional issues and concerns may be raised once the Draft Basic Assessment Report (BAR) is released for public review.

To assist you in the submission of any concerns you may have for inclusion in the Draft Basic Assessment we have included with this correspondence a Background Information Document, Locality Map as well as a Comment Form. Project information can also be accessed from the website www.publicprocess.co.za

Should you have any queries or require additional information please contact Sandy Wren or Paul Steyn using the contact details provided above.

Yours sincerely


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