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Dear Interested and Affected Party / Organ of State / State Department

RE: NOTICE OF DRAFT CONSULTATION BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT REVIEW: PROPOSED EXPANSION OF AFRICANOS COUNTRY ESTATE ON PORTION 228 TO A PORTION OF REMAINDER OF PORTION 74 OF FARM COMMANDO KRAAL ESTATE NO 113, ADDO, SUNDAYS RIVER VALLEY MUNICIPALITY

As an Interested and Affected party (I&AP) registered on the database for the above assessment process, this serves as notification of the 32-day comment period which is being provided for the review of the Draft Consultation Basic Assessment Report (Draft CBAR).

Availability of Information

In order to assist you with the submission of any comments you may have on the Draft CBAR, please find attached to this correspondence, an **Executive Summary of the Draft CBAR**, a **Comment Form** and a **Locality Map**. The Draft CBAR and Appendices can be accessed via the following link: <https://www.publicprocess.co.za/active-projects/22-africanos-country-estate>

Please Note: A copy of the report will be sent to you according to the preferred format previously confirmed via email, if your preferred format was not via a link to the website. Please inform us if, at any stage, your preferred format changes.

The issues that have been raised to date by I&APs, including affected/ Juristic Organs of State and State Departments, are included in the Comments and Responses Trail in Appendix E of the Draft CBAR, along with the appropriate responses. The comments made by I&APs during this current comment period, will be included in the Consultation Basic Assessment Report (CBAR), prior to it being released for a legislated 30-day comment period. You are required to submit any comments that you may have on the Draft CBAR by the **14 September 2020**, to the Environmental Assessment Practitioner, contact details provided above.

Next Step in the Process

The next step in the Basic Assessment Process entails the inclusion of the comments received from I&APs during this comment period, into the CBAR, the submission of the Application Form to the competent authority, the Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism (DEDEAT), as well as the release of the CBAR for the legislated 30-day comment period. Comments received during the review of the CBAR will be incorporated into the Final Basic Assessment Report (FBAR), prior to it being submitted to the competent authority, for their decision making. As a registered I&AP on the project database you will be notified in writing of the submission of the FBAR to the competent authority.

We look forward to your input and participation in this process. Should you have any queries, please contact Sandy Wren, Marisa Jacoby or JP Hechter using the contact details provided above.

Yours sincerely

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