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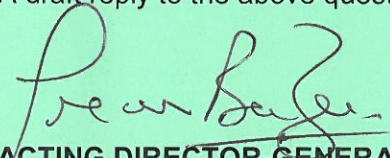
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MINISTER OF WATER AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY: QUESTION 1807 FOR WRITTEN REPLY

A draft reply to the above question asked by Mr G R Morgan (DA) is attached for your consideration.


ACTING DIRECTOR-GENERAL

DATE: 14/07/2011

DRAFT REPLY APPROVED/AMENDED


MRS B E E MOLEWA, MP
MINISTER OF WATER AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS

DATE: 25.7.2011

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

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QUESTION NO 1807

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1807. Mr G R Morgan (DA) to ask the Minister of Water and Environmental Affairs:

- (a) What are the (i) names and (ii) locations of all the mines to whom water use licences have been awarded since the inception of Project Letsema in the Department of Water and (b) on what date (i) did each mine apply for the licence and (ii) was the licence awarded?

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REPLY:

- (a) Refer to **Annexure A** for the (i) names and (ii) locations of the all the mines to whom water use licences have been awarded since the inception of the Letsema Project as well as the (b) date (i) each mine which applied for the licence and (ii) the date the licence was awarded.

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ANNEXURE A

NAMES AND LOCATIONS OF ALL MINES AWARDED WITH WATER USE LICENCES SINCE THE INCEPTION OF PROJECT LETSEMA IN THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER AFFAIRS

(a)(i) Name of Applicant	(a)(ii) Location	(b)(i) Date of Application	(b)(ii) Date Issued
Brandywine Valley Investment: Wykom Siding	Kwazulu-Natal	01/02/2009	22/05/2010
Royal Bafokeng Resources	North West	31/10/2008	20/05/2010
Optimum Coal Mine (Pty) Ltd	Mpumalanga	01/03/2008	24/05/2010
Wesizwe Platinum Limited	North West	15/07/2008	20/05/2010
BHP Billiton Energy Coal SA (Kilbarchan)	Kwazulu-Natal	07/02/2007	22/05/2010
Chemwes	Free State	1/06/2009	11/06/2010
Bafokeng Rasimone Platinum	North West	02/06/2005	17/06/2010
Lemopa Project Mine	Limpopo	01/08/2009	17/06/2010
Exxaro Resources Ltd: Tshikondeni Mine	Limpopo	10/09/2009	24/06/2010
Eastern Chrome Mines Lannex Section	Mpumalanga	01/09/2008	22/07/2010
South Gold Exploration (Pty) Ltd	Gauteng	08/10/2008	23/07/2010
Xstrata Coal South Africa (Pty) Ltd (Spitzkop)	Gauteng	14/08/2007	14/08/2010
BHP Billiton Energy Coal SA Limited	Mpumalanga	02/03/2009	14/08/2010
Exxaro: New Clydesdale Colliery (PTY) Ltd	Mpumalanga	01/01/2008	01/10/2010

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Sishen Iron Ore Company (Pty) Ltd (Thabazimbi Iron Ore Mine)	North West	01/09/2006	01/10/2010
Total Coal South Africa (Pty) Ltd: Tumelo Coal Mine	Mpumalanga	01/02/2008	01/10/2010
Exxaro Matla Coal	Mpumalanga	01/08/2008	01/10/2010
Modikwa Platinum Mine	Mpumalanga	01/10/2008	16/10/2010
GFI Mining SA (Pty) Ltd: Driefontein Gold Mine	Gauteng	25/07/2007	16/10/2010
Xstrata Alloys Eastern Mines (Pty) Ltd: Thornclyffe and Mototolo Platinum Mine	Mpumalanga	28/01/2008	16/10/2010
Mashala Resources (Pty) Ltd: Delta Wash Plant	Gauteng	06/03/2007	30/10/2010
B& L Trust	Northern Cape	18/07/2006	31/10/2010
Rhino Minerals(Pty) Ltd: Havercoft Andalusite Mine	Mpumalanga	01/06/2006	13/11/2010
Mr G Sonneberg	Northern Cape	29/05/2009	13/11/2010
Samrec (Pty) Ltd: Krugerspost Andalusite Mine	Mpumalanga	01/11/2007	27/11/2010
Xstrata SA:Goedgevonden Colliery	Mpumalanga	03/04/2008	27/11/2010
Xstrata coal SA (Pty) Ltd: Tweefontein Mining Complex	Mpumalanga	01/02/2007	12/02/2011
Xstrata Alloys Wonderkop plant	North West	26/01/2006	12/02/2011
Xstrata Thornclyffe-Helena Section	Mpumalanga	29/01/2004	12/02/2011
Xstrata Coal SA (Pty) Ltd Tselentis Colliery	Mpumalanga	28/02/2008	12/02/2011
Umcebo Mining (Pty) Ltd Middlekraal	Mpumalanga	21/08/2006	19/02/2011

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Exxaro:Kalbasfontein Mine- Inyanda Coal	Mpumalanga	01/06/2007	19/02/2011
Varuno Mining (Pty) Ltd	Free State	02/12/2007	26/02/2011
Bokoni Platinum Mine	Mpumalanga	01/10/2009	26/02/2011
Brandywine Valley Investment: Uitkomst Colliery	KwaZulu-Natal	18/03/2010	26/02/2011
Ergo Mining (Propriety) Limited	Gauteng	02/05/2008	26/02/2011
CL Ontong	Free State	12/06/2008	24/03/2011
Sishen Iron Ore Company (Pty) Ltd	Northern Cape	01/06/2009	24/03/2011
HCl Khusela Coal (Pty) Ltd : Pasela Mine	Mpumalanga	02/04/2008	25/03/2011
Douglas Colliery Services Limited-Olifants River	Mpumalanga	18/01/2010	25/03/2011
Muhanga Mines(Pty)Ltd:Goedehoop Mine	Mpumalanga	06/10/2009	25/03/2011
Sudor Coal(Pty) Ltd Halfgewonnen	Mpumalanga	01/02/2007	25/03/2011
Exxaro Resources Pty Ltd-Leeuwpan Coal Mine	Mpumalanga	01/12/2009	25/03/2011
Limpopo Coal Company: Vele Colliery	Limpopo	01/11/2009	29/03/2011
Trasvaal Gold Mining Estates (TGME) Limited (Simmer & Jack Mines Limited)	Mpumalanga	31/03/2009	29/03/2011
Rustenburg Platinum Mines (RPM Ltd)	Mpumalanga	07/05/2009	31/03/2011
Umcebo Mining (Pty) Ltd Middlekraal	Mpumalanga	21/05/2006	31/03/2011
Mrs M Van Wyk	Northern Cape	17/09/2006	31/03/2011

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Mr TP Ramodise	Northern Cape	03/04/2007	31/03/2011
Kleinkopje Colliery (Anglo Operation Limited)	Mpumalanga	01/11/2004	01/04/2011
Greenside Colliery	Mpumalanga	01/07/2004	01/04/2011
Anglo Thermal Coal Goedehoop Colliery (Block 20)	Mpumalanga	17/08/2007	01/04/2011
Douglas Collieries Services Ltd	Mpumalanga	15/05/2008	01/04/2011
Isibonelo Collieries	Mpumalanga	15/06/2008	01/04/2011
World Coal Carolina Resources (Pty) Ltd	Mpumalanga	21/08/2009	01/04/2011
Anglo Operation Limited: Zondagsfontein Mine (Izibulo)	Mpumalanga	01/08/2008	01/04/2011
Zincor a Division of Exxaro Base Metals (Ltd)	Gauteng	02/07/2009	01/04/2011
Exxaro Matla Coal	Mpumalanga	08/07/2009	01/04/2011
Samancor Eastern Chrome Mines (Steelpoort/Doornbosch Section)	Mpumalanga	31/08/2009	01/04/2011
New Kleinfontein Gold Mine (Pty) Ltd	Gauteng	01/03/2008	01/04/2011
Kriel Colliery	Mpumalanga	26/11/2008	02/04/2011
De Beers Consolidated Mines Ltd: Finsch Mine	Northern Cape	02/02/2009	20/04/2011
Sephaku Cement (Pty) Ltd	North West	29/02/2008	29/04/2011
Umcebo Mining (Pty) Ltd	Mpumalanga	30/09/2009	20/04/2011
Mr BG Sonneburg	Northern Cape	29/03/2010	29/04/2011

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Mr MJ Sehularo	Northern Cape	03/05/2010	29/04/2011
Northam Platinum Limited: Booyensdal Mining	Mpumalanga	11/02/2009	17/05/2011
Optimum Colliery-Kwagga North	Mpumalanga	17/11/2010	17/05/2011
Anglo American Inyosi Coal (Pty) Ltd: Zibulo Colliery	Mpumalanga	16/02/2010	17/05/2011
Pretoria Portland Cement (PPC):Riebeeck West	Western Cape	22/10/2009	17/05/2011
Harmony Gold (Pty) Ltd: Evander Gold Mine	Gauteng	04/03/2009	17/05/2011
Barberton Mine (Pty) Ltd: New Consort Mine	Mpumalanga	16/02/2010	17/05/2011
Shanduka Coal (Pty) Ltd: Mine (Leeuwfontein/ Lakeside Mining Operation)	Mpumalanga	03/07/2009	17/05/2011
Black Wattle Colliery	Mpumalanga	08/08/2008	25/05/2011
De Beers Consolidated Mines Limited	Free State	27/05/2010	20/06/2011
Aquarius Platinum South Africa (APSA)-Kroondal Platinum Mines Limited (K5 operations)	North West	12/09/2009	24/06/2011
Anglo Inyosi Coal Ltd: Kriel Colliery	Mpumalanga	16/03/2009	27/06/2011