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11 June 2010 10:15 Sent: To: Salomon Pienaar Cc: Lene Grobbelaar

Subject: RE: MCWAP Phase 1: Review of Draft EIR and Public Meetings

No, as long as you give proper notice and reasonable time for the public.

>>> "Salomon Pienaar" <<u>SalomonP@nemai.co.za</u>> 2010/06/11 07:24 AM >>>

As indicated in the email below (as sent on 10 June 2010) we are planning to lodge the MCWAP Phase 1 Draft EIR for Public Review (period 17 June – 27 July), as well as presenting the Draft EIR during the review period. Will there be any objection from DEA to this approach due to this period falling within the June- July school holiday period (and Soccer World Cup)?

Kind Regards Salomon Pienaai

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From: Salomon Pienaar Sent: 10 June 2010 07:06 AM

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Subject: MCWAP Phase 1: Review of Draft EIR and Public Meetings

Attention:

Mokolo and Crocodile (West) Water Augmentation Project (MCWAP): Notice of Review of Phase 1 Draft Environmental Impact Report and Public Re:

Dear Sir / Madam

This email is sent to keep you notified of the project proceedings.

The Department of Water Affairs (DWA) commissioned the Mokolo and Crocodile (West) Water Augmentation Project (MCWAP) Feasibility Study to establish how water demands can be met for planned and anticipated developments in the Lephalale area. The proposed components of MCWAP include the following:

- Phase 1 transfer scheme from the Mokolo Dam:
- Phase 2 transfer scheme from the Crocodile River (West) to Lephalale area; and
- De-bottlenecking of an existing pipeline that stretches from Mokolo Dam to Lephalale.

Nemai Consulting was appointed by DWAF as the independent Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) to undertake the environmental assessments for MCWAP, in accordance with Government Notice No. R385, R386 and R387 promulgated in terms of the National Environmental Management Act (No. 107 of 1998).

In accordance with regulation 58 of Government Notice No. R385, this serves as notification of the review process for the MCWAP Phase 1 Draft Environmental Impact Report and of the public meetings that have been scheduled to present the findings contained in this document. Further information regarding the aforementioned is contained in the attached notice.

Kind Regards Salomon Pienaa

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