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Subject: RE: Public consultation meeting invitation for the Environmental Impact Assessment

on the proposed Exclusive Prospecting Licenses (EPL) No. 10218

Attachments: BID_EPL 10218.pdf; Site_Notice_10218.pdf

Dear Esteemed Interested & Affected Party,

Please note that the Public Consultation meeting is scheduled as follows:

Date: 18th July 2025

Time: 10h30

Venue: Farm Homestead No.205

The EPL covers multiple farms, including:

- 1. Fresnaye No.196,
- 2. Goedbegin No.197,
- 3. Homestead No.205,
- 4. Marburg No.1,
- 5. Clifton No.343,
- 6. Geluksput No.343,
- 7. Gemsbok No.346
- 8. Grosvenor No. 346.

We kindly request your attendance at the meeting to provide input and discuss any concerns you may have regarding the proposed license.

Excel Dynamic Solutions (Pty) Ltd consultants team will require permission to access the farms as part of the Environmental and Heritage Assessment after the public consultation meeting.

We are looking forward to seeing you all at the meeting.

Kind regards,





From: vaugustus@edsnamibia.com [mailto:vaugustus@edsnamibia.com]

Sent: Thursday, July 10, 2025 3:39 PM **To:** 'Stoman EC' <stoman@afol.com.na>

Cc: 'Mandume Leonard' <mleonard@edsnamibia.com>; 'public@edsnamibia.com' <public@edsnamibia.com> **Subject:** Public consultation meeting invitation for the Environmental Impact Assessment on the proposed Exclusive

Prospecting Licenses (EPL) No. 10218

Dear Esteemed Interested & Affected Party,

Gateway Resources Trading (Pty) Ltd (The Proponent) proposes to undertake prospecting and exploration activities on Exclusive Prospecting License (EPL) No. 10218 located 30 km north of Otjiwarongo, Otjozondjupa Region.

Mineral prospecting and exploration is one of the listed activities that cannot be undertaken without an Environmental Clearance Certificate (ECC) as per the 2012 Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations of the Environmental Management Act No. 7 of 2007. The Proponent, therefore, appointed Excel Dynamic Solutions (Pty) Ltd, an independent Environmental Consultants firm to conduct the required Environmental Scoping Assessment (ESA) process and apply for the ECC.

Furthermore, Sections 21 to 24 of the EIA Regulations require that Public Consultation is undertaken as one of the crucial components of the Environmental Assessment, which involves the pre-identification of potential Interested & Affected Parties (I&APs) or Stakeholders and ongoing registration of new I&APs and subsequent consultation. You have therefore been identified as a potential I&AP for this proposed activity, and the reason you are receiving this communication.

Please find the attached Background Information Document (BID) the proposed prospecting and exploration activities and the site notice as a public consultation invitation.

The EPL cover farms: Fresnaye No.196, Goedbegin No.197, Homestead No.205, Marburg No.1, Clifton No.343, Geluksput No.343, Gemsbok No.346 and Grosvenor No. 346.

We would greatly appreciate if the landowners could kindly provide us with their names, farm names, and contact details so that we can register them as Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs).

We are currently working to finalize the date for the stakeholders engagement meeting and will provide further details once this information is available.

Kind regards,



