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Subject: RE: Public consultation meeting invitation for the Environmental Impact Assessment on the proposed Exclusive Prospecting Licenses (EPL) No. 10218

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Gday Vistolina

I refer to your letter below.

Only two of the farmers are known to me. I forwarded the email to Arthur Bagot-Smith (Gelukspuit) and Lientjie Roux (Gemsbok).

However, I managed to find some other names and numbers, which I shared with your colleague and yourself via WhatsApp.

Should I find any other names and numbers, I will forward them to you.

Regards

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From: vaugustus@edsnamibia.com <vaugustus@edsnamibia.com>
Sent: 10 July 2025 15:39
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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: Fresnoye No.196, Goedbegin No.197, Homestead No.205, Marburg No.1, Clifton No.343, Gelukspuit 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,

The image shows a business card for Vistolina Augustus, an Environmental Assessment Practitioner. The card is split into two main sections. The left section features the logo for Excel Dynamic Solutions (Pty) Ltd, which consists of a stylized 'E' and 'S' in blue and yellow. Below the logo are social media icons for LinkedIn, Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram, followed by the text 'excel_dynamic_solutions' and the website 'www.edsnamibia.com'. The right section contains the name 'Vistolina Augustus' in a large blue font, followed by the title 'Environmental Assessment Practitioner' in a smaller green font. Below this, the office address is listed as 'Office. 5th Floor Maerua Mall | Office Block B', followed by the contact numbers 'Cel. +264 81 4269536' and 'Tel. +264 61 259 530', and the email address 'Email. vaugustus@edsnamibia.com'. The background of the card is a light green and blue gradient with a faint map of Namibia.

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