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Att: Mrs. Fana Harases

RE: EIA PUBLIC MEETING INVITATION AND NOTIFICATION OF EIA FOR THE PROPOSED EXPLORATION ACTIVITIES ON EPL 10453,FRANSFONTEIN AREA,KHORIXAS DISTRICT,KUNENE REGION

This communique serves to notify the office of the Control Administrative Officer of Fransfontein Settlement Office on the envisaged EIA public meeting for the proposed exploration activities on **EPL 10453** in Fransfontein area, Khorixas district, Kunene Region. The EPL has a total coverage area of 15 960. 5767 hectares, the EPL contains the following minerals: **Dimension stone, Base and Rare metals, Industrial minerals, precious metals and a Nuclear Fuel Minerals.**

Junior Baiano Industrial Consultants, an independent Environmental Assessment Consultant has been appointed by **Desert Spring Mining cc** to facilitate the EIA process. In order to satisfy the provisions of the Environmental Management Act of 2011 and Environmental Impact Assessment regulations of 2012, a public consultation process must be undertaken. Hence, my singular honour to invite your respective office as a key important stakeholder to the public meeting that is scheduled to take place on **28 August 2025, at Swartbooi Traditional Authority at 12h00.**

In addition, I hereby request your office to extend the invitation to Fransfontein Community in general and nearby farms in particular. I believe through your well-established Marketing and community liaison protocols, my request will be realised.

For further enquiries, do not hesitate to contact me on **061-219773/0811472029/0812095996**

Yours in truly,

Fredrich Nghiyolwa

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Fredrich Nghiyolwa', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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Managing Member

Junior Baiano Industrial Consultants