

## REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA

## MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FORESTRY AND TOURISM

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**Environmental Commissioner** 

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RE: ENDORSEMENT LETTER IN SUPPORT OF ECC APPLICATION FOR FARM PORTION 1 OF DE HOOP NO. 263 IN THE OTJOZONDJUPA REGION. FOR APPLICATION - 006645.

The Directorate of Forestry (DOF) hereby endorses that the Forest and Environmental Management Plan (FEMP) on farm portion 1 of De Hoop No. 263, for Application - 006645, in the Otjozondjupa Region, has fulfilled the requirements for bush thinning activities in line with the Forest Act and its regulations.

DOF therefore, supports the application for the Environmental Clearance Certificate (ECC) for the above-mentioned farms.



FSC DAR INFO

Farm Size (ha): 1,874.33 Conservation Area (WPA) 189.30 WPA% 10.10 Excluded Areas 0.76 Certified Area 1,873.56 Total Production Area 1,684.27 Total Non-Production Area 190.06 Natural Forest Area 1,874.33 Natural Regenerated Forest Area (ES)

| Project No:            | 09-104<br>rtion 1 of De Hoop |  |  |
|------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|
| Farm Name & No:        |                              |  |  |
| Owner:                 | Reinhardt Ritter             |  |  |
| SLIMF/Non - SLIMF:     | Non-SLIMF                    |  |  |
| Farm Workers (Average) | 80                           |  |  |
| Average rainfall (mm)  | 350                          |  |  |
| Soil Type              | Sand Loam                    |  |  |
| Latitude               | -21                          |  |  |
| Longitude              | 18                           |  |  |

NUMBER OF KILNS

ACTUAL FIGURES FOR THE CURRENT YEAR

|                                    | Sustainable yield per year Assuming 5 Years of harvesting |  | 739.36   | Sustainable yield per year Assuming 5 Years of harvesting |   | 3,696.82                      |           |
|------------------------------------|---|--|--|---|---|-------------------------------|-----------|
| Production to be<br>removed on FMU | 247.49  | 5,687.42                                     | 3,696.82   | 3,696.82  | 1,237.44                                    | 28,437.11                     | 18,484.12 |
|                                    | Average charcoal SLIMF Limit for the FMU (t/y)            | Available<br>for the FMU (Tons<br>charcoal): | Sustainable (65%)<br>for the FMU (Tons<br>Charcoal): | Average Blomass SUMF Limit for the FMU (t/y)              | Available<br>for the FMU (Tons<br>biomass): | (65%)<br>for the FMU<br>(Tons |           |