



REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA

ENVIRONMENTAL QUESTIONNAIRE FOR MINING CLAIMS IN NAMIBIA

BEING APPENDIX A TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL CONTRACT

1. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

- 1.1 Companies/Natural persons applying for **MINING CLAIMS** must complete this questionnaire. (Please fill in ALL questions).
- 1.2 The answers provided in this questionnaire shall be regarded as commitments which will become part of the **Environmental Contract** between the Holder and the Government of the Republic of Namibia, duly represented by the Ministry of Environment and Tourism (MET) and the Ministry of Mines and Energy (MME).
- 1.3 Once the Holder has completed this questionnaire MET and MME will either accept/reject/request further information regarding the environmental commitments made therein. MET and MME reserve the right to add further conditions.
- 1.4 Once agreed to by all parties concerned, the completed questionnaire shall form part of the **Environmental Contract**.
- 1.5 Please attach a map of the mining claim area and a copy of the application to register mining claims.

2. Holder details

2.1 Name of Holder	Sara Reuter	
2.2 Name of Mining Claim Holder (if different from 2.1)		
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2.4 Postal Address Residential/Registered Address	<u>PoBox 175</u> <u>khorixas</u> <u>J-39</u> <u>khorixas</u>	
2.5 Reference Number	NEPL No: <u>10622</u>	Expiry: <u>11 June 2026</u>
2.6 Registered Number(s)	<u>76569-76566</u>	
2.7 Location (Farm, District, Region) of mining claim(s)	<u>Rockey pos a. khorixas</u> <u>kuene Region</u>	
2.8 Group(s) of Mineral(s) to be mined	<u>Semi Precious Stones</u>	

2.9 How many people will work on your mining claim, and where will they live?

Number of people	Where will they live?
5	Tent

3.1.1 What will you do with **normal litter** (e.g. Kitchen spoils, cans, bottles, paper, etc.)?

It will be stored in a suitable containers, plastic bags and will be disposed at Khorixas dumping site

3.1.2 What **industrial waste** will be generated and what will you do with it (e.g. old machinery, vehicles, building rubble, batteries, paint, thinners, vehicle oil, etc.)?

Industrial waste like (above mentioned) will be safely collected and stored. Recyclable items will be sent to approved recyclers and hazardous waste will be handled by licensed disposal companies. This ensures safe and environmental friendly waste management

3.1.3 Describe what type of **toilet facilities** will be provided.

Temporal chemical toilets will be used daily for the mining site

3.2.1 List the type and quantity of vehicles, earthmoving equipment, drilling equipment, and other machinery likely to be used on your mining claim (e.g. 2 x bakkies; 1 x bulldozer, etc.)

Vehicles:

1 x bakkie

Earthmoving equipment:

Tackhammer and generator

Drilling equipment:

No

Other equipment and/or machinery:

Hand tools

3.2.2 Describe the environmental damage that is likely to result from the use of vehicles and machinery within the mining claim area (e.g. on the landscape in general, soil, vegetation, noise, dust, etc.).

The use of Vehicles and machinery in the mining claim area can cause significant environmental damage. This includes soil erosion and compaction, destruction of vegetation, noise pollution disturbing wildlife, and excessive dust affecting air quality. Oil spills and fuel leaks can also contaminate soil and water sources.

3.2.3 How will you control the movement of vehicles and machinery in order to minimise environmental damage?

To minimize environmental damage, vehicles and machinery movement will be restricted to designated roads and work areas only. Speed limits will be enforced to reduce dust and noise, and sensitive areas will be clearly marked and avoided. Regular maintenance will prevent leaks and reduce emissions.

3.2.4 Which routes will be used by vehicles to get to your mining claim and state whether you intend making new roads or tracks (both to your mining claim and within your mining claim)?

The mining team will only use the existing farm (tr) road.

3.2.5 Will you do any blasting on your mining claim?

Yes:

No: _____

Unsure:

3.2.6 If "yes" above, explain how you intend minimising environmental impacts, including the safety of humans, livestock and wildlife?

NIA

3.3 Water

3.3.1 How much water do you intend using for various activities (e.g. human use, washing of equipment, washing sand/stones, dust control, gardens, etc.) and state how you intend saving water within each category of use.

Activity or category of use	Quantity of water needed per month (litres)	Water saving methods
Only for human consumption	2 x 50 litres per day	Water will be reuse

3.3.2 Where will you get your water (e.g. river, own borehole, Water Affairs connection, etc.)?

Farm borehole

3.3.3 Explain how you will minimise or completely avoid polluting any water source, including underground water.

French drains and latrines to be built at more than 100 to 150 m away from the water sources or pens to avoid pollution of primary and secondary aquifers.

3.4 Relations with neighbouring communities and/or the general public

3.4.1 Are there any people living in or near your mining claim?

Yes: _____

No:

Unsure: _____

3.4.2 If "yes", explain where these people live and describe their economic activities.

N/A

3.4.3 If "yes" in 3.4.1, explain what you will do to maintain a good relationship with such people.

N/A

3.4.4 Will the activities on your mining claim restrict the movement of other people in the area (e.g. the general public, tourists, farmers, local people, etc.)?

Yes: _____

No:

Unsure: _____

3.4.5 If "yes" for 3.4.4, please explain why their movements or access will be restricted.

N/A

3.5 Protection of plants and wildlife

3.5.1 How will you ensure that your activities will not cause unnecessary damage to plants and wildlife in or near your mining claim (e.g. hunting, plant collecting, fishing, etc.)?

Workers will not be allowed to hunt or collect plants.

Sensitive areas will be marked and protected and everyone will be trained to respect wildlife and the environment

Regular monitoring will be ensure compliance with environmental protection rules

3.6 Historical, archaeological and cultural heritage (e.g. rock art, graves, monuments, fossils, sacred sites, historical buildings, etc.)

3.6.1 Are there any historical, archaeological or culturally important sites within your mining claim area?

Yes: _____

No:

Unsure: _____

3.6.2 If "yes", please describe briefly.

N/A

3.6.3 If such sites are known, how will you avoid damaging them?

I will adhere to the laws and regulations

3.6.4 If such sites are discovered after you have started working your mining claim, would you accept new conditions to this contract so that they can be properly protected?

Yes:

No:

Unsure:

3.7 Rehabilitation

3.7.1 When will you rehabilitate the environmental damage done during prospecting? (Tick the appropriate box)

I have no intention of rehabilitating any damage

On a continuous basis (i.e. simultaneous with prospecting)

Only after all prospecting has finally been completed

I don't know

3.7.2 Describe the programme of mining from the start and the methods to rehabilitate damage.

Only open pit mining on outcrops will take place. Mining program. Start clearing and preparing the site. Then explore and extract minerals using safe methods. Store topsoil for later use and manage waste properly. As mining continues begin refilling and restoring the mined area step by step. Rehabilitation. Refill pits. Spread topsoil and plant local vegetation. Protect the area from erosion and monitor it regularly to help nature to recover.

4. Existing Damage

Describe what environmental damage exists in your mining claim area now, in other words, damage caused by someone else before you began working on the mining claim. Where possible, provide evidence such as photos, statements, etc.

No existing damage is observed in mining claims area

I hereby declare that the information provided in this questionnaire, is to the best of my knowledge, accurate and correct, and that I'm prepared to keep to the commitments stated therein.

Reuter
Mining Claim Holder
(Or Authorised Representative)

Khorixas
Place

15/10/2025
Date