

28 February 2026

PUBLIC CONSULTATION MEETING MINUTES:

Environmental Scoping Assessment (ESA) for the Proposed Construction and Operation of a 80m Guyed Mast Telecommunication Tower located at Otjikojo, in Kunene Region.

Date: 23 January 2026

Time: 11h00

Venue: Ombombo village

The consultation was held in Ombombo village by a Team of 3 from Excel Dynamic Solutions (Pty) Ltd (EDS) - **Please refer to the attached attendance register.**

1. INTRODUCTION AND WELCOMING REMARKS

The meeting was opened by the environmental consultant by introducing the team and stating the purpose of the consultation meeting with the parties affected by the proposed project. The meeting attendance register was circulated for the attendees to sign and add their contact details, so that they could be added to the list of interested and affected parties (I&APs) and receive further information on the ESA process.

2. MEETING AGENDA AND PRESENTATION

The agenda of the meeting included the following main points:

2.1 Brief Description of the Project

The Environmental Consultant, Ms. Nakale, explained the EIA process to the attendees and the reason for their invitation to the meeting (with reference to the Environmental Management Act (EMA) No. 7 of 2007 and its 2012 Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations on Public

Consultation). Ms. Nakale further explained the importance for the proposed project of requiring an ECC and attendee's role in the EIA process.

2.3 Presentation of Potential Project Impacts

To ensure transparency towards the public and understanding of proposed works by the attendees, the Environmental Consultant also presented the pre-identified potential positive & negative environmental and social impacts.

2.4 Public Open Discussion (Interactive Session)

Ms. Nakale provided the meeting attendees with the opportunity to raise their concerns/issues and/ or comment on the proposed project activities. The issues and comments recorded are presented in **Table 1** below.

Table 1: Comments and issues raised during the public consultation meeting, 23 January 2026

Comment/ issue No.	Commenter name & issue/comment/question	Response and name of responder:
1.	Commenter 1: Where are they going to put up the tower?	Iyaloo Nakale(IN): 600m behind the Ombombo Primary School
2.	Commenter 2: Will the coverage be broad enough to reach nearby villages?	IN: The coverage will reach the nearest villages in a radius of 3km-5km
3.	Commenter 3: Why only Ombombo village?	IN: MTC has a list of requests from villages, councilors, Traditional Authorities and so on, so it doesn't mean that because it is not your village today that it won't be tomorrow.
4.	Commenter 4: Please go to the site and assess what is there and come inform us, we will wait for you here.	IN: Noted, we can take two people from here to the site.

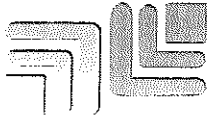
FINAL REMARKS AND CONCLUSION OF THE MEETING

Ms. Nakale thanked the attendees for their input through comments and by raising their concerns. She indicated to the attendees that all their comments, concerns and inputs had been noted down for consideration, and for addressing in the Environmental Scoping Assessment (ESA) Report, as well as incorporating their recommendations into the draft EMP.

Furthermore, Ms. Nakale informed the attendees that the draft meeting minutes, Environmental Assessment Report (EAR) and Environmental Management Plan (EMP) will be shared with them for their review and further comments. These documents will be made available through emails provided on the attendance register.

Once the review of the reporting is completed, the documents will be finalized and submitted to the Environmental Commissioner at the Department of Environmental Affairs and Forestry (DEAF) for evaluation and consideration for an ECC.

The meeting adjourned at 12h00



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Consultation Meeting Attendance Register

Environmental Scoping Assessment (ESA) for the Proposed Construction and Operation of a 60m Lattice Telecommunication Tower located near Ombombo Village, Kunene Region

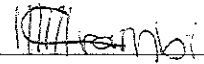

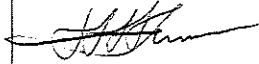

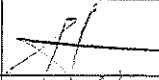
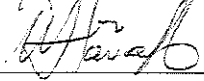
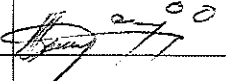
Project Meeting Schedule

Date: 23/01/2026

Time: 11:00

Venue: Ombombo village

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