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Form 1

REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA

ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT ACT (No. 7 of 2007)

(Section 32)

APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE

PART A:

DETAILS OF APPLICATION

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PART B: SCOPE OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE

1. THE ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE IS FOR:

The 'listed activities' that might be affected are listed below:

INFRASTRUCTURE

10.1 The construction of-

- *10.1 (g) Communication networks including towers, telecommunication and marine telecommunication lines and cables,*
- *(j) Masts of any material or type and of any height, including those used for telecommunication broadcasting and radio transmission, but excluding (i) flag poles and (ii) lightning conductor poles.*

2. DETAILS OF THE ACTIVITY(S) COVERED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE:

2.1 Title of Activity

Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) for the Proposed Construction and Operation of an 80m guyed Mast Telecommunication Tower located near Vaalgras village, //KharasRegion.

2.2 Location of Activity

The proposed 80 m guyed Mast tower (network) towers (-26.061391°, 18.480207°) located near Vaalgras. The locality map showing the planned site is shown in **Figure 1** of the Background Information Document (BID) attached hereto.

2.3 Nature of Activity

The nature of the proposed activity is infrastructure development, i.e., the planned construction and Operation of an 80m guyed (network) tower.

2.4 Scale and Scope of the Activity

The proposed activity will entail the construction and operational as well as maintenance works of the telecommunication tower near Vaalgras. The scale of activity is considered small-scale because the project structure (tower) is localized. The duration of the proposed construction activities is about three months. The planned activities and required resources and infrastructure are provided in the BID.

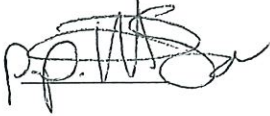
The scope of the proposed works will entail the following:

- There will be minimal earthworks to prepare the sites for the towers' construction and installation. The construction work is expected to be completed within 3 months. The structures of the towers will be mounted to a concrete foundation and will not require any supporting cables. The physical assembling of the network structure and the construction of the foundations will take place on the sites by using manual labour as far as possible.
- For safety and security reasons, the tower sites will be fenced off. This will also be done to ensure that access to the towers is limited to authorized personnel (such as maintenance team) only and to prevent vandalism of the towers and their associated accessories.
- MTC will appoint contractors to carry out the construction. This work will be carried during weekdays only and between 08h00 and 17h00. Preference for the construction works will be given to locals, i.e., contractors from the Vaalgras Village.
- The appointed construction contractors will not be housed on sites but in their homes (for the locals) and in available accommodation facilities in the near Vaalgras for out-of-town technical staff (if necessary). Therefore, no campsites related to the proposed projects (tower constructions) will be set up on sites nor their vicinities.
- The appointed contractor will be required to provide appropriate and sufficient Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) to all its employees while carrying out the construction works at the sites

Please refer to the attached BID for more details on the project description, activities, and services infrastructure requirements.

PART C: DECLARATION BY APPLICANT

I hereby certify that the particulars given above are correct and true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand the environmental clearance certificate may be suspended, amended, or cancelled if any information given above is false, misleading, wrong or incomplete.



MR. SIMEON NAMWEYA

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Signature of Applicant

Full Name in Block Letters

Position

on behalf of Mobile Telecommunication Company (MTC)

02 April 2026

Date