

# Declaration of authorship

APPLICATION NUMBER: **APP No. 007602**

Project Title:

**FINAL ENVIRONMENTAL SCOPING REPORT, ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PLAN (EMP), AND TRANSPORT EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLAN (TERP) REPORT**

**In Support of the Application for an Environmental Clearance Certificate (ECC) / Exception for the Transportation of Hazardous Chemicals Used in Petroleum (Oil and Gas) Drilling, Appraisal, and Production Well Testing Operations from Walvis Bay to Petroleum Exploration License (PEL) No. 73, Kavango Sedimentary Basin (KSB), Kavango East and West Regions, Namibia**

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I, **Dr Sindila Mwiya** (full name of Environmental Assessment Practitioner - EAP) understand and agree that the information I have furnished in this submission will be reviewed by the Office of the Environmental Commissioner (OEC). I accept that the Environmental Commissioner, will hold me accountable in terms of Section 43(1)(b) of the Environmental Management Act, Act No. 7 of 2007 for any inaccurate or misleading information knowingly provided in the following documentation.

Tick the box (es) applicable to your submission:

- Pro Forma Environmental Contract for Mining Claim(s)
- Environmental Questionnaire For Mining
- Scoping report
- Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA)
- Environmental Management Plan (EMP),
- Consent from Relevant Authority

I certify, and, acknowledge that the provision of such information will impede the lawful carrying out of the duties, responsibilities and functions of the Environmental Commissioner. I declare that the information submitted is my own work. All direct or indirect sources used are acknowledged as references.

Consultancy Name: **Risk-Based Solutions (RBS) CC**

EAP Signature: 

Date: **10 June 2026**

**NB- To be submitted jointly with Scoping Report, EIA, EMP documents to the Office of the Environmental Commissioner**