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Ms N Shongwe
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RE: ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT FOR THE PROPOSED ESTABLISHMENT OF AN INTEGRATED HUMAN SETTLEMENT (HOUSING DEVELOPMENT) IN DIRKIESDORP, MKHONDO LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, MPUMALANGA PROVINCE (DARDLEA REFERENCE: 1/3/1/16/1 G- 104 ;NEAS: MPP/EIA/0000506/2018)

Dear Ms Nelisiwe Shongwe

Your comments on the Draft Environmental Scoping Impact Assessment (DSR) dated **Wednesday, 14 November 2018** bears reference. In response to the comments you forwarded to our office on the DSR. We would like to take this opportunity of acknowledge receipt of your written comments and to provide the responses to your comments.

- Dear Ms Nelisiwe Shongwe, we are not sure which meeting you are referring to her, please kindly provide us with additional information (date, time, attendance register etc.) so we can do a follow-up or track the meeting proceedings- **Mkhondo Municipality**
- Your comment is noted and included in the comment and response form of the Final Scoping Report which will be submitted to Mpumalanga Department of Agriculture, rural development, land and Environmental Affairs (DARDLEA for decision making. (**Lidwala SA**))
- The answers regarding all comments raised during the public participation process are included in the Comment and Response Report attached as Appendix F of the Final Scoping Report (FSR). The FSR will be submitted to DARDLEA for decision making and will also be available on the Lidwala website (www.lidwala.com)

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Should you have comments on the FSR, kindly forward all your comments through to the Mpumalanga Department of Agriculture, rural development, land and Environmental Affairs (DARDLEA) for the attention of Ms Sindisiwe Mbuyane. Please see all her contact details below.

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Please include the application reference numbers in all correspondence (**DARDLEA REFERENCE: 1/3/1/16/1 G- 104; NEAS: MPP/EIA/0000506/2018**)

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you require any additional information

Yours faithfully for

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