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Dear Sir

SANRAL SIP2 PROJECTS: APPLICATION FOR AUTHORISATION

DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT 1: SUBMISSION OF DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT

NATIONAL ROAD 3 (N3): PROPOSED CAPACITY UPGRADES: EB CLOETE INTERCHANGE TO PARADISE VALLEY (INCLUDING N2 SOLOMON MAHLANGU INTERCHANGE AND SECTIONS OF N2 NORTH AND SOUTH OF EB CLOETE INTERCHANGE)

The Application for the abovementioned project, submitted to the Department of Environmental Affairs 25 September 2019, has reference. Herewith please find the Draft Basic Assessment Report, which has been made available for public and authority review and comment for the period **11 October 2018 – 9 November 2018**.

Copies of the report have also been submitted to (among others) the following authorities:

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The Draft Basic Assessment Report will be made available for public review and comment for the statutory 30-day commenting period (**11 October 2018 – 9 November 2018**) at the following public venues:

Westville Civic Centre Library	1 William Leister Drive, Westville
Chesterville Public Library	80 Mahlathi Road, Chesterville
Cato Crest Library	No. 1 Grammar Road, Mayville
Hillary Library	Hillary Centre, Stella Rd, Malvern
Malvern Library	Rose Park, CNR Coronation Rd and Knightsway Rd, Malvern

The report is also available on ACER's website: www.acerfrica.co.za under 'Current Projects'.

The proposed development also requires water use authorisation from the Department of Water and Sanitation under the provisions of a General Authorisation. These documents form part of the suite of documents available for public review.

We look forward to acknowledgement of receipt and to receiving a response from your Department on this Draft Basic Assessment Report.

Should you require additional information, please contact the undersigned on 082 922 8986 or ashleigh.mckenzie@acerfrica.co.za.

Yours sincerely,



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