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Dear Sir

## **CORRECTION NOTICE: THE PROPOSED UPGRADE OF A SECTION OF TRUNK ROAD 28, HERMANUS.**

1. The Environmental Authorisation ("EA") issued by the Department on 16 May 2023 and the subsequent electronic correspondence received from SLR Consulting (Pty) Ltd. on 17 May 2023, refer.
2. With reference to the above, the Department herewith acknowledges the error on section B, page 3 to 4 of the EA, as outlined in the electronic correspondence.
3. In order to rectify the matter, kindly note that in terms of Section 47A(1)(b) of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act no. 107 of 1998, as amended) the administrative error in the EA is corrected as follows:

- 3.1. The motivation for the applicability of Activity 12 of Listing Notice 3 of the EIA Regulations, 2014 (as amended) on page 3 under Section B: Listed activities authorised of the EA:

*"The proposed development will result in the clearance of 300m<sup>2</sup> of critically endangered and endangered vegetation."*

is replaced with:

*"The proposed development will result in the clearance of 300m<sup>2</sup> of indigenous vegetation on land that is zoned open space."*

4. Reasons for rectifying the errors:
  - a) The error is administrative in nature and the remainder of the content of the Environmental Authorisation remains the same.
  - b) The environment and the rights and interests of other parties are not likely to be adversely affected by this decision to rectify the administrative error as the impacts associated with the activity were assessed during the Environmental Impact Assessment process.

5. This Department reserves the right to revise or withdraw its comments and request further information based on any information received.

Yours faithfully

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