Appendix O

PROOF OF SIP STATUS





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To Whom It May Concern,

STRATEGIC INTEGRATED PROJECT (SIP) 20c EMBEDDED GENERATION NATIONAL PROGRAM (EGNP): CONFIRMATION OF PROJECT STATUS

The Embedded Generation National Program forms part of the Energy Strategic Integrated Project No. 20c, which was gazetted on 06 December 2022 (Government Gazette 47658) in line with the provisions of the Infrastructure Development Act (IDA) (Act No.23 of 2014). These projects are classified as Strategic Integrated Projects (SIP) and are required to be managed within the requirements as set out in the IDA.

The following project has been awarded SIP status:

i. Phefumula Emoyeni One (Pty) Ltd

This project together with any of their associated infrastructure, such as, but not limited to access roads, substations, and overhead power lines, are regarded as Strategic Integrated Projects (SIPs) to be expedited in terms of Schedule 2 (Section 17(2)) of the Infrastructure Development Act (Act No. 23 of 2014).

I hereby request that you please assist the Project Sponsor with the necessary approvals, authorisations, licences, permissions, and exemptions, as determined within the boundaries of the Infrastructure Development Act (Act No 23 of 2014) and other applicable legislation. Your assistance will be much appreciated.

For clarifications, you may contact Mr Alvino Wildschutt-Prins, Programme Manager for Project Pipeline Development at Infrastructure South Africa on <u>AlvinoW@InfrastructureSA.org</u>

We wish the Project Sponsor all the best in the development of this project.

Yours sincerely

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