

Appendix B.2

SPECIALIST DECLARATIONS





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REPORT TITLE: THE PROPOSED GROOTHOEK WIND ENERGY FACILITY NEAR VERKYKERSKOP IN FREE STATE PROVINCE

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1. SPECIALIST INFORMATION

Title of Specialist Assessment	Agricultural Assessment
Specialist Company Name	SoilZA (sole proprietor)
Specialist Name	Johann Lanz
Specialist Identity Number	6607045174089
Specialist Qualifications:	M.Sc. (Environmental Geochemistry)
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2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST

I, **Johann Lanz** declare that –

- I act as the independent specialist in this application;
- I am aware of the procedures and requirements for the assessment and minimum criteria for reporting on identified environmental themes in terms of sections 24(5)(a) and (h) and 44 of the National Environmental Management Act (NEMA), 1998, as amended, when applying for environmental authorisation which were promulgated in Government Notice No. 320 of 20 March 2020 (i.e. “the Protocols”) and in Government Notice No. 1150 of 30 October 2020.
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- All the particulars furnished by me in this form are true and correct; and
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Signature of the Specialist

SoilZA (sole proprietor)

Name of Company:

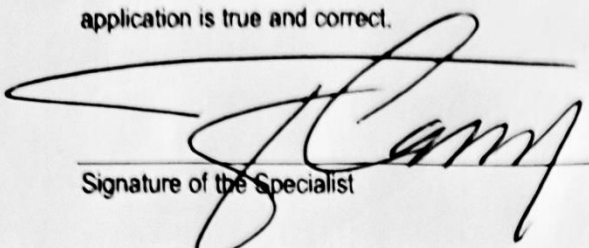
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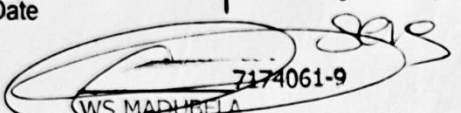
I, **Johann Lenz**, swear under oath that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.


Signature of the Specialist

SoilZA – sole proprietor

Name of Company

18 September
Date


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SWS MADUBELA
Signature of the Commissioner of Oaths

2024-09-18
Date





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1. SPECIALIST INFORMATION

Title of Specialist Assessment	Aquatic Biodiversity Assessment
Specialist Company Name	WSP Group Africa Pty Ltd.
Specialist Name	Tebogo Khoza
Specialist Identity Number	9304265232089
Specialist Qualifications:	MSc. Biodiversity & Conservation
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2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST

I, Tebogo Khoza declare that –

- I act as the independent specialist in this application;
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Signature of the Specialist

WSP Group Africa Pty Ltd.

Name of Company:

20 Sep 2024

Date

3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION

I, Tebogo Khoza, swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.



Signature of the Specialist

WSP Group Africa Pty Ltd.

Name of Company

20 Sep 2024

Date


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Signature of the Commissioner of Oaths

20 Sep 2024

Date

 20-09-2024
Jacus Grobler
Commissioner of Oaths Ex Officio
Professional Accountant (SA)

Magwa Crescent West,
Maxwell Office Park,
Midrand



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1. SPECIALIST INFORMATION

Title of Specialist Assessment	Click or tap here to enter text. Mr.
Specialist Company Name	Click or tap here to enter text. The Biodiversity Company
Specialist Name	Click or tap here to enter text. Tyron Clark
Specialist Identity Number	Click or tap here to enter text. 8701305011087
Specialist Qualifications:	Click or tap here to enter text. MSc. Zoology
Professional affiliation/registration:	Click or tap here to enter text. 121338
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Postal address:	Click or tap here to enter text. -
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Telephone	Click or tap here to enter text. -
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Signature of the Specialist

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Name of Company:

The Biodiversity Company (Subcontracted to)

Click or tap to enter a date.

Date

18 September 2024

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I, Tapo Clark, swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.

Signature of the Specialist

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Name of Company

Meralci Consulting subcontracted by The Biodiversity Company.

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Date

18 September 2024

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Signature of the Commissioner of Oaths

LEANDA LAMPRECHT
COMMISSIONER OF OATHS
MANAGER - POSTNET GONUBIE
KINGS MALL, MAIN RD, GONUBIE

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Date

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Title of Specialist Assessment	Bat Scoping Report
Specialist Company Name	Inkululeko Wildlife Services
Specialist Name	Dr Caroline Lötter
Specialist Identity Number	7911060022085
Specialist Qualifications:	PhD Zoology
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Signature of the Specialist

Inkululeko Wildlife Services

Name of Company:

2024/09/11

Date

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I, _ Dr Caroline Lötter _____, swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.



Signature of the Specialist

Inkululeko Wildlife Services

Name of Company

2024/09/11
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1. SPECIALIST INFORMATION

Title of Specialist Assessment	Geotechnical Assessment
Specialist Company Name	WSP Africa (Pty) Ltd
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Specialist Identity Number	6108610203182
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2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST

I, Heather Davis declare that –

- I act as the independent specialist in this application;
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heather.davis@wsp.com
12/September/2024

Signature of the Specialist

WSP Africa (Pty) Ltd

Name of Company:


12 Sep 2024

Date

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I, _ Heather Davis _____, swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.

 heather.davis@wsp.com
12/September/2024

Signature of the Specialist


WSP Africa (Pty) Ltd

Name of Company

12 September 2024

Date

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Tracy Skinner
Commissioner of Oaths
Ex-Officio Professional GISc Practitioner (PGP 1356)
Magwa Crescent West, Waterfall City
Midrand

12 Sep 2024

Date



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Title of Specialist Assessment	Heritage Assessment
Specialist Company Name	Beyond Heritage
Specialist Name	Lara Kraljevic
Specialist Identity Number	Click or tap here to enter text.
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2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST

LARA WICJA KRALJEVIĆ

I, Click or tap here to enter text. declare that –

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Signature of the Specialist

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Name of Company:

Click or tap to enter a date. 20 September 2024

Date

3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION

LARA LUCIJA KRALJEVIĆ
I, _ Click or tap here to enter text. _____, swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.


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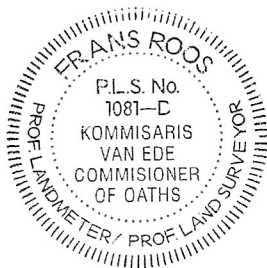
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Title of Specialist Assessment	Environmental Acoustic Impact Assessment
Specialist Company Name	WSP Group Africa (Pty) Ltd
Specialist Name	Kirsten Collett
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2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST

I, Kirsten Collett declare that –

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Signature of the Specialist

WSP Group Africa (Pty) Ltd

Name of Company:

12 Sep 2024

Date

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3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION

I, _ Kirsten Collett_____, swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.

Signature of the Specialist

WSP Group Africa (Pty) Ltd

Name of Company

12 Sep 2024

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Signature of the Commissioner of Oaths

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SCHUBA GCP, ADMA CCMA
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Midrand, 1685
South Africa

Confirmed and signed digitally on 12.09.2024

Date



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1. SPECIALIST INFORMATION

Title of Specialist Assessment	High Level Safety Health and Environmental Risk Assessment for the Battery Energy Storage System Associated with the Proposed Verkykerskop Wind Energy Facility
Specialist Company Name	ISHECONcc
Specialist Name	Debra Catherine Mitchell
Specialist Identity Number	6409240073087
Specialist Qualifications:	MSc Chem Eng, BA
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I, Debra Catherine Mitchell declare that –

- I act as the independent specialist in this application;
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Signature of the Specialist

ISHECONcc

Name of Company:

16 August 2024

Date

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3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION

I, DEBRA CATHERINE MITCHELL, swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.



Signature of the Specialist

ISHECONCO

Name of Company

16 August 2024

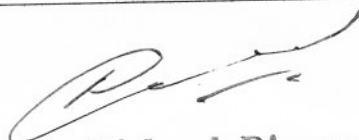
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Signature of the Commissioner of Oaths

16 August 2024

Date



Dennis Richard Diamond

COMMISSIONER OF OATHS

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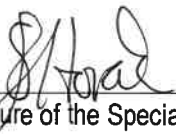
Title of Specialist Assessment	Social Impact Assessment
Specialist Company Name	WSP Group Africa (Pty) Ltd
Specialist Name	Stephen Horak
Specialist Identity Number	7005095255081
Specialist Qualifications:	MA, Environment & Society
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Signature of the Specialist

WSP Group Africa (Pty) Ltd

Name of Company:

09 Dec 2024

Date

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Signature of the Specialist

WSP Group Africa (Ltd.Pty)


Name of Company

12 September 2024

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Signature of the Commissioner of Oaths



Tracy Skinner
Commissioner of Oaths
Ex-Officio Professional GISc Practitioner (PGP 1356)
Magwa Crescent West, Waterfall City
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Date



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Title of Specialist Assessment	Transport Impact Assessment
Specialist Company Name	iWink Consulting (PTY) Ltd.
Specialist Name	Iris Wink
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iWink Consulting (PTY) Ltd.

Name of Company:

 02/08/24

Date



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I, Iris Wink, swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.

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Signature of the Specialist

iWink Consulting (PTY) Ltd.
Name of Company

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Title of Specialist Assessment	<u>VISUAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT FOR THE PROPOSED GROOTHOEK, KROMHOF, and NORMANDIEN FACILITY – Scoping Phase Reports</u>
Specialist Company Name	<u>WSP Group Africa (Pty) Ltd</u>
Specialist Name	<u>Johan Bothma</u>
Specialist Identity Number	<u>7802225132085</u>
Specialist Qualifications:	<u>BLArch, MLArch, PrLArch</u>
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I, Johan Bothma declare that –

- I act as the independent specialist in this application;
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Signature of the Specialist

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Name of Company:

20 Sep 2024

Date

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Name of Company

20 September 2024

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Title of Specialist Assessment	Terrestrial Biodiversity
Specialist Company Name	WSP Africa
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Signature of the Specialist

WSP Africa

Name of Company:

08 Jan 2025

Date

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I, _ Rudolph Greffrath_____, swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.

R. Greffrath

Signature of the Specialist

WSP Africa

Name of Company

8 Jan 2025

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Tracy Skinner 08/01/2025
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