

INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE: BASIC ASSESSMENT (BA) AND WASTE MANAGEMENT LICENCE APPLICATION FOR THE LICENCING OF THE EXISTING ROOIBERG LANDFILL SITE

Notice is hereby given in terms of Regulation 54 of the Environmental Impact Regulations published in Government Notice R543 in Government Gazette No. 33306 of 18 June 2010, under Section 24(5) of the National Environmental Management Act No. 107 of 1998, as amended, of the intent to undertake a Basic Assessment and public participation process in application for Environmental Authorisation.

Applicant: Thabazimbi Local Municipality

Location: Farm Rooiberg 604 KQ (Remaining extent), along Unnamed gravel road off Maroela Street, Rooiberg, Limpopo Province

In terms of Sections 20 of the National Environmental Management: Waste Act (No. 59 of 2008) (NEM:WA), Government Notices GN 921 of 2013 and GG 37083 of 29 November 2013 a Basic Assessment process is required to be undertaken in application for Environmental Authorisation from the competent authority (Limpopo Department of Economic Development, Environment & Tourism) for the storage of general waste in lagoons [Category A 3(1)].

Aurecon South Africa (Pty) Ltd has been appointed by Department of Environmental Affairs as the independent Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) to undertake the Basic Assessment (BA) and Waste Use Licence Application as required in terms of (NEM:WA) for the licensing of the Rooiberg landfill site on behalf of the Thabazimbi Local Municipality in Limpopo Province.

This letter serves as an invitation to register as a potential Interested & Affected Party (I&AP) as well as submit any preliminary comments on the proposed activity which should be considered as part of the BA. We request that registrations and preliminary comments be submitted to us by the 7 February 2014; however registrations and comments submitted after this date will still be captured in the BA.

For further information regarding the project and for submission of registrations and comments, please contact:

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