

Yolandi Schoeman

From: Frans Krige <franskrike@telkomsa.net>
Sent: 08 February 2016 11:18 AM
To: yolandi@baoberry.co.za; 'Johan Eksteen'
Subject: RE: Comments required on DBAR and wetland delineation

Dear Yolandi

From my assessment of the Draft Basic Assessment report the following comments and concerns.

1. The degradation of the terrestrial biodiversity elements through human impacts on the proposed site as well as the invasion of exotic plants makes the site not so sensitive. The MTPA would not object to development of this site unless it can be restored to its natural pristine state which under the current situation and locality within a build up area is not feasible.
2. The wetland delineation study with 30 meter buffer is supported.
3. The risks of building on the unstable clayey soils must be highlighted and mitigated by the developer.
4. A site development plan should be designed to avoid the no go and high risk areas.

Kind Regards
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From: yolandi@baoberry.co.za [mailto:yolandi@baoberry.co.za]
Sent: 08 February 2016 08:10 AM
To: tommie.mtpa@telkomsa.net; franskrike@telkomsa.net
Subject: Re: Comments required on DBAR and wetland delineation

Please find attached the wetland delineation study.

Regards
Yolandi

On 2016-02-08 08:08, yolandi@baoberry.co.za wrote:

- > Dear Frans
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- > I obtained your email address from Tommie (thank you Tommie).
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- > I need your comments on the wetland delineation study completed for
- > Secunda X7, Erf 3535 which is a development of approximately 1.08
- > hectares.
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- > Please find attached the DBAR, the wetland delineation study, some
- > maps and the EMPR. For more information, other documents have also
- > been published at:
- > <http://www.baoberry.co.za/Baoberry-Stakeholder-Engagement/Secunda>.
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- > Please may I have your comments / recommendations by 7 March 2016?
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- > Many thanks

> Yolandi