

Basic Assessment for the Proposed Development of four 175 MW Solar Photovoltaic Facilities and associated Infrastructure (i.e. Hoek Doornen PV 1, Hoek Doornen PV 2, Hoek Doornen PV 3, and Hoek Doornen PV 4), near Touws River, Western Cape



# APPENDIX F

Specialist  
Declarations of  
Interest

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# Appendix F: Specialist Declarations of Interest

## Declaration of Johann Lanz: Agriculture Compliance Statement



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### PROJECT TITLE

**THE PROPOSED HOEK DOORNEN 1, 2, 3 AND 4 SOLAR PV FACILITIES AND THEIR ASSOCIATED ELECTRICAL GRID INFRASTRUCTURE NEAR TOUWS RIVER, WESTERN CAPE PROVINCE**

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**1. SPECIALIST INFORMATION**

Specialist Company Name:	Johann Lanz – Soil Scientist		
B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1 to 8 or non-compliant)	4	Percentage Procurement recognition
Specialist name:	Johann Lanz		
Specialist Qualifications:	M.Sc. (Environmental Geochemistry)		
Professional affiliation/registration:	Registered Professional Natural Scientist Member of the Soil Science Society of South Africa		
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E-mail:	johann@johannlanz.co.za		

**2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST**

I, **Johann Lanz**, declare that -

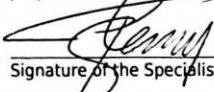
- I act as the independent specialist in this application;
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- all the particulars furnished by me in this form are true and correct; and
- I realise that a false declaration is an offence in terms of regulation 48 and is punishable in terms of section 24F of the Act.

  
Signature of the Specialist

Johann Lanz - Soil Scientist (sole proprietor)  
Name of Company:  
29/09/2020  
Date

**3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION**

I, **Johann Lanz**, 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

Johann Lanz - Soil Scientist (sole proprietor)  
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Signature of the Commissioner of Oaths

2020-09-29  
Date



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### Declaration of Bernard Oberholzer: Visual Impact Assessment



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#### 1. SPECIALIST INFORMATION

Specialist Company Name:	BOLA		
B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1 to 8 or non-compliant)	5	Percentage Procurement recognition
Specialist name:	Bernard Oberholzer		
Specialist Qualifications:	B. Arch M.L. Arch		
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#### 2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST

I, B. Oberholzer, declare that –

- I act as the independent specialist in this application;
- I will perform the work relating to the application in an objective manner, even if this results in views and findings that are not favourable to the applicant;
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- all the particulars furnished by me in this form are true and correct; and
- I realise that a false declaration is an offence in terms of regulation 48 and is punishable in terms of section 24F of the Act.

B/O  
Signature of the Specialist

BOLA  
Name of Company:

26 Oct 2020  
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3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION

I, B. Obemazer, 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

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### Declaration of Dr. Jayson Orton: Heritage Impact Assessment (Archaeology and Cultural Landscape)

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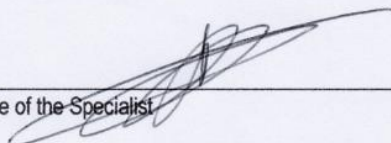
Specialist Company Name:	ASHA Consulting (Pty) Ltd		
B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1 to 8 or non-compliant)	4	Percentage Procurement recognition
			0
Specialist name:	Dr Jayson Orton		
Specialist Qualifications:	D.Phil (Archaeology, Oxford, UK) MA (Archaeology, UCT)		
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### 2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST

I, JAYSON ORTON, declare that –

- I act as the independent specialist in this application;
- I will perform the work relating to the application in an objective manner, even if this results in views and findings that are not favourable to the applicant;
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Signature of the Specialist



Name of Company:

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Date

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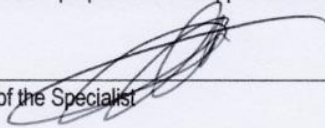
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I, JAYSON ORTON, swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.

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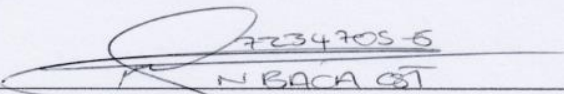
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### Declaration of Dr. John Almond Heritage Impact Assessment (Palaeontology)



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#### 1. SPECIALIST INFORMATION

Specialist Company Name:	NATURA VIVA CC		
B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1 to 8 or non-compliant)	4	Percentage Procurement recognition
			100
Specialist name:	Dr John Edward Almond		
Specialist Qualifications:	PhD (palaeontology)		
Professional affiliation/registration:	Palaeontological Society of Southern Africa, Association of Professional Heritage Practitioners (W Cape)		
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#### 2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST

I, Dr John Edward Almond, declare that –

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

Natura Viva cc

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24th Oct 2020

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**3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION**

I, **Dr John Edward Almond**, swear under oath / affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true and correct.

*J. E. Almond*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of the Specialist

NATURA VIVA CC  
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*24/10/2020*  
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### Declaration of Simon Bundy: Lead Author of Terrestrial Biodiversity and Species Impact Assessment; and Aquatic Biodiversity and Species Impact Assessment



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Specialist Company Name:	SDP Ecological & Environmental Services		
B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1 to 8 or non-compliant)	ex	Percentage Procurement recognition
Specialist name:	Simon C Bundy		
Specialist Qualifications:	BSc MSC Dip Proj Man		
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**2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST**

I, Simon C Bundy, declare that –

- I act as the independent specialist in this application;
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Specialist Company Name:	SDP Ecological & Environmental Services		
B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1 to 8 or non-compliant)	ex	Percentage Procurement recognition
Specialist name:	Simon C Bundy		
Specialist Qualifications:	BSc MSC Dip Proj Man		
Professional affiliation/registration:	SACNASP		
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Postal address:	P O Box 1016, Ballito		
Postal code:	4420	Cell:	082 446 4847
Telephone:	032-586 1218	Fax:	
E-mail:	simon@ecocoast.co.za		

**2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST**

I, Simon C Bundy, declare that –

- I act as the independent specialist in this application;
- I will perform the work relating to the application in an objective manner, even if this results in views and findings that are not favourable to the applicant;
- I declare that there are no circumstances that may compromise my objectivity in performing such work;
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- all the particulars furnished by me in this form are true and correct; and
- I realise that a false declaration is an offence in terms of regulation 48 and is punishable in terms of section 24F of the Act.

Signature of the Specialist

**S. D. Bundy**  
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### Declaration of Simon Todd: Riverine Rabbit



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#### 1. SPECIALIST INFORMATION

Specialist Company Name:	3Foxes Biodiversity Solutions		
B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1 to 8 or non-compliant)	4	Percentage Procurement recognition
			100%
Specialist name:	Simon Todd		
Specialist Qualifications:	BSc. (Zool. & Bot.), BSc Hons (Zool.), MSc (Cons. Biol.)		
Professional affiliation/registration:	SACNASP 400425/11		
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Postal code:	7975	Cell:	082 3326502
Telephone:		Fax:	
E-mail:	Simon.Todd@3foxes.co.za		

#### 2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST

I, Simon Todd, declare that –

- I act as the independent specialist in this application;
- I will perform the work relating to the application in an objective manner, even if this results in views and findings that are not favourable to the applicant;
- I declare that there are no circumstances that may compromise my objectivity in performing such work;
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Signature of the Specialist

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3Foxes Biodiversity Solutions  
Name of Company:

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17 November 2020  
Date

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**3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION**

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



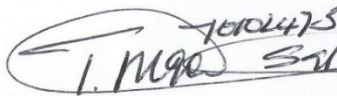
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### Declaration of Chris van Rooyen: Lead Author of Avifauna Impact Assessment



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### 1. SPECIALIST INFORMATION

Specialist Company Name:	Afrimage Photography (Pty) Ltd t/a Chris van Rooyen Consulting		
B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1 to 8 or non-compliant)	Level 4	Percentage Procurement recognition
Specialist name:	Chris van Rooyen		
Specialist Qualifications:	BA LLB		
Professional affiliation/registration:	I work under the supervision of and in association with Albert Froneman (MSc Conservation Biology) (SACNASP Zoological Science Registration number 400177/09) as stipulated by the Natural Scientific Professions Act 27 of 2003.		
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Postal code:	2055		
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E-mail:	Vanrooyen.chris@gmail.com		

### 2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST

I, Chris van Rooyen declare that –

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

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1 November 2020

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3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION

I, Chris van Rooyen, 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

Afrimage Photography t/a Chris van Rooyen Consulting  
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1 November 2020  
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### Declaration of Declaration of Sandra Hill: Socio-Economic Impact Assessment



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**THE PROPOSED HOEK DOORNEN 1, 2, 3 AND 4 SOLAR PV FACILITIES AND THEIR ASSOCIATED ELECTRICAL GRID INFRASTRUCTURE NEAR TOUWS RIVER, WESTERN CAPE PROVINCE**

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### 1. SPECIALIST INFORMATION

Specialist Company Name:	Sandra Hill – Social Scientist			
B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1 to 8 or non-compliant)	4	Percentage Procurement recognition	100%
Specialist name:	Sandra Hill			
Specialist Qualifications:	BSocSci (Honours)			
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### 2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST

I, **Sandra Hill**, declare that –

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

Sandra Hill – Social Scientist (sole proprietor)

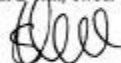
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### 3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION

I, **Sandra Hill**, swear under oath/affirm that all the information submitted or to be submitted for the purposes of this application is true & correct.



Signature of the Specialist

Sandra Hill – Social Scientist (sole proprietor)

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Date

Signature of the Constable  
  
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### Declaration of Charl Muller: Geohydrology Assessment



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Specialist Company Name:	GEOSS SOUTH AFRICA (PTY) LTD		
B-BBEE	Contribution level (indicate 1 to 8 or non-compliant)	4	Percentage Procurement recognition
			100%
Specialist name:	Charl Muller		
Specialist Qualifications:	BSc Hons (Earth Science) AND MEng (Civil Engineering)		
Professional affiliation/registration:	SACNASP Reg. no. 123456		
Physical address:	Unit 12, Technostell Building, 9 Quantum st, Techno Park, Stellenbosch		
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Postal code:	7613	Cell:	079824 6157
Telephone:	021 850 1079	Fax:	086 605 1121
E-mail:			

**2. DECLARATION BY THE SPECIALIST**

I, Charl Muller, declare that –

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Signature of the Specialist

GEOSS SOUTH AFRICA (PTY) LTD  
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**3. UNDERTAKING UNDER OATH/ AFFIRMATION**

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