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Dear Stakeholder,

**NOTICE: ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION FOR PROSPECTING IN CONCESSION AREA 10B HAS BEEN GRANTED**

**EIA Reference number: NCS30/5/1/1/2/(13062)PR**

You are hereby notified that the Department of Mineral Resources and Energy (DMRE) has granted Trans Atlantic Diamonds (The Applicant) Environmental Authorisation to prospect in Concession Area 10B (See attached). If you wish to appeal this decision, this must be done within 20 days from the date of notification (email was received on 20 February 2023), and as prescribed by Chapter 2 of the National Appeals Regulations 2014. This means that an appeal must be lodged by filling in the appeal form (Appeals questionnaire — attached) and submitting it to the following departments:

**1. Submit an appeal to the Department of Environmental Affairs:**

**Attention:** Directorate Appeals and Legal Review

**Or by Email:** [appealsdirector@environment.gov.za](mailto:appealsdirector@environment.gov.za) (Attach “Word” and “pdf”)

**Or by post:** Private Bag X 447, PRETORIA, 0001

**Or by hand:** Environmental House, Corner Steve Biko and Soutpansberg Street, Arcadia, Pretoria, 0083

**2. AND ALSO submit a copy of the appeal to the Department of Mineral Resources and Energy:**

**Attention:** Regional Manager: Northern Cape Region

**Or by facsimile:** (053) 8328 593

**Or by Email:** [Ntombi.Mayekiso@dmr.gov.za](mailto:Ntombi.Mayekiso@dmr.gov.za) (Attach “Word” and “pdf”)

**Or by post:** Private Bag X 6093, Kimberley, 8300

**Or by hand:** DMR Building, 65 Phakaamile Mabija Street, Kimberley, 8301

Attached is the appeal form that must be used and also a document that explains how to file an appeal.

**Please lodge your appeal with the above persons by no later than 17:00 on 13 March 2023.**

Kind Regards



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