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Classification:	Open		

**Dear Stakeholder, Commenting Authority and Interested and Affected Party**

**BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE PROPOSED BHUDLU ACCESS BRIDGE AND LINK ROAD,  
KWAZULU-NATAL AND EASTERN CAPE**

In line with the requirements of the National Environmental Management Act (NEMA) Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) 2014 Regulations, please note that the consultation Basic Assessment Report (cBAR) is herein provided for comment and will be circulated to the following departments/ stakeholders for comment:

- The National Department of Environmental Affairs;
- The KwaZulu-Natal Department of Economic Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs;
- eZemvelo KZN Wildlife;
- The KwaZulu-Natal Department of Transport;
- The Department of Water and Sanitation;
- The Ugu District Municipality;
- The Alfred Nzo District Municipality;
- The Mbizana Local Municipality;
- The uMuziwabantu Local Municipality;
- CoastWatch;
- The Department of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries (KwaZulu-Natal Region);
- The Department of Rural Development and Land Reform (KwaZulu-Natal Region); and
- The general public.

Please find herein your copy of the cBAR. The review and comment period afforded to the authorities/ stakeholders and Interested and Affected Parties is stipulated below.

**Comment period: 23 October 2015 to 23 November 2015.**

We trust that this compilation meets your standards and would appreciate any feedback.

Yours Sincerely,

**Novashni Sharleen Moodley**  
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