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Classification:	Open		

Dear Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs)

**NOTICE OF WASTE MANAGEMENT LICENCE: ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT (EIA)  
FOR THE CHARLIE 1 LANDFILL OPTIMISATION AND STORMWATER MANAGEMENT PROJECT,  
SASOL SYNFUELS, SECUNDA, MPUMALANGA (DEA REF: 12/9/11/L49416/6)**

The Department of Environmental Affairs (DEA) has issued a Waste Management Licence (WML) to Sasol South Africa (Pty) Ltd, in respect of the aforementioned project in terms of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No 107 of 1998) (as amended) and the National Environmental Management: Waste Act (Act No 59 of 2008), as amended. The WML was issued on **14 October 2016**.

One of the conditions contained in the WML, is that all registered Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) should be notified of the decision within fourteen (14) calendar days of the date of WML. A full copy of the WML, outlining the conditions of approval for the proposed project will be provided on request from Royal HaskoningDHV (contact details provided below) or can be accessed from Royal HaskoningDHV's website (<http://www.rhdhv.co.za/pages/services/environmental/current-projects.php>).

Your attention is drawn to Chapter 2 of the National Appeal Regulations, 2014, which prescribes the administration and processing of appeals procedure to be followed. The appeal procedure is summarised in [Annexure 1](#) of the licence and this document.

In terms of Regulation 4(1) of the National Appeal Regulations, 2014 (GN R.993), an appellant must submit the appeal to the appeal administrator, and a copy of the appeal to the applicant, any registered Interested and Affected Party (I&AP) and any Organ of State with interest in the matter within 20 days from:

- a) The date that the notification of the decision for an application for a waste management licence was sent to the registered Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) by the applicant (i.e. **18 - 21 October 2016**).

- b) The date that the notification of the decision was sent to the applicant by the competent authority, issuing authority or licencing authority, in the case of decisions other than those referred to in paragraph (a).

An appeal submission must be accompanied by:

- (i) A statement setting out the grounds of appeal;
- (ii) Supporting documentation which is referred to in the appeal submission; and
- (iii) A statement, including supporting documentation, by the appellant to confirm compliance with regulation 4(1) of the National Appeals Regulations, 2014 (GN R.993).

Appeals must be submitted in writing, in the form of the appeal questionnaire obtainable from the Appeals Directorate:

**Mr Z Hassam**  
**Director of Appeals and Legal Review**  
**Tel: 012 399 9356**  
**Email: AppealsDirectorate@environment.gov.za**

Appeals can be submitted utilising one of the following methods:

**By Email:** AppealsDirectorate@environment.gov.za

**By Post:** Private Bag X447  
Pretoria, 0001

**By Hand:** Environment House  
473 Steve Biko Road  
Arcadia  
Pretoria, 0002

For more information, please contact the undersigned.

Kind Regards,



**Prashika Reddy**  
Royal HaskoningDHV

## ANNEXURE I

### **APPEALS PROCEDURE IN TERMS OF THE NATIONAL APPEAL REGULATIONS GN 993 TO BE FOLLOWED BY THE APPLICANT AND INTERESTED AND AFFECTED PARTIES UPON RECEIPT OF NOTIFICATION OF A WASTE MANAGEMENT LICENCE**

#### **1. LODGING OF AN APPEAL**

1.1 An appellant must submit the appeal submission (the Appeal Questionnaire and Appeal and Response Form) to the appeal administrator, and a copy to the applicant, and registered interested and affected parties within twenty (20) days from:

- the date that the notification of the decision for an application for an environmental authorisation or a waste management licence was sent to the registered interested and affected parties by the applicant; or
- the date that the notification of the decision was sent to the applicant by the competent authority, issuing authority or licencing authority, in the case of decisions other than those referred to above.

1.2 An appeal submission must be submitted in writing in the form of the appeal questionnaire annexed to this guideline as "Appendix A" and accompanied by:

- a completed Appeal and Response Form setting out the grounds of the appeal,
- supporting documentation that is referred to in the appeal which did not form part of the documentation considered when the original decision was made.