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OFFICE OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSIONER

Vice President and Managing Director Dundee Precious Metal Tsumeb (Pty) Ltd P. O. Box 936 Tsumeb

Dear Sir/Madam

SUBJECT: ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE FOR THE OPERATION OF TSUMEB SMELTER, OSHIKOTO REGION

Environmental Management Plan submitted is sufficient as it made provisions of the environmental management concerning the activities. From this perspective regular environmental monitoring and evaluations on environmental performance should be conducted. Targets for improvements should be established and monitored from time to time.

This Ministry reserves the right to attach further legislative and regulatory conditions during the operational phase of the project.

On the basis of the above, this letter serves as an environmental clearance certificate for the project to proceed. However, this clearance letter does not in any way hold the Ministry of Environment and Tourism accountable for misleading information, nor any adverse effects that may arise from this project's activities. Instead, full accountability rests with Dundee Precious Metal Tsumeb (Pty) Ltd and his/her consultant.

This environmental clearance certificate is valid for a period of 3 (three) years, from the date of issue unless withdrawn by this office.

Yours sincerely,

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