

ENVIRONMENTAL NOTIFICATION: ENVIRONMENTAL LICENSING PROCESSES AND OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE

Notice is given in terms of Chapter 6 of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations, 2014 (GN R. 982) promulgated under the National Environmental Management Act (Act 107 of 1998) (NEMA), of applications for Environmental Authorisation (EA) (i.e.: Scoping and Environmental Impact Report (S&EIR)) and Waste Management Licence (WML) for the proposed new opencast mine for the Kangala Extension Project. The EIR and Environmental Management Programme Report (EMPr) will also be used in support of a Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act (MPRDA, Act No. 28 of 2002) Section 102 amendment application for amendments to the existing EMPr and Mine Works Program (MWP)

Name of Applicant: Universal Coal Development 1 (hereafter referred to as UCD1)

EIMS Reference Number: 1245

Nature of Activity: UCD1 wishes to develop a new opencast coal mining operation covering an extent of 251 hectares (ha), adjacent to the existing Universal Coal's Kangala Colliery on various portions of the Farm Strydpan 243 IR - herein referred to as the Kangala Extension Project. The proposed Kangala Extension Project is anticipated to use a standard truck and shovel mining method based on strip mining design and layout. The existing Coal Handling and Processing Plant (CHPP) at the Kangala Colliery will be utilised for the proposed Kangala Extension Project. It is expected that no new surface infrastructure such as offices, dams, stores facility, workshops, or change house will be required for the project.

Location: The project area covers portions 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 20, 22, 23 and 24 of the farm Strydpan 243 IR located approximately 7.5km south-east of the town Delmas in Victor Khanye Local Municipality, within the Nkangala District Municipality, Mpumalanga Province. The geographic coordinates at the centre of the site are approximately: 26°12'35.76" S and 28°38'43.20" E.

Registration and Comment: You are invited to register as an Interested and Affected (I&AP) on the project. Should you have any comments or concerns regarding the project, or should you require additional information, please contact EIMS telephonically, or in writing by no later than **3 September 2018** using the contact details below. Please include the project reference number (1245) in all correspondence. Furthermore, please note that only registered I&APs will be informed of any future project information and participation opportunities.

OMGEWINGS KENNISGEWING: OMGEWINGSLISENSIËRINGSPROSESSE EN 'N GELEENTHEID VIR DEELNAME

Kennis geskied hiermee ingevolge Hoofstuk 6 van die Omgewingsimpakstudie (EIA) Regulasies, 2014 (GN R. 982), uitgevaardig kragtens die Wet op Nasionale Omgewingsbestuur (Wet 107 van 1998) (NEMA), van aansoek vir Omgewingsmagtiging (EA) (dit wil

sê: Omvangsbepaling en Omgewingsimpakverslag (S&EIR)) en Afvalbestuurslisensie (WML) vir die nuwe voorgestelde oopgroef myn vir die Kangala Uitbreidingsprojek. Die EIR en die Omgewingsbestuur Program verslag (EMPr) sal gebruik word ter ondersteuning van 'n Wet op die Ontwikkeling van Minerale en Petroleumhulpbronne (MPRDA, Wet No. 28 van 2002) Artikel 102 wysiging aansoek vir wysigings aan die bestaande EMPr en Mynwerksprogram (MWP) van die Kangala Steenkoolmyn.

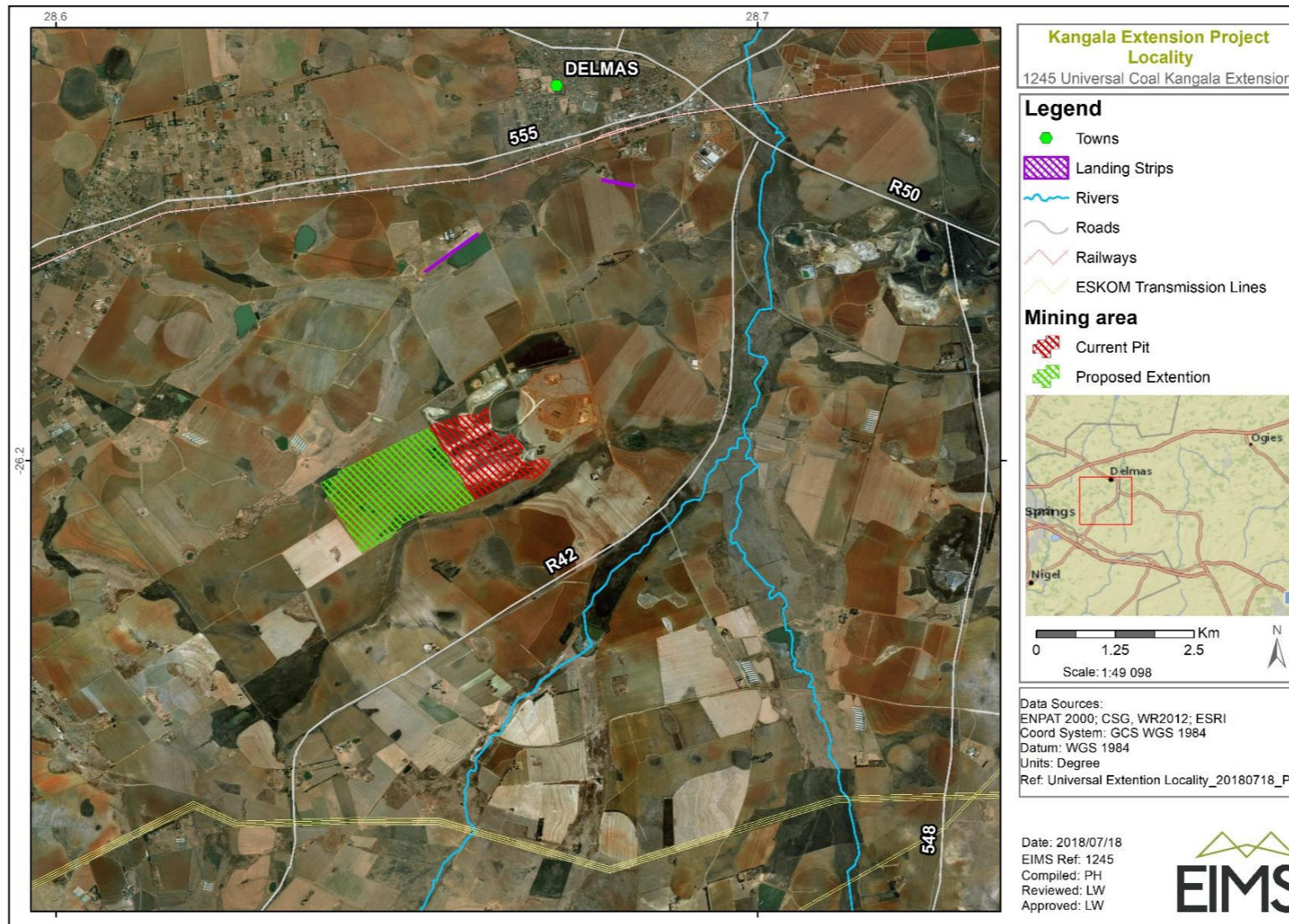
Naam van aansoeker: Universal Coal Development 1 (hierna verwys as UCD1)

EIMS Verwysingsnommer: 1245

Aard van die aktiwiteit: UCD1 wil 'n nuwe oopgroef steenkoolmynoperasie ontwikkel met 'n omvang van 251 hektaar(ha), aangrensend aan die bestaande Universal Coal se Kangala Steenkoolmyn op verskeie gedeeltes van die plaas Strydpan 243 IR. Die projek word hierin verwys as die Kangala Uitbreidingsprojek. Die voorgestelde Kangala Uitbreidingsprojek word verwag om 'n standaard vragmotor en skoffel mynbou metode te gebruik, gebaseer op strookmynontwerp en uitleg. Die bestaande Koolhanterings- en Verwerkingsaanleg (CHPP) by die Kangala Steenkoolmyn sal aangewend word vir die voorgestelde Kangala Uitbreidingsprojek. Dit word verwag dat geen nuwe oppervlak infrastruktuur soos kantore, damme, winkels, werksinkels of verkleedings fasiliteite sal nodig wees vir die projek nie.

Ligging: Die projek area dek gedeeltes 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 20, 22, 23 en 24 van die plaas Strydpan 243 IR geleë ongeveer 7.5km suidoos van die dorp Delmas in die Victor Khanye Plaaslike Munisipaliteit, in die Nkangala Distriks Munisipaliteit, Mpumalanga Provinsie. Die geografiese koördinate in die middel van die terrein is ongeveer: 26°12'35.76" S and 28°38'43.20" O.

Registrasie en Kommentaar: Sou u belangstel, word u uitgenooi om te registreer en kommentaar te lewer aangaande die projek. Indien u addisionele inligting benodig, kontak asseblief EIMS telefonies, of skriftelik teen nie later nie as **3 September 2018**, deur van die kontakbesonderhede hieronder te gebruik. Sluit asseblief die projek verwysingsnommer (1245) in alle korrespondensie in. Let ook daarop dat slegs geregistreerde I&AP's van toekomstige projek inligting en deelnemings geleentheid in kennis gestel sal word.



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