

Timbati Veldmark se entrepreneurs Saterdag aan’t skarrel

RUSTENBURG HERALD - RUSTENBURG - Die volgende "uitgawe" van die nou-reeds uiters gewilde Timbati Veldmark vind eerskomende Saterdag, 1 Julie, by die bekende markterrein op die hoek van Krokodilrivier- en Nylrivierlaan in Cashan 4 plaas.

Timbati Veldmark is 'n mark vir oud en jonk met 'n reuse verskeidenheid van nuwe of handgemaakte artikels sowel as tradisionele lekkernye soos konfyt, blatjang, pap-en-kaiings, jafels, burgers, warmbrakke, pannekoek en ja, heeltemal te veel om op te noem. Die mark is veral 'n paradys vir mense wat van tuisgemaakte of handgemaakte artikels hou en dalk op die uitkyk is na 'n geskenk vir iemand spesiaal.

Vir die jongklomp is daar gewoonlik 'n

springkasteel en/of waterglybaan, perderitte en ander vorms van vermaak terwyl die grootmense hulle kan verkneukel aan die heerlike eet- en drinkgoed, geselskap van ou of nuwe vriende. Goeie nuus by die Timbati Veldmark is dat mense se troeteldiere ook baie welkom is - mits die hondjies aan 'n halsband is asseblief. Trouens, troeteldiere is onder "diegene" wat die meeste baat vind by die Timbati Veldmark omdat die opbrengs van elke maand se veldmark uitsluitlik vir plaaslike

welsyn aangewend word. Die Rustenburgse DBV tel onder dié gelukkiges. Vir die brakkies is daar altyd 'n tafel met 'n ietsie om aan te knibbel en 'n waterbakkie of twee vir as die sonnetjie 'n bietjie warm word en die dag te lank raak.

Ander artikels by die Timbati Veldmark sluit in juweliersware, klerasie, skoene, speelgoed vir die kleingoed en selfs plakkers.

Die mark is bekend vir sy stalletjies met tuisgemaakte lekkernye met 'n indrukwekkende, uiteenlopende spyskaart maar bowenal natuurlik, die geselskap van Rustenburgers wat u dalk lanklaas gesien het. Die Timbati is natuurlik ook die plek om aan te klop as jy dalk self 'n entrepreneur is wie se hande vir niks verkeerd staan nie. Mense wat belangstel om self 'n stalletjie by die mark te beman, word genooi om met Valerie King by 079 215 6815 in verbinding te tree. Onthou almal is baie welkom - die Timbati Veldmark begin om 09:00 en duur tot om 14:00.



Sarie Viljoen en Anton Zandberg van Pretoria - gereelde uitstallers by die Timbati Veldmark en bekend vir die groot verskeidenheid artikels wat hulle met 'n 3D-drukker uit letterlik niks maak. Anton wys hier 'n pragtige skaalmodel van 'n Honda Shadow wat geheel en al op 'n 3D-drukker gemaak is. Anton vertel dat dit hom sowat 400 uur geneem het om dié pragtige model te maak. As jy gelukkig is, sal dié pragtiets dalk eerskomende naweek nog onder Anton se artikels by die mark wees - kom loer gerus in by Timbati Veldmark op die hoek van Krokodil- en Nylrivierlaan in Cashan 4. Die mark begin om 09:00.

Rustenburg Leeskring

RUSTENBURG HERALD - RUSTENBURG - Rustenburg Leeskring was onlangs gasheer vir 'n besondere Boeke-kuier by Chestnutlaan 3, Proteapark.

Tydens die geleentheid het Tom Dreyer uit sy bundels "Nou in Infrarooi" en "Kodachrome" voorgelees. Sandy Schoeman het meer vertel oor haar debuut "Rooi letterkind" en Tosca de Villiers het die gehoor ingelig oor die uiteenlopende skryfwerk wat sy doen: romantiese fiksie, tydskrifartikels en krimi's.

Die gehoor het spreekwoordelik aan die skrywers/sprekers se lippe gehang en

agterna toue gestaan om boeke aan te koop. Boeke van die skrywers is goedgunstiglik deur Gina Walters van Bargain Books saamgebring. Lena het haar bygestaan met die verkope.

Na die boeke-gesels is verversings bedien en verder gekuier. Al 24 teenwoordiges is dit eens dat dit 'n baie aangename en verrykende middag was.



Tom Dreyer, Stefaans Coetzee en voor Micky Badenhorst, Tosca de Villiers, Gina Walters en Sandy Schoeman.

KITSISO: THULAGANYO YA GO DIRA YA TETLA YA GO DIRA TIRO E E KA AMANG TIKOLOGO.

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Sibanye-Stillwater's Western Platinum (Pty) Ltd (WPL) (mo lekwalong le, e bidiwa gore ke Mokopi) e tihomile EcoPartners (Pty) Ltd gore e eme jaka Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) go eteletsapele tsamaiso e etlhokegang ya tetla. Environmental Impact Management Services (Pty) Ltd (EIMS) e tlhopilwe gore e kopanye le go tlhagisa ditokomane tse tlhokagalang go tshegetsa kopo e neetsweng le go eteletsapele kgang ya go nna le seabe ga kopo ya setshaba mo tirong yohle ya kwa tlase.

Modirakopo: Sibanye-Stillwater - Western Platinum (Pty) Ltd

Di/Kopo:

- Waste Management Licence (WML) tumelanong le ditlhokego tsa Environmental Management: Waste Act- NEM:WA (Act 59 of 2008) e tla romelwang go Molaodi yo kakamegang Department of Mineral Resource & Energy (DMRE) Bokone-Bophirima, mo ditiro e kwa tlase:
 - GNR921 Category B, Activity 11.

Ditiro dingwe tse amegang ditla itsisiwa fa tiro entse etswelela.

Lefelo: Projeke ee taleditsweng e mo lefelong le le leng sekgaleng se kang 20km bothlabatsatsing ba Rustenburg mme gape 6km bopirima ba Marikana, tikologong ya MMasepala wa North-West. Lefelo totatota ke 25°40'53.97"S, 27°27'8.01"E.

Mokopi o tsentse kopo ya gobolediwa ga Karee Tailings Deposit 1 (KTD1) e eleng go Western Platinum (Pty) Ltd (DRME Ref: NW/30/5/1/2/3/2/2/106 EM).

Ka go ikwadisa o le motho yo o nang le kgalthe go mo go seno e bile se go ama o dumela gore go tsewe le go rulaganya tshedimosetso ya gago ya botho go ya ka Kitsiso ya Poraefete ya EIMS e e gone go www.eims.co.za/public-participation. Go tila go fetwa ke ditshono tsa go tsaya karolo ga bathobotlhe tsweetswee tsenya diikwaditso tsa I&AP, dipotso dipe, dikakgelo, kgotsa matshwenyego mabapi le kopo eno (**mo matšatšing a 30 a phatlalatšo ya tsebišo ye**) go EIMS go:

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Tswetswe, akareletsa nomoro ya projeke 1578 mo lekwalong.

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NOTIFICATION: ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION APPLICATION PROCESS.

In accordance with the requirements of Chapter 6 of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations (Government Notice R982 as amended, promulgated under the National Environmental Management Act 107 of 1998-NEMA) and Sections 17, 18 and 19 of the WULA and Appeals Regulations (GNR267 of 2017), promulgated under the National Water Act – NWA (Act 36 of 1998), notice is herewith given of an application/s which will be subjected to a public participation process.

Sibanye-Stillwater's Western Platinum (Pty) Ltd (WPL) (hereafter referred to as the applicant) has appointed EcoPartners (Pty) Ltd as the Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) for the undertaking of the required authorisation processes. Environmental Impact Management Services (Pty) Ltd (EIMS) has been appointed to compile and submit the required documentation and to undertake the associated statutory public participation processes.

Applicant:	Sibanye-Stillwater's Western Platinum (Pty) Ltd (WPL)
Application/s:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Environmental Authorisation (EA) in accordance with the National Environmental Management Act – NEMA (Act 107 of 1998) to be submitted to the Regional Manager of the North West region of the Department of Mineral Resources & Energy (DMRE) for the following listed activities:<ul style="list-style-type: none">GNR983 Listing Notice 1, Activities 10, 12, 19, 34, and 46.GNR985 Listing Notice 3, Activities 12, 14 and 23.Water Use Licence (WUL) in accordance with the National Water Act – NWA (Act 36 of 1998) to be submitted to the Department of Water and Sanitation for the following listed activities:<ul style="list-style-type: none">Section 21 (c), (f) and (g). Additional listed activities and/or water uses may be identified during the process.
Location:	The project is located approximately 15km east of Rustenburg and approximately 6km west of Marikana within the Rustenburg Local Municipality in the North-West province.

The applicant is applying for the retrofitting of the existing Western Limb Treatment Plant (WLTR) which is on Sibanye-Stillwater's Western Platinum (Pty) Ltd (WPL) whose Life of Mine (LOM) is expected to be complete near the close of 2025. The project aims to extend the LOM by processing new feed sources. The project will also involve the construction of new infrastructure such as expansion to its existing bulk chemicals, a new loading bay, chrome stockpile, pipelines, a booster pump station, a hydro mining/repulping plant, a workshop, offices, powerlines, and associated service roads. Linear infrastructure will cross the mining right boundaries of SRPM (DMRE Ref: NW 30/5/1/2/2/82 MR) and Western Platinum Limited mining operations (DMRE Ref: NW/30/5/1/2/3/2/2/106 EM). The following infrastructure is proposed:

- Above ground tailings pipelines (Steel HDPE Lined).
- Above ground return water pipelines (HDPE).
- Hydro mining/repulping plant.
- A new booster pumpstation.
- A new loading bay and chrome stockpile area.
- Roads.
- Powerlines.
- Bulk chemicals.
- Offices and a workshop.

By registering as an interested and affected party you consent to the collection and processing of your personal information as per the EIMS Privacy Notice available at www.eims.co.za/public-participation. Should you have any trouble accessing this link, please contact EIMS. In order to avoid missing out on opportunities for public participation please submit I&AP registrations, or any queries, comments, or concerns with regards to this application **within 30 days of publication of this notice to EIMS at:**
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RUSTENBURG HERALD - RUSTENBURG - Shib, die Nederlandse groep, is weer in Suid-Afrika om die Christ Crisis Centre in Swartruggens verder te ontwikkel en te bou.

Die Christ Crisis Centre is ‘n veilige hawe vir mishandelde vrouens en kinders en kan 100 slagoffers inneem.

Die volgende fase in die bouwerk sal op 24 Julie begin en die groep studente sal tot middel Augustus hier wees om met die

bouwerk aan te gaan. Die burgemeester van Kgetleng ondersteun hierdie projek en sal ook teenwoordig wees om die volgende fase te open. Enigiemand wat betrokke wil raak, kan vir pastoor Venesa by 071 841 4656 skakel.

Angels Reach Foundation: Empowering and Transforming

RUSTENBURG HERALD - RUSTENBURG - Angels Reach Foundation, a remarkable non-profit organization founded by four passionate and driven young ladies during their teenage years, continues to make a significant impact on the lives of youth in various communities.

These inspiring young women, currently pursuing diverse fields of study at different institutions of higher learning, established the foundation with the noble mission of motivating, encouraging, teaching, and coaching young people across schools, communities, churches, hospices, old age homes, and vulnerable child-headed families, with a particular focus on abused and neglected children.

Driven by a burning desire to uplift and empower those in need, Angels Reach Foundation has set its sights on a new crusade, this time aimed at teaching teenage boys in a local high school how to become responsible young men. Recognizing the importance of addressing critical issues that affect young men's lives, the foundation's workshops will cover a range of topics, including men's mental health, their influence in teenage pregnancy, the significance of genital health, gender-based

violence, and the physical and emotional changes experienced during adolescence.

While the foundation remains dedicated to their mission of making a difference, they rely on the support of kind-hearted individuals and companies to sustain their efforts. With a heartfelt appeal to good Samaritans and organizations, Angels Reach Foundation seeks donations to help them realize their dreams of assisting the needy and underserved, enabling individuals to recognize their value in life.

The Angels Reach Foundation's crusade at Batleng High School on 22 July promises to be a catalyst for change, aiming to inspire and guide teenage boys towards a path of responsible adulthood. By addressing sensitive issues, providing education, and fostering mentorship, the foundation hopes to create a brighter future for these young men, where they can develop into influential forces within their communities.

Saterdag markdag onder die “boere”

RUSTENBURG HERALD - RUSTENBURG - Rustenburgers word herinner aan die Rustenburg Boeremark wat eerskomende naweek, Saterdag, 1 Julie, by die voormalige Rustenburgse skougronde aangebied word.

Die Rustenburg Boeremark is ongeveer 'n jaar oud en is 'n heerlike geleentheid vir almal wat van tuisgemaakte produkte en artikels hou. Besoekers kan kus en keur tussen allerlei stalletjies wat letterlik alles van vars groente, gebottelde lekkernye soos konfyt, blatjang, ingemaakte kos en slaaie, biltong, vleishappies, en 'n wye verskeidenheid handgemaakte artikels van klere, houtspeelgoed en -artikels tot gebreide babaspeelgoed aanbied.

En dan is daar natuurlik ook wegneemhappies soos hamburgers, warmbrakke en ag, te veel om op te noem. Maak tog seker dat daar 'n goeie klompie kontant in die beursie is - jy sal nooit weet watter verrassings daar vir die besoeker by dié mark is nie.

Vir mense wat graag meer te hore wil kom van die wêreld van boerdery, is daar geleentheid om skouers te skuur met 'n klompie dorpertelers en-kenners en as

jy dalk liewers 'n klein lappie mielies wil plant, is die mark ook die plek om aan te klop en met boeremense skouers te skuur.

Die Boeremark is 'n heerlike geleentheid om sommer net op 'n Saterdagoggend in te loer om 'n luilekker-naweek in te lui. Dit is hoogs onwaarskynlik dat u nie ou kennisse of selfs goeie vriende hier sal raakloop nie. Natuurlik is hier ook 'n stalletjie waar vriende 'n koppie boeretroos kan geniet.

Die Rustenburg Boeremark begin om 09:00 en duur tot om 15:00.

Tuisskeppers en -produsente wat 'n ietsie het wat hulle graag by 'n mark sal wil aanbied, is welkom om 'n stalletjie te neem teen slegs R100. Stalletjies kan bespreek word by farmers.tracy.ad@gmail.com of daar kan by 072 580 1076 of 078 397 1397 navraag gedoen word. Onthou - toegang is gratis en daar is volop veilige parkering met sekuriteit. Sien julle by die Boeremark!

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Modirakopo: Sibanye-Stillwater’s Western Platinum (Pty) Ltd (WPL)

Di/Kopo:

- Environmental Authorisation (EA) mo tumelanong le National Environmental Management Act - NEMA (Act 107 of 1998) gore e romelwe go Regional Manager of the North-West regional Department of Mineral Resources & Energy (DMRE) mo dilong tse kwa tlase:
 - o GNR983 Listing Notice 1, Activities 10, 12, 19, 34 le 46.
 - o GNR985 Listing Notice 3, Activities 12, 14 le 23.
- Water Use Licence (WUL) mo tumelanong le National Water Act- NWA (Act 36 ya 1998) e lokela romelwa go lefapha la Metsi le Boitekanelo go dumelana le tiro e kwa tlase:
 - o Section 21 (c), (i) le (g).

Ditiro dingwe tse amegang ditla itisiwa fa tiro entse etswelela.

Lefelo:Projekte e e taleditsweng e mo lefelong le le leng 15km Botlhabatsatsing ba Rustenburg mme gape 6km Bophirima ba Marikana, tikologong ya masepala wa Rustenburg, Bokone-Bophirima.

Mokopi o tsenya kopo ya gotokafatsa ga Western Limb Treatment Plant (WLTR) e e kwa Sibany-Stillwater’s Western Platinum (Pty) Ltd (WPL) e leng Life of Mine (LOM) projeke e libile go fela mo bokhutlong ba jara ya 2025. Maikaelelo a projeke ke go eketsa LOM ka go dirisa motswedi omontsha. Projeke etla akareletshe go aga kago entsha etla okeletsa kago eleng teng ya go boloka dikhemikale, kago ya lefelo la go pega dithoto le lecha, chrome stockpile, diphaipe, le seteishene sa pompo e e matlafatsang, plante ya meepo ya metsi/go kgweetsa, kokoano, diofisi, mela ya motlakase le ditsela tsa tirelo. Mefaratlatsha e tlhamaletseng etla kgaoganya mehlwane ya meepo ya SRPM (DMRE Ref: NW 30/5/1/2/2/ 82 MR) le Western Platinum Limited mining operations (DMRE Ref: NW/30/5/1/2/3/2/2/106 EM).

Tiro e akareleditsweng:

- Diphaipe tse tsa tsamayang kwa godimo ga lefatše (Steel HDPE lined).
- Diphaipe tse metsi kwa goimo go lefatše (HDPE).
- Meepo ya metsi/go kgweetsa.
- Pompo e e matlafatsang.

- Kokoano le diofisi.
- Lefelo la go pega dithoto le chrome stockpile.
- Ditsela tsa tirelo.
- Mela ya motlakasa.
- Polokelo ya dikhemikale.

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Applicant:Sibanye-Stillwater’s Western Platinum (Pty) Ltd

Application/s:

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 - o GNR921 Category B, Activity 11.

Additional listed activities may be identified during the process.

Location:The proposed project is located approximately 20km east of Rustenburg and approximately 6km west of Marikana within the Rustenburg Local Municipality in the North-West province. The centre point of the site is 25°40’53.97”S, 27°27’8.01”E.

The applicant is applying for the reclamation of the Karee Tailings Deposit 1 (KTD1) which is on Western Platinum (Pty) Ltd (DMRE Ref: NW/30/5/1/2/3/2/2/106 EM).

By registering as an interested and affected party you consent to the collection and processing of your personal information as per the EIMS Privacy Notice available at www.eims.co.za/public-participation. Should you have any trouble accessing this link, please contact EIMS. In order to avoid missing out on opportunities for public participation please submit I&AP registrations, or any queries, comments, or concerns with regards to this application **within 30 days of publication of this notice** to EIMS at:

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Karatekas receive a warm welcome



By Thato Motau

MAHIKENG MAIL-MAHIKENG: Mmabana Arts, Culture, Sports Foundation (MACSF) Karatekas who participated in the Inagural International Indo Pacific Tournament held in Mauritius last month received a warm welcome at Mmabana Gymnasium on October 6.

Among the guests were Interim CEO Sipho Nkese, Dr Tumelo Mufhandu, Kgosi Shole, Kgosi Kopano Lekoko with Sensei Dr Badu Mothusi was the Keynote speaker.

“It always seems impossible until it is done,” said Sensei Dr Mothusi who is one of the founders of Karate in the North West Province, quoting Nelson Mandela.

“Thank you for your will and determination that you have displayed, your effort is appreciated. We started to compete internationally in 1986. We travelled to Zambia for the first time and any more countries followed afterwards (Zimbabwe, Germany, France, Italy and many more). I urge you to develop a karate outreach programme, where we are able to train karatekas outside Mmabana. I am available to assist training kids and also urge all the ex-students to volunteer their services,” He added.

Nkese, welcomed all the participants and parents who attended the event. “Welcome back. We appreciate your effort and support.

One of the parents who accompanied the Karatekas to Mauritius Dr Hazel Tumelo Mufhandu said, “I was the only parent who accompanied the kids. It dawned on me that it can only be God, as I was there to support Sensei Kgomotso Motshabi. We need more parents’ representatives who can also travel with the children in future. We travelled very well despite the challenges that we experienced”

Sensei Kgomotso said “It was not easy taking the graduates to Mauritius to represent the country. The Mmabana Foundation Karatekas flew our South African flag very high even though it was really tough and we reached top eight.

“I was taught by Sensei Badu Mothusi, he shaped me to who I am now. We travelled the world and now I am a licenced karate teacher. We appreciate the support that parents give us, they make things easier. In 2024 we are going to Japan and in 2026 we are back to Indo Pacific Games. We need all the support from Parents, the Department of Arts, Culture, Sports and Recreation and Mmabana Arts, Culture, Sports Foundation”.

“Karate is a form of martial arts and was founded by Gichin Funakoshi which is known as Shotokan Karate-do. The principles of karate are Discipline, be respectful, there is no first attack in karate, Karate stands on the side of justice, first know yourself then others, mentality over technique,” said Sensei Benji Phuti who is also one of the former students of Sensei Mothusi

In closing Kgosi Kopano Lekoko “Mmabana must grow in to the best institution. It has produced a lot of great people within all sporting codes in the past. We want those outreach programme materialise and reach the rural areas of our province.”

“Mmabana is rising from the ashes. We are jealous of what we used to have, our buildings as the province are deteriorating at a fast pace. We urge the province to do better,” said Kgosi Lekoko

The elderly recognised at charity show -SAPA YOPA

MAHIKENG MAIL-MAHIENG: The capital city of the North West was abuzz with excitement and celebration recently when the Limpopo-based popular SAPA YOPA bikers group in partnership with Mahikeng Local Municipality successfully hosted the biggest charity event in Mahikeng aimed to empower and boost the local province’s economy through charity and entertainment.

Thousands of Bikes across various countries across the continent and mostly from South Africa converged in Mahikeng for the two-day one-stop show charity event’ at the Mmabatho Botanical Gardens.

As promised, the Charity event kicked started with sporting activities that included 5km run and fun walk, aerobics, Tennis tournament and cycling. This will be followed by making donations to identified families, schools and old homes where they will receive food parcels, sanitary towels and sanitary packages. Signal Hill Old age home became the beneficiary of the delivery scooter to one of the old age homes to delivery medication for the elderly citizens.

The event also concluded its charity with a line-up concert of South Africa’s well known popular artists joined the event on the entertainment side with Khuli Chana, Dj Tira, Kwesta, Phawe Twing, tag team, Chormza, Warona, Flexin and many more leading the line-up of entertainers. Sapa Yopa, the renowned motorcycle club headquartered in Polokwane, Limpopo Province, has taken a bold leap beyond its roots to expand into Mafikeng, North West Province, under the visionary leadership of Pico Santana.

This expansion, marked by a unique approach, has combined the thrill of biking with a strong emphasis on sports development, creating an event that captured the hearts and minds of all who attended.

Martin Pico Antonio thanked the great support from the Bikers, Mahikeng Local Municipality and community members who supported the North West Sapa Yopa Tour and Charity which is scheduled to come in 2024.



Signal Hill Old Age home receiving a scooter from North West Sapa Yopa.



Edwin Mokenke excitedly celebrating his brand new wheelchair.

Dreaming to feature on all radio stations



MAHIKENG MAIL-MAHIKENG: A canary voice from the tunes of Oaratwa Monye is on the rise from an upcoming solo recording gospel artist and a songwriter born in the Free State province in Bloemfontein who is currently based in Mahikeng.

Oaratwa Monye’s music ministry started in church as a lead singer as well as in the school choir at a very young age and later travelled across South Africa to grow her music passion and diversity alongside Apostle Enock Ramfate who is a founder of El-Bethel Terbanacle.

This enabled her to take on the world by releasing her first solo project titled, ‘U fanelwe’ meaning ‘You are worthy’ which is due for release on October 15 under the prominent musician in the country known as Amahubo who is also her manager.

“This is my first solo project that I have being working on with my manager, Amahubo. “U fanelwe” was a suitable name for this single because I had to find my calling which was signing and praising the Lord. “U fanelwe” you can also say reflects on us as we believe in ‘God is worth’ which can be only done through singing, praising and healing many people with the word of God”.

She has performed at corporate, gospel and non-gospel events alongside the likes of Dr Sipho Ngwenya, Keke, William Sejake, Innocentia Sibi, Diamara and many more.

Oaratwa Monye’s dream is to have her music played in many radio stations in South Africa and across various boards.

She also mentioned that she will be part of the upcoming Ultimate Gospel Festival that will be held at the Klerksdorp Auditorium (Civic Centre) on October 21.

NOTIFICATION: ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION APPLICATION PROCESS.

In accordance with the requirements of Chapter 6 of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations (Government Notice R982 as amended, promulgated under the National Environmental Management Act 107 of 1998-NEMA), promulgated under the National Water Act – NWA (Act 36 of 1998), notice is herewith given of an application/s which will be subjected to a public participation process.

Sibany-Stillwater’s Western Platinum (Pty) Ltd (WPL) (hereafter referred to as the applicant) has appointed EcoPartners (Pty) Ltd as the Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) for the undertaking of the required authorisation processes. Environmental Impact Management Services (Pty) Ltd (EIMS) has been appointed to compile and submit the required documentation and to undertake the associated statutory public participation processes.

Applicant: Sibanye-Stillwater - Western Platinum (Pty) Ltd

Application/s: • Waste Management Licence (WML) in accordance with the requirements of the National Environmental Management: Waste Act- NEM:WA (Act 59 of 2008) to be submitted to the Regional Manager of the North West region of the Department of Mineral Resources & Energy (DMRE) for the following listed activity:

o GNR921 Category B, Activity 11.

Additional listed activities may be identified during the process.

Location: The proposed project is located approximately 20km east of Rustenburg and approximately 6km west of Marikana within the Rustenburg Local Municipality in the North-West province. The centre point of the site is 25°40'53.97"S, 27°27'8.01"E.

The applicant is applying for the reclamation of the Karee Tailings Deposit 1 (KTD1) which is on Western Platinum (Pty) Ltd (DMRE Ref: NW/30/5/1/2/3/2/2/106 EM).

By registering as an interested and affected party you consent to the collection and processing of your personal information as per the EIMS Privacy Notice available at www.eims.co.za/public-participation. Should you have any trouble accessing this link, please contact EIMS. In order to avoid missing out on opportunities for public participation please submit I&AP registrations, or any queries, comments, or concerns with regards to this application **within 30 days of publication of this notice** to EIMS at:

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