



5 ESCAPED FROM ROOIGROND CORRECTIONAL CENTRE

Rooigrond – The Department of Correctional Services and the police have launched a manhunt following five (5) inmates escaping from the Rooigrond Correctional Centre in Mahikeng, on Wednesday, 9 May. Since then, the authorities have managed to re-arrest one of the suspects.

SOUTH AFRICAN ARMY HORSES NEGLECTED – YET AGAIN

North West – Inspectors from the National Council of SPCAs (NSPCA) were horrified to discover that horses in the care of the South African Army Special Infantry Capability (SAASIC) unit of the South African National Defence Force (SANDF) were starving to death. A total of 25 horses on the army base were in such an emaciated condition or compromised state of health that to prevent their further suffering they had to be destroyed. In 2013, the SANDF and NSPCA entered into a Memorandum of Understanding which was formally signed in May 2016 but the SANDF have continually reneged on the agreement, particularly the SAASIC Unit, with regards to their responsibilities to adequately care for the animals in their control. Their failure to secure suitably qualified personnel or adequate facilities, combined with a non-empathetic infrastructure that has repeatedly failed the animals in their care, has resulted in a complete breakdown in the

welfare conditions afforded to the horses. The main herd had no food, the horses had no other option but to eat soil and their own faeces. Food was only provided to the horses after the NSPCA forced the SAASIC unit into taking emergency action to secure adequate feed for the animals due to process restrictions. Further investigations revealed that prior to this inspection the Military Veterinary Institute (MVI) had already had to step in and euthanase starving horses and treat others as a result of ongoing neglect. A further 169 horses are currently being kept on the Potchefstroom property in the North West Province which is overstocked, has inadequate shelter and is a hazardous environment for these animals. The NSPCA will be laying criminal charges against the persons responsible for the suffering of these horses.

NSPCA press release, 7 May



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LEKWALOKOPO LA THEBOLELO YA GO DIRA MO TIKOLOGONG GO OKETSA KHONBEYARA E E LENG TENG YA SHAFOTE YA STYLDRIFT NO. 1 GORE E FITLHE KWA MOEPONG WA POLATINAMO WA MASEVE , O O MO MMASEPALENG WA SELEGAE WA RUSTENBURG, MO POROFENSENG YA BOKONE BOPHIRIMA

TALETSO YA GO IKWADISA LE GO TSAYA KAROLO

Royal Bafokeng Resources (Pty) Limited le Rustenburg Platinum Mines Limited (tse go lebisitsweng go tsone fano jaaka Bafokeng Rasimone Platinum Mine Joint Venture (BRPM JV)) di naya kitsiso fano go ya ka Molao wa Bosetšhaba wa Taolo ya Tikologo (National Environmental Management Act) (NEMA, Molao 107 wa 1998) (NEMA) ka boikaelelo jwa tsone jwa go atolosa khonbeyara e e eleng teng ya Shafote ya Styldrift No. 1 gore e fitlhe kwa polanteng ya khonsentereithara ya Moepo wa Polatinamo wa Maseve. Khonbeyara e tla tsamaya sekgala sa 1.7 km mo lefelong la dimitara tse 30 le e letleletsweng go feta mo go lone. Khonbeyara eno e tla golagana le khonbeyara e e leng teng e be e tsamaela kwa bophirima go isa manya a polatinamo kwa polanteng ya khonsentereithara ya Moepo wa Polatinamo wa Maseve go ya go phepafadiwa. Thebolelo ya go Dira mo Tikologong e ya tlhokega malebana le tsamaiso ya khonbeyara go ya ka NEMA..

MOKOPI: Bafokeng Rasimone Platinum Mine Joint Venture (BRPM JV)

LEFELO: Porojeke e e kopelwang eno e tla dirwa mo Mmasepaleng wa Selegae wa Rustenburg wa Mmasepala wa Kgaolo ya Bojanala. Saete e e kopelwang le tiro e sele ya go tsaya karolo mo lekwalkopong e tla ama dipolasi tse di latelang le dikarolo tsa dipolasi dingwe:

Polasi	Karolo	Ditiro tse di Buelelwang
Styldrift 90 JQ	E e sa Aroganng-wang	Tsamaiso ya Khonbeyara le dikago tse di tsamaisanang le yone
Elandsfontein 102 JQ	Karolo 2	
Frischgewaagd 96 JQ	Karolo 15	

TIRO YA THEBOLELO YA GO DIRA MO TIKOLOGONG

SRK Consulting South Africa (Pty) Ltd (SRK) e tlhomilwe jaaka Mosekaseki wa Tikologo (Environmental Assessment Practitioner[EAP]) yo o ikemetseng a le nosi go dira Tshekatsheko ya Kamego ya Tikologo (Environmental Assessment Practitioner [EAP]) malebana le porojeke e e kopelwang. Go tla dirwa Tiro ya Tshekatsheko ya Motheo (Basic Assessment) gape go tla dirwa Thulaganyo ya Taolo ya Tikologo (Environmental Management Programme[EMPr]) e le ya porojeke eno. Tshekatsheko ya Motheo e tla akaretša Pego ya Tshekatsheko ya Motheo (Basic Assessment Report[BAR]) e go tla rulaganngwang gore e nne teng mo nakong ya malatsi a le 30 gore morafe o tshwaele ka yone pele ga e nwa bolaodi jo nang le bokgoni (ba, malebana le seno, e leng Lefapha la Ditswammung (Department of Mineral Resources[DMR])). Ditiro tse di latelang tse di kwadilweng go ya ka Melawana ya EIA (EIA Regulations(2014)), e e baakantsweng di tla simololwa:

Kitsiso ya Kwadiso	Ditiro
Kitsiso ya Kwadiso 1 GN R. 983	28. Dikago tsa matlo, tse di tlhakaneng, tsa mabentlele, tsa kgebo kgotsa madirelo fa lefatsheng le e neng e le la temothuo, la eruo la diphologolo, la dipitse kgotsa temo ya ditlhare mo kgotsa morago ga (ii) di tla agiwa ka kwantle ga lefelo la setoropo, fa karolo yotlhe le e e tshwanetseng go tlhabololwa e fetang hekethara e le 1Go sa akarediwe fa lefatshhe leo le setseng le baakanyeditswe go aga matlo, dikago tse di tlhakaneng, tsa mabentlele, tsa kgwebo, tsa madirelo kgotsa tsa ditheo.
Kitsiso ya Kwadiso 1 GN R. 985	4. Go dirwa ga tsela e e sephara sa dimitara di le 4 go sadisitswe sebaka a dimitara di le 13:5. 12.Go phepafadiwa ga lefelo la sekwere sa dimitara tse 300 kgotsa go feta la ditlhare tsa tlhago ntle le fa go kgaolwa ga ditlhare tseo tsa tlhago go tlhokegang gore le tlhokomelwe go ya ka togomaano ya tlhokomelo.

PHUTHEGO YA BOTLHE:

Banaleseabe ba lalediwa go kwadisa jaaka Batho ba ba Nang le Kgatlhego le ba ba Amegang (Interested and Affected Parties) le go tsaya karolo mo tirong ya thebolelo ya go dira mo tikologong ka go lemotsha mathata a ba tshwenyeng ka one le dikakantsho tsa bone gore di akanyediwe ka tsone ka nako ya dipatlisiso tsa botegeniki. Banaleseabe ba lalediwa gape go nna teng mo phuthengong ya botlhe ka kgwedi ya Motsheganong e le 17, 2018. Go tla rulaganngwa gore go nne le dibese tsa go tsaya batho go tla phuthengong kwa boemeladibeeng mo metseng ya MACHARORA go simolola ka nako ya 14H00. Dintlha ka phuthego eno di ka tsela e e latelang:

Phuthego ya Botlhe			
Lefelo	Letlha	Bokopanelo	Nako
Existing Styldrift Conveyor, Rustenburg	17 May 2018	25°25' 24.86"S 27°06' 27.91"E	15h00

PUBLIC COMMENT:

To obtain additional background Information providing further information about the proposed project, or to submit concerns and comments, contact the following personnel at the SRK public participation office.

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APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION FOR THE PROPOSED EXTENSION OF THE EXISTING STYLDRIFT NO. 1 SHAFT CONVEYOR BELT TO THE EXISTING MASEVE PLATINUM MINE, RUSTENBURG LOCAL MUNICIPLITY, NORTH WEST PROVINCE

INVITATION TO REGISTER AND PARTICIPATE

Royal Bafokeng Resources (Pty) Limited and Rustenburg Platinum Mines Limited (referred to as the Bafokeng Rasimone Platinum Mine Joint Venture (BRPM JV)) herby gives notice in terms of the National Environmental Management Act (NEMA, Act 107 of 1998) (NEMA) of its intention to extend the existing Styldrift No. 1 Shaft conveyor belt from the Styldrift No. 1 Shaft conveyor belt to the Maseve Platinum Mine concentrator plant. The conveyor will span across a length of 1.7 km within a 30 m servitude. This conveyor will link in to the existing conveyor and run into a westerly direction to transport platinum ore to the existing Maseve Platinum Mine concentrator plant for processing. Environmental Authorisation is required for the proposed conveyor belt in terms of the NEMA.

PROPOSER: Bafokeng Rasimone Platinum Mine Joint Venture (BRPM JV)

LOCATION: The proposed project will take place within the Rustenburg Local Municipality of the, Bojanala District Municipality. The proposed site and alternative involved in the application will affect the following farms and farm portions:

Farm	Portion	Proposed Activities
Styldrift 90 JQ	Not Subdivided	Conveyor Belt and associated infrastructure
Elandsfontein 102 JQ	Portion 2	
Frischgewaagd 96 JQ	Portion 15	

ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION PROCESS

SRK Consulting South Africa (Pty) Ltd (SRK) has been appointed as the independent Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) to conduct the Environmental Impact Assessment for the proposed project. A Basic Assessment process will be undertaken and an Environmental Management Programme (EMPr) will be prepared for this project. The Basic Assessment process will include a Basic Assessment Report (BAR) which will be made available for a 30-day public commenting period prior to its submission to the competent authority (in this case the Department of Mineral Resources (DMR)). The following listed activities in terms of the EIA Regulations (2014), as amended will be triggered:

Listing Notice	Activities
Listing Notice 1 GN R. 983	28. Residential, mixed, retail, commercial, industrial or institutional developments where such land was used for agricultural, game farming, equestrian purposes or afforestation on or after (ii) will occur outside an urban area, where the total and to be developed is bigger than 1 hectare Excluding where such land has been developed for residential, mixed, retail, commercial, industrial or institutional use.
Listing Notice 1 GN R. 985	4. The development of a road wider than 4 meters with a reserve less than 13.5 meters. 12.The clearance of an area of 300 square meters or more of indigenous vegetation except where such clearance of indigenous vegetation is required for maintenance purposes undertaken in accordance with a maintenance plan.

PUBLIC MEETING

Stakeholders are invited to register as Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) and to participate in the environmental authorisation process by identifying issues of concern and suggestions for consideration during the technical studies. Stakeholders are further invited to attend a public meeting on 17 May 2018. Buses will be arranged to pick up individuals to attend the meeting from the bus stops around the MACHARORA communities from 14H00. Details of the meeting are as follows:

Public Meeting			
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