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By email: jessica@sesc.net

Dear Ms Gossman

RE: NOTIFICATION OF THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE 30-DAY PUBLIC PARTICIPATION COMMENTING PERIOD OF THE REVISED DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT FOR THE PROPOSED REMOVAL AND REPLACEMENT OF EXISTING ROAD AND CULVERT INFRASTRUCTURE LOCATED ALONG DIVISION ROAD (DR) 1602 KM 8.48, KLEINPLAAS ROAD, CROSSING FARM 338 AND PORTION 6 OF FARM 220 IN MOSSEL BAY LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, GARDEN ROUTE DISTRICT, WESTERN CAPE PROVINCE

DEA&DP Reference: 16/3/311D6/29/0022/26

CapeNature's previous comments on this application (letter dated 19 June 2026) still have reference.

Please be advised that CapeNature is regrettably unable to review and provide formal comments on the revised Draft Basic Assessment Report. Due to capacity constraints resulting from a vacant Land Use Scientist post, we are unable to process this proposal within the stipulated timeframe. This response should not be interpreted as support or objection to the proposed development. Please continue to process the application and consult with the other required stakeholders.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause and appreciate your understanding. Please keep CapeNature on your stakeholder list for future notifications; we will respond when our capacity allows.

Kind regards



The Western Cape Nature Conservation Board trading as **CapeNature**

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