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ESTABLISHMENT OF THE OUKLOOF WATER USER ASSOCIATION, PROVINCE OF THE WESTERN CAPE, WATER MANAGEMENT AREA NUMBER 16

I, Silas Seani Mbedzi, Chief Director: Institutional Oversight, Department of Water Affairs and Forestry, duly authorised thereto by the Minister of Water Affairs and Forestry, hereby in terms of section 92(1) of the National Water Act, 1998 (Act No 36 of 1998), declare that-

- (a) the Oukloof Water User Association is established;
- (b) the Association's name is the Oukloof Water User Association;
- (c) the area of operation of the Oukloof Water User Association includes all properties in respect of which any person is entitled to use water (surface and underground water) by virtue of entitlements in terms of section 22(1) of the Act from -
 - (i) The area of operation of the Association is divided into the following sub-districts:
 - Sub-district 1 which exists out of the area from the origin of the Lang River and the Baviaans River till the shore of the Oukloof dam.
 - Sub-district 2 which exists out of the area as previously operated by the Oukloof Irrigation Board and that stretches from the Oukloof Dam till the confluence of the Swart River and the Gamka River
 - (ii) any other water resource(s) and/or waterworks situated outside the area described in paragraph (c)(i) above, which water resource(s) or waterworks and accompanying area the Department of Water Affairs and Forestry or the responsible authority may require the Association to control, which is situated in Water Management Area number 16 in the Province of the Western Cape; and

(d) the constitution of the Oukloof Water User Association has been approved.

SEANI MBEDZI CHIEF DIRECTOR: INSTITUTIONAL OVERSIGHT