

GENERAL NOTICES • ALGEMENE KENNISGEWINGS

NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION

NOTICE 3314 OF 2025

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), notice is herewith given of an application/s which will be subjected to a public participation process.

Applicant: Harmony Gold Mining Company Limited

Application/s:

- Integrated Environmental Authorisation (EA) and Waste Management License (WML) in accordance with the National Environmental Management Act – NEMA (Act 107 of 1998) as well as the National Environmental Management: Waste Act – NEMWA (Act 59 of 2008); and
- Water Use Licence (WUL) for various water uses in accordance with the National Water Act – NWA (Act 36 of 1998).

Additional listed activities and/or water uses may be identified during the process.

Location: The proposed TSF will be located on Farm portions Mijannie 66 Portion 0/RE, Goedgedacht 53 Portion 0, Nooitgedacht 50 Portion 0, Jacobsdal 37 Portion 0 and Rheedersdam 31 Portion 0. The relative centre point of the proposed TSF is 27° 56.398'S, 26° 39.868'E. The proposed pipelines traverse the following farm portions: Vlakplaats 125 Portion 3, 4 and 5; Mijannie RE/66 Portion 0; Toronto RE/115 Portion 7 and 0; Rietpan 17 Portion 0; Rietkuil 28 Portion 0; Rheeders Dam 31 Portion 0; Farm 41 Portion 20; Ouders Gift 48 Portion 0; Nooitgedacht 50 Portion 0; Goedgedacht 53 Portion 0; Theronia 71 Portion 1 and 7; Jacobsrust 118 Portion 0; St Helena 42 Portion 2 and 3, Farm 80 Portion 0, Stuirmanship 92 Portion 1, 7 and 0, Saaiplaas 690 Portion 1, 11, 15 and 0; Klippan 14 Portion 1, 2 and 15, Marmageli 20 Portion 0 and 157 Portion 0.

Activity: The current planned LOM of the Free State operations exceed the available deposition capacity of these TSFs, and the applicant is therefore proposing to construct the proposed Nooitgedacht TSF to cater for this additional capacity. The TSF will cover an area of approximately 895 ha as shown.

In addition, three new pipelines are required to be constructed:

- Two 10km long slurry lines from Harmony One Plant to the St Helena Booster Pump Station;
- One 16k long slurry line from Brand A TSF to the St Helena Booster Pump Station; and
- One 17km slurry line from the St Helena Booster Pump Station to FSN 1 TSF.

The pipelines will be flanged steel pipelines of over 0,36m in diameter and installed above-ground on pre-cast concrete plinths and a 3.5m wide access road, adjacent to the pipelines, will be cleared/graded to provide access for construction, maintenance and inspections. In addition, a new low pressure water facility is required to be constructed at farm Klippan 14 portion 2 which will cover an area of up to 2 ha.

EIMS will be following the procedures defined in the EIA Regulations for undertaking a Scoping and Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) process. In accordance with Chapter 6 of the EIA Regulations, a public participation process will be undertaken. You are hereby invited to register and comment on the proposed project and application/s. Please note that only registered I&AP's will be informed of future project information and opportunities for participation. 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. 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, as soon as possible to EIMS at:

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Please include the project reference number **1565** in all correspondence.

Further information will be available at www.eims.co.za/public-participation/. Please note that in the event that you are unable to access the website due to data constraints please contact EIMS for alternative arrangements.



NIE-REGERINGSORGANISASIE

KENNISGEWING 3314 VAN 2025

KENNISGEWING: AANSOEKPROSES VIR OMGEWINGSMAGTIGING.

Ooreenkomstig die vereistes van hoofstuk 6 van die Omgewingsimpakbepaling (OIB)-regulasies (staatskennisgewing R982 soos gewysig, gepubliseer ingevolge die Wet op Nasionale Omgewingsbestuur – WNOB (Wet 107 van 1998), word hiermee kennis gegee van aansoeke wat aan 'n openbare deelnameproses onderwerp sal word.

Aansoeker: Harmony Gold Mining Company Limited

- Aansoeke:**
- Geïntegreerde Omgewingsmagtiging (EA) en Afval Bestuurslisensie (WML) ingevolge die Wet op Nasionale Omgewingsbestuur – WNOB (Wet 107 van 1998) asook die Wet op Nasionale Omgewingsbestuur van Afval – NEMWA (Wet 59 van 2008); en
 - Watergebruiklisensie (WUL) vir verskeie watergebruike ingevolge die Nasionale Waterwet – NWA (Wet 36 van 1998).

Bykomende gelyste aktiwiteite en/of watergebruike kan tydens die proses geïdentifiseer word.

Ligging: Die voorgestelde uitskot berginsfasiliteit (TSF) sal geleë wees op Plaasgedeeltes Mijannie 66 Ptn 0/RE, Goedgedacht 53 Ptn 0, Nooitgedacht 50 Ptn 0, Jacobsdal 37 Ptn 0 en Rheedersdam 31 Ptn 0. Die relatiewe middelpunt van die voorgestelde TSF is 27 ° 56.398'S, 26 ° 39.868'O. Die voorgestelde pypleidings loop deur die volgende plaasgedeeltes: Vlakplaats 125 Ptn 3, 4 en 5; Mijannie RE/66 Ptn 0; Toronto RE/115 Ptn 7 en 0; Rietpan 17 Ptn 0; Rietkuil 28 Ptn 0; Rheedersdam 31 Ptn 0; Plaas 41 Ptn 20; Ouders Gift 48 Ptn 0; Nooitgedacht 50 Ptn 0; Goedgedacht 53 Ptn 0; Theronia 71 Ptn 1 en 7; Jacobsrust 118 Ptn 0; St Helena 42 Ptn 2 en 3, Plaas 80 Ptn 0, Stuurmanship 92 Ptn 1, 7 en 0, Saaiplaas 690 Ptn 1, 11, 15 en 0; Klippan 14 Ptn 1, 2 en 15, Marmageli 20 Ptn 0 en 157 Ptn 0.

Aktiwiteit: Die huidige beplande Life of Mine (LOM) van die Vrystaatse bedrywigheede oorskry die beskikbare afsettingskapasiteit van hierdie TSF's en die aansoeker stel dus voor om die voorgestelde Nooitgedacht TSF te bou om vir hierdie bykomende kapasiteit voorsiening te maak. Die TSF sal 'n oppervlakte van ongeveer 895 ha beslaan soos gewys.

Daarbenewens moet drie nuwe pypleidings gebou word:

- Twee 10 km lange uitskot pyplyne vanaf Harmony One Plant na die St Helena Booster Pompstasie;
- Een 16km lang uitskot pyplyn vanaf Brand A TSF na die St Helena Booster Pompstasie; en
- Een 17 km-uitskot pyplyn vanaf die St Helena Versterker-pompstasie na FSN 1 TSF.

Die pypleidings sal flensstaalpypleidings van meer as 0,36 m in deursnee wees en bogronds op voorafvervaardigde betonvoetstukke geïnstalleer word en 'n 3,5 m breë toegangspad, aangrensend aan die pypleidings, sal skoongemaak/gegradeer word om toegang te voorsien vir konstruksie, instandhouding en inspeksies. Daarbenewens moet 'n nuwe laedrukwaterfasiliteit by plaas Klippan 14 gedeelte 2 gebou word wat 'n oppervlakte van tot 2 ha sal beslaan. Terugvoerwater sal na hierdie fasiliteit gevoer word waar die water dan na die aanlegte en die aktiewe herwinningsterreine geneem sal word.

EIMS sal die prosedures soos uiteengesit in die OIB-regulasies vir die uitvoering van 'n Omvang- en omgewingsimpakbepalings- (OIB-)proses volg. 'n Publieke deelnameproses sal geïmplementeer word ingevolge hoofstuk 6 van die OIB-regulasies. U word uitgenooi om te registreer en kommentaar te lewer op die voorgestelde projek en aansoeke. Neem asseblief kennis dat slegs geregistreerde belanghebbende en geaffekteerde partye (B&GPs) opdaterings oor projekinligting- en deelnamegeleenthede sal ontvang. Deur te registreer as 'n belanghebbende en geaffekteerde party, stem u in tot die insameling en verwerking van u persoonlike inligting soos per die EIMS-privaatheidskennisgewing beskikbaar by www.eims.co.za/public-participation. Om te verhoed dat u verdere publieke deelname en inligting misloop, dien asseblief B&GP-registrasies, of enige navrae, kommentaar of bekommernisse rakende hierdie aansoek, so gou moontlik by EIMS by: Kontakpersoon: Alex Msipa

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Sluit asseblief die projekverwysingsnommer 1565 in alle korrespondensie in.

Verdere inligting sal by www.eims.co.za/public-participation/ beskikbaar wees. Neem asseblief kennis dat in die geval dat jy weens databeperkings nie toegang tot die webwerf het nie, kontak asseblief EIMS vir alternatiewe reëlins.



TSEBISO: MEHATO YA KOPO YA TUMELLO YA TIKOLOHO.

Ho ya ka dithoko tsa Kgaolo ya 6 ya Melawana ya Tekolo ya Tikoloho (EIA) (Tsebiso ya Mmuso ya R982 e ntlafaditsweng, e phatlaladitswe tlasa Molao wa Naha wa Taolo ya Tikoloho wa 107 wa 1998-NEMA), mona tsebiso e fanwe mabapi le kopo kapa dikopo tse tla lebiswa tsamaisong ya ho nka karolo ha setjhaba.

Mokopi:	Harmony Gold Mining Company Limited
Kopo/Dikopo:	- Tumello e Kopanetsweng ya Tikoloho (EA) le Laesense ya Taolo ya Ditshila (WML) ho ya ka Molao wa Naha wa Taolo ya Tikoloho – NEMA (Molao wa 107 wa 1998) hammoho le Molao wa Naha wa Taolo ya Tikoloho: Molao wa Ditshila – NEMWA (Molao wa 59 wa 2008); le; - Laesense ea Tšebeliso ea Metsi (WUL) bakeng sa tšebeliso e fapaneng ea metsi ho latela Molao oa Naha oa Metsi - NWA (Molao oa 36 oa 1998). Mesebetsi e meng e thathamisitsweng le/kapa ditsela tsa ho sebedisa metsi di ka nna tsa tsejwa nakong ya tšhebetso.
Sebaka:	TSF e reriloeng e tla be e le likarolong tsa Farm Mijannie 66 Karolo 0/RE, Goedgedacht 53 Ptn 0, Nooitgedacht 50 Ptn 0, Jacobsdal 37 Ptn 0 le Rheedersdam 31 Ptn 0. Ntlha e bohareng ea TSF e reriloeng ke 27 ° 56.398'S, 26 ° 39.868'E. Lipeipi tse sisintsoeng li haola le likarolo tse latelang tsa polasi: Vlakplaats 125 Ptn 3, 4 le 5; Mijannie RE/66 Ptn 0; Toronto RE/115 Ptn 7 le 0; Rietpan 17 Ptn 0; Rietkuil 28 Ptn 0; Letamo la Rheeders 31 Ptn 0; Polasi ea 41 Ptn 20; Ouders Gift 48 Ptn 0; Nooitgedacht 50 Ptn 0; Goedgedacht 53 Ptn 0; Theronia 71 Ptn 1 le 7; Jacobsrust 118 Ptn 0; St Helena 42 Ptn 2 le 3, Farm 80 Ptn 0, Stuurmanship 92 Ptn 1, 7 and 0, Saaiplaas 690 Ptn 1, 11, 15 le 0; Klippan 14 Ptn 1, 2 le 15, Marmageli 20 Ptn 0 le 157 Ptn 0..
Mosebetsi:	LOM e reriloeng ea hona joale ea mesebetsi ea Free State e feta matla a teng a depositi a TSF tsena, mme ka hona mokopi o etsa tlhahiso ea ho hahla TSF ea Nooitgedacht e reriloeng ho hlokomela matla ana a eketsehileng. TSF e tla koahela sebaka sa hoo e ka bang 895 ha joalokaha ho bontšitsoe. Ho phaella moo, ho hloka hore ho hahlooe lipeipi tse tharo tse ncha: - Litsela tse peli tsa slurry tse bolelele ba 10km ho tloha Harmony One Plant ho ea St Helena Booster Pump Station; - Mohala o le mong oa slurry o bolelele ba 16km ho tloha Brand A TSF ho ea St Helena Booster Pump Station; le - Mohala o le mong oa slurry oa 17km ho tloha St Helena Booster Pump Station ho ea FSN 1 TSF. Lipeipi li tla ba lipeipi tsa tšepe tse fetang 0,36m ka bophara ebe li kenngoa kaholimo ho mobu ho li-plinths tsa konkrite tse entsoeng pele le tsela ea phihlello ea 3.5m, haufi le lipeipi, e tla hloekisoa / ho hlophisoa ho fana ka phihlello bakeng sa kaho, tlhokomelo le tlhahlobo. Ntle le moo, ho hloka hore ho hahlooe setsi se secha sa metsi se nang le khatello e tlase polasing ea Klippan 14 karolo ea 2 e tla koahela sebaka sa lihekthere tse 2. Metsi a khutlisetsoang a tla fepeloa setsing sena moo metsi a tla isoa limela le libakeng tse sebetsang tsa ho tsosolosa.

EIMS e tla ikamahanya le mehato ya tšhebetso e hlalositseweng ho Melawana ya EIA bakeng sa ho tsamaisa Tlhahlobo ya Boholo ba Mosebetsi le Kamoo Tikoloho e Amehang (Scoping and Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA)) Tumellanong le Kgaolo ya 6 ya Melawana ya EIA, e leng mokgwa wa hore setjhaba se kenye letsoho o tla kenngwa tšhebetsong. O memelwa ho ingodisa le ho fana ka maikutlo mabapi le projeke e sisintsweng le (di)kopo. Ka kopo hlokomela hore ke Mahlakore a Thahasellang le a Amehang feela (di-I&AP) a ngodisitseweng feela a tla fumana dintlha tsa morao mabapi le tlhahisoleseding ya projeke le menyela ya ho nka karolo. Ka ho ingodisa hore o be setho se nang le thahasello le se amehileng, o dumela hore ho bokellwe le hore ho sebediswe tlhahisoleseding ya hao ya botho ho latela Tsebiso ya Lekunuto ya EIMS e fumanehang ho www.eims.co.za/public-participation. Ho qoba ho fetwa ke bonkakarolo le ditaba tse ling tsa setjhaba, ka kopo romela boingodiso ba I&AP, kapa dipotso dife kapa dife, maikutlo, kapa ditsetlebo tse amanang le kopo ena, kapele kamoo ho ka kgonehang ho EIMS u sebedisa dintlha tsa ho ikopanya tse fanweng ka tlaase mona:

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Ka kopo bontsha nomoro ya boitshupo ya projeke e leng **1565** makwalong otlhe.

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