SCREENING REPORT FOR AN ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORIZATION AS REQUIRED BY THE 2014 EIA REGULATIONS – PROPOSED SITE ENVIRONMENTAL SENSITIVITY

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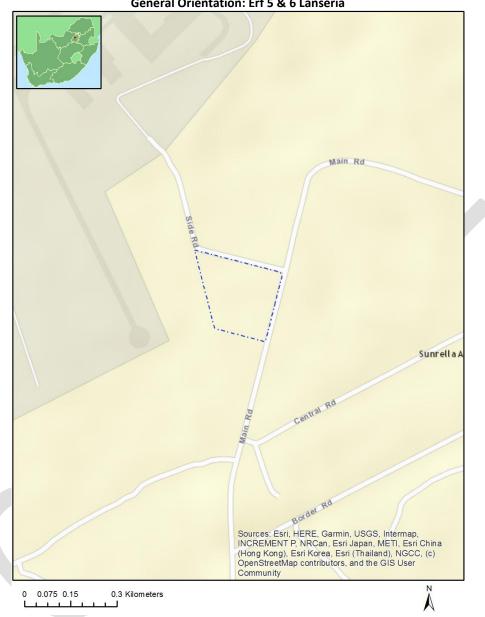
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Proposed Project Location

Orientation map 1: General location



General Orientation: Erf 5 & 6 Lanseria

Map of proposed site and relevant area(s)



Cadastral details of the proposed site

Property details:

No	Farm Name	Farm/ Erf No	Portion	Latitude	Longitude	Property Type
1	BOTESDAL	529	0	25°57'12.09S	27°54'28.3E	Farm
2	BULTFONTEIN	533	0	25°57'25.45S	27°55'51.65E	Farm
3	BOTESDAL	529	1	25°56'47.95S	27°55'49.31E	Farm Portion
4	BULTFONTEIN	533	55	25°56'46.53S	27°56'9.54E	Farm Portion
5	BULTFONTEIN	533	72	25°57'12.48S	27°55'13.36E	Farm Portion
6	SUNRELLA AH	6	0	25°56'50.9S	27°55'55.85E	Agri Holding
7	SUNRELLA AH	5	0	25°56'47.54S	27°55'56.05E	Agri Holding

Development footprint¹ vertices: No development footprint(s) specified.

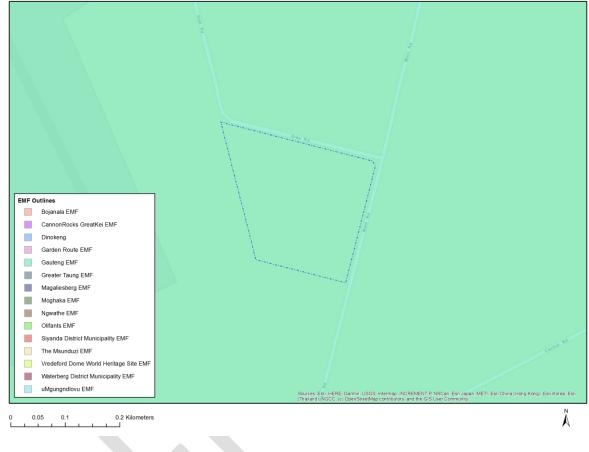
Wind and Solar developments with an approved Environmental Authorisation or applications under consideration within 30 km of the proposed area

No	EIA Reference No	Classification	Status of application	Distance from proposed area (km)
1	12/12/20/2537/AM1	Solar PV	Approved	28.1

¹ "development footprint", means the area within the site on which the development will take place and incudes all ancillary developments for example roads, power lines, boundary walls, paving etc. which require vegetation clearance or which will be disturbed and for which the application has been submitted.

2	12/12/20/2539/AM1	Solar PV	Approved	25.9
3	12/12/20/2537/AM3	Solar PV	Approved	28.1
4	12/12/20/2539	Solar PV	Approved	25.9

Environmental Management Frameworks relevant to the application



Environmental	LINK
Management	
Framework	
Gauteng EMF	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/EMF/GPEMF 2021 Gazette and summary.pdf

Environmental screening results and assessment outcomes

The following sections contain a summary of any development incentives, restrictions, exclusions or prohibitions that apply to the proposed development site as well as the most environmental sensitive features on the site based on the site sensitivity screening results for the application classification that was selected. The application classification selected for this report is: **Transformation of land | Indigenous vegetation**.

Relevant development incentives, restrictions, exclusions or prohibitions

The following development incentives, restrictions, exclusions or prohibitions and their implications that apply to this site are indicated below.

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Incentive, restriction or prohibition	Implication
Strategic Transmission	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Developmen
Corridor-Central corridor	tZones/Combined_EGI.pdf
Strategic Gas Pipeline Corridors-Phase 3: Richards Bay to Gauteng	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Developmen tZones/Combined_GAS.pdf
Gauteng EMF-Urban	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Developmen
development zone 1	tZones/Zone1_2021.pdf
South African	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Developmen
Conservation Areas	tZones/SACAD OR 2023 Q2 Metadata.pdf

Proposed Development Area Environmental Sensitivity

The following summary of the development site environmental sensitivities is identified. Only the highest environmental sensitivity is indicated. The footprint environmental sensitivities for the proposed development footprint as identified, are indicative only and must be verified on site by a suitably qualified person before the specialist assessments identified below can be confirmed.

Theme	Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
Agriculture Theme		Х		
Animal Species Theme			X	
Aquatic Biodiversity Theme	Х			
Archaeological and Cultural Heritage Theme				X
Civil Aviation Theme	X			
Defence Theme			Х	
Plant Species Theme			Х	
Terrestrial Biodiversity Theme	Х			

Specialist assessments identified

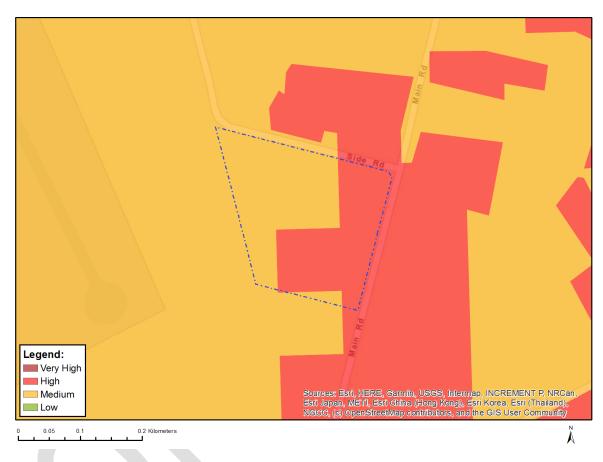
Based on the selected classification, and the known impacts associated with the proposed development, the following list of specialist assessments have been identified for inclusion in the assessment report. It is the responsibility of the EAP to confirm this list and to motivate in the assessment report, the reason for not including any of the identified specialist study including the provision of photographic evidence of the site situation.

No	Specialist assessment	Assessment Protocol
1	Landscape/Visual Impact Assessment	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Asse ssmentProtocols/Gazetted_General_Requirement_Assessment_P rotocols.pdf
2	Archaeological and Cultural Heritage Impact Assessment	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Asse ssmentProtocols/Gazetted_General_Requirement_Assessment_P rotocols.pdf
3	Palaeontology Impact Assessment	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Asse ssmentProtocols/Gazetted_General_Requirement_Assessment_P rotocols.pdf
4	Terrestrial Biodiversity	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Asse

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5	Aquatic Biodiversity Impact Assessment	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Asse ssmentProtocols/Gazetted_Aquatic_Biodiversity_Assessment_Pr otocols.pdf
6	Socio-Economic Assessment	<u>https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Asse</u> <u>ssmentProtocols/Gazetted_General_Requirement_Assessment_P</u> <u>rotocols.pdf</u>
7	Plant Species Assessment	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Asse ssmentProtocols/Gazetted Plant Species Assessment Protocols. pdf
8	Animal Species Assessment	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Asse ssmentProtocols/Gazetted_Animal_Species_Assessment_Protoco ls.pdf

Results of the environmental sensitivity of the proposed area.

The following section represents the results of the screening for environmental sensitivity of the proposed site for relevant environmental themes associated with the project classification. It is the duty of the EAP to ensure that the environmental themes provided by the screening tool are comprehensive and complete for the project. Refer to the disclaimer.



MAP OF RELATIVE AGRICULTURE THEME SENSITIVITY

Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
	X		

Sensitivity	Feature(s)
High	Land capability;09. Moderate-High/10. Moderate-High
Medium	Land capability;06. Low-Moderate/07. Low-Moderate/08. Moderate

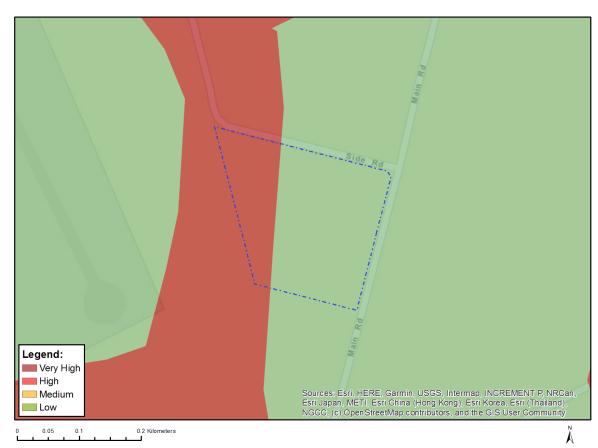
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MAP OF RELATIVE ANIMAL SPECIES THEME SENSITIVITY

Where only a sensitive plant unique number or sensitive animal unique number is provided in the screening report and an assessment is required, the environmental assessment practitioner (EAP) or specialist is required to email SANBI at <u>eiadatarequests@sanbi.org.za</u> listing all sensitive species with their unique identifiers for which information is required. The name has been withheld as the species may be prone to illegal harvesting and must be protected. SANBI will release the actual species name after the details of the EAP or specialist have been documented.

Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
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Sensitivity	Feature(s)
Medium	Mammalia-Crocidura maquassiensis
Medium	Mammalia-Hydrictis maculicollis
Medium	Invertebrate-Clonia uvarovi



MAP OF RELATIVE AQUATIC BIODIVERSITY THEME SENSITIVITY

Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
Х			

Sensitivity	Feature(s)
Low	Low sensitivity
Very High	Wetlands_Mesic Highveld Grassland Bioregion (Seep)

MAP OF RELATIVE ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND CULTURAL HERITAGE THEME SENSITIVITY

Legend: Very High High Medium	Very High High		Sources: Esri, HERE, Garmin, USGS, Intermap, INCREMENT P, NRCan,	
NGCC, (c) OpenStreetMap contributors, and the GIS User Community	0 0.05 0.1	0.2 Kilometers	Esri Japan, METI, Esri China (Hong Kong), Esri Korea, Esri (Thailand), NGCC, (c) OpenStreetMap contributors, and the GIS User Community	

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Sensitivity	Feature(s)
Low	Low sensitivity

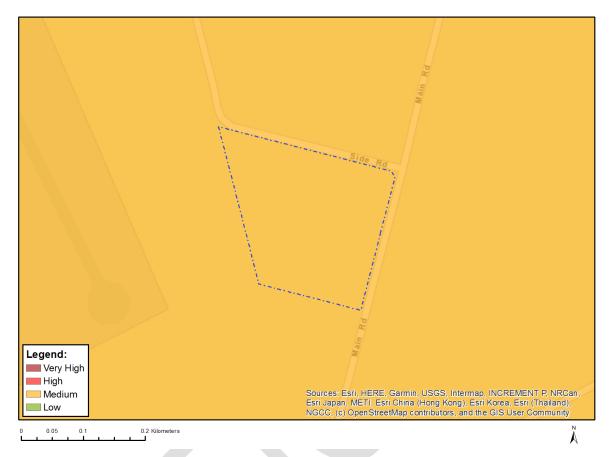
MAP OF RELATIVE CIVIL AVIATION THEME SENSITIVITY



Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
X			

Sensitivity	Feature(s)	
Medium	Within 5 km of an air traffic control or navigation site	
Medium	Between 8 and 15 km of other civil aviation aerodrome	
Very High	Within 8 km of a major civil aviation aerodrome	

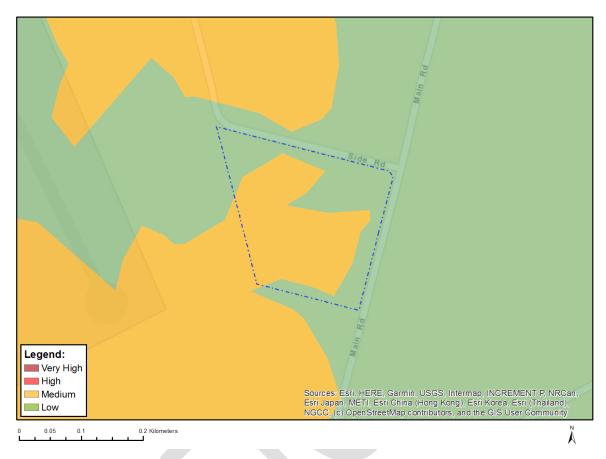
MAP OF RELATIVE DEFENCE THEME SENSITIVITY



Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
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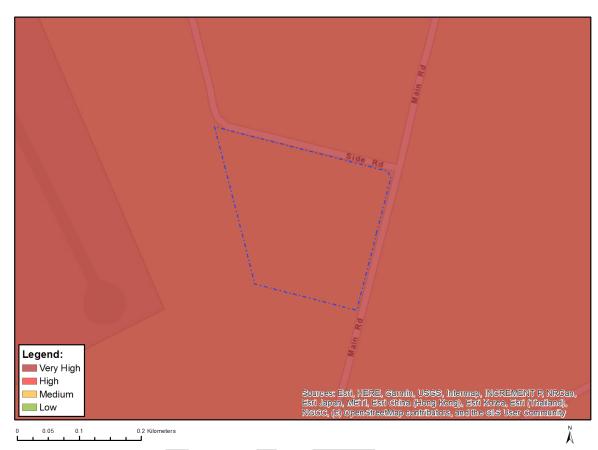
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Sensitivity	Feature(s)
Low	Low Sensitivity
Medium	Melolobium subspicatum
Medium	Sensitive species 1248



MAP OF RELATIVE TERRESTRIAL BIODIVERSITY THEME SENSITIVITY

Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
X			

Sensitivity	Feature(s)	
Very High	CR_Egoli Granite Grassland	