

**INITIAL COMMENTS RECEIVED (JUNE - JULY 2018) - TRIPLE D FARMS AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT**

Date	Issue	Comment	I&AP	Response	Respondent
27/06/2018	<b>N14 CROSSING</b>	I would hereby wish to register as an I&AP for this particular project.	Nicole Abrahams - SANRAL	Noted, you have been registered as an Interested and Affected Party	EnviroAfrica
		The South African National Roads Agency SOC Limited (SANRAL) has received background information and a locality plan for this project and based on the proximity of the development in relation to the National Road N14, it appears that SANRAL could be impacted by this development. Could you please indicate the number appearing on the nearest blue km marker board on N14. Where will access to the propose site be obtained from? If services need to be constructed over or under the national road, (in this case the N14 ) or within 60m measured from the road reserve fence, the service owner must apply for a written permission from SANRAL, before any work may be carried out. Attached please find an application form for the proposed encroachment.	"	Noted. Please refer to Appendix 3B for permission granted by SANRAL on 16 March 2018, including technical details of the crossing and the location of the crossing	EnviroAfrica
18/07/2018	<b>FRESHWATER</b>	The following should be addressed by the Applicant when proving the application to the department: it is apparent that the nature of activities the applicant is proposing to engage in has potential impacts on the environment and water resources, as the area to be irrigated has non-perennial stream around. The department rates all perennial and non-perennial streams together with all dry river beds and natural drainage, wetlands, pans and associated riparian areas extremely sensitive to development	Vhonani Ramugondo - Department of Water and Sanitation	Noted. The watercourses, including the Orange River, have been considered and the potential impacts on these will be assessed in a freshwater assessment and the environmental impact Report.	EnviroAfrica
		The water uses must be clearly identified and elaborated according to the National Water Act (Act 36 of 1999)		Noted	EnviroAfrica
		Clear colour topographical map showing the property, land use, water courses and location of the water abstraction point		Noted	EnviroAfrica
		The relevant water uses according to the National Water Act must be identified and clearly identified and defined			EnviroAfrica
		A rehabilitation and monitoring plan must be included in the report		Noted. This will also be included in the Environmental Impact Report	EnviroAfrica
		A pre-consultation meeting has to be arranged when the final draft is finalised to discuss the final water use <u>authorisation requirements</u>		Noted	EnviroAfrica
		The regulation on the water for agriculture and related activities aimed at the protection of the Water Resources as published in the Government Notice No.704 on 04 June (Government Gazette No. 20119) must be <u>complied with</u>		Noted	EnviroAfrica
06/06/2018	<b>PIPELINES</b>	We would like to draw your attention that the proposed pipeline and the pipeline of Chargo Trust t/a Dassierant will cross at two places. Care must be taken where the pipelines will cross each other, should damage occur, repair work will be done at Triple D Farms costs. Find attached chart of existing pipeline (shown in blue) and the suggested pipeline (shown in black) for your attention.	Chargo Trust	Noted	EnviroAfrica
		Loveren van Zyl Boerdery is 'n Interested and Affected Party aangesien die voorgestelde ontwikkeling aangresend is tot ons grond. Ons merk op die kaart wat ons ontvang het dat die pyplyn wat parallel aan die grondpad loop (vanaf oos tot wes), ons pyplyn twee maal moet kruis en sal u eers die voorgestelde pyplyn(e) vir ons moet kom uitwys. Die pyplyn vanaf die pompstasie, vanaf die rivier na die kanaal moet ook eers aan ons uitgewys word. Ons versoek u dus hiermee om met Jaco van Zyl te skakel alvorens enige grondwerke vir enige pype gedoen word. Verder wil ons graag onder u aandag bring dat die aangresende boer se wingerd oor sy grens ontwikkel is en blyk dit dat die wingerd geskuif moet word om vorgestelde pyplyne te le.	Loveren Boerdery	Noted	EnviroAfrica