

## INVITATION TO COMMENT

## NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF LIME KILNS, HAUL ROAD AND UPGRADE AN ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME REPORT WITH RESPECT TO MINING ACTIVITIES ON FARM VADELANDSHCE RIETKUIL NEAR VREDENDAL, WESTERN CAPE PROVINCE

DMR Reference Number: WC 30/1/2/2/3/2/1(294) EM

Notice is hereby given for Environmental Authorisation in terms of section 24(2), 24(5), 24D and 44, read with section 47A(1)(b) of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998) Cape Lime (Pty) Ltd, a subsidiary of Afrimat Limited proposes to construct Lime Kilns, a haul road, and upgrade an existing Environmental Management Programme report with respect to mining activities on Farm Vadelandshce Rietkuil near Vredendal, Western Cape Province. Cape Lime has been awarded a mining Right for the mining limestone and dolomite on the above mentioned property by the Department of Mineral Resources (DMR) in terms of Section 22 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act 2002.

In terms of Sections 24(2) and 24D of the National Environmental Management Act (Act No. 107 of 1998), as amended, and as read on Listing Notice 2 (Government Notices R. 984 in Government Gazette 38282 of 4 Dec 2014) a Scoping and EIA is required for the project as per the following listed activities:

GN and Listing Notice	Activity No.	Listed Activity	Description of each listed activity as per project description
GN R 983, Listing Notice 1, of the EIA Regulations, 2014 (as amended)	22	The decommissioning of any activity requiring - (i) a closure certificate in terms of section 43 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, 2002 (Act No. 28 of 2002)	Replacement of topsoil over mined-out area (concurrent rehabilitation) and final rehabilitation of entire major area.
GNR 983, Listing Notice 1, of the EIA Regulations, 2014 (as amended)	17	Any activity including the operation of that activity which requires a mining right as contemplated in section 22 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, 2002 (Act No. 28 of 2002), including— (a) associated infrastructure, structures and earthworks, directly related to the extraction of a mineral resource (b) the primary processing of a mineral resource including winning, extraction, classifying, concentrating, crushing, screening or washing;	Reduction, crushing and screening of gravel material.
GN R 983, Listing Notice 1, of the EIA Regulations, 2014 (as amended)	56	The widening of a road by more than 6 metres, or the lengthening of a road by more than 1 kilometre — (ii) where no reserve exists, where the existing road is wider than 8 metres;	The construction of a new haul road.
GN R 984, Listing Notice 2, of the EIA Regulations, 2014 (as amended)	6	The development of facilities or infrastructure for any process or activity which requires a permit or license in terms of national or provincial legislation governing the generation of release of emissions, pollution or effluent	The construction 2 Fluid Bed Calciners (Lime Kilns).
GN R 984, Listing Notice 2, of the EIA Regulations, 2014 (as amended)	15	The clearance of an area of 20 ha or more of indigenous vegetation	The clearing of virgin (undeveloped) land for the purposes of mining limestone deposits, erection of existing offices, processing plants and associated office facilities.
GN R 984, Listing Notice 2, of the EIA Regulations, 2014 (as amended)	21	Any activity including the operation of that activity associated with the primary processing of a mineral resource including winning, reduction, extraction, classifying, concentrating, crushing, screening and washing but excluding the smelting, beneficiation, refining, calcining, or gasification of the mineral resource in which case activity 6 in this Notice applies.	Blasted material goes through a series of crushing and screening until everything is smaller than 22mm in size. Feed stock from the primary crushing plant is fed to various sections in the Mineral Fillers plant where the size of the white dolomite is progressively reduced using impact crushers, ball mills, high frequency screens and air separators. The resultant range of micro-fine products (5 microns, 15 microns, 75microns and 300microns).
GN R 984, Listing Notice 2, of the EIA Regulations, 2014 (as amended)	28	Commencing of an activity, which requires an atmospheric emission license in terms of section 21 of the National Environmental Management: Air Quality Act, 2004 (Act No. 39 of 2004)	The construction 2 Fluid Bed Calciners (Lime Kilns).
GNR 984, Listing Notice 3, of the EIA Regulations, 2014 (as amended)	4	The development of a road wider than 4 metres with a reserve less than 13,5 metres. i. Western Cape Areas outside urban areas; (aa) Areas containing indigenous vegetation;	The development of a 15m wide new road (of which 2.17km will be on Farmers Property and 3,30km will be on the applicants property) that will connect Vaderlanche and Welverdiend
GNR 984, Listing Notice 3, of the EIA Regulations, 2014 (as amended)	18	The widening of a road by more than 4 metres, or the lengthening of a road by more than 1 kilometre. i. Western Cape i. All areas outside urban areas: (aa) Areas containing indigenous vegetation;	The widening of the 3,49km existing road occurring on the farmer's property to connect with the proposed new road that will connect Vaderlanche and Welverdiend

The proposed development includes the construction of 2 Fluid Bed Calciners (Lime Kilns). As such, in terms of the National Environmental Management Air Quality Act (Act No. 39 of 2004) (NEM: AQA) an Air Emissions License (AEL) is required. The mine abstracts water from its calcite quarry and discharges it downgradient into a valley which feeds into the Wiedou River system and eventually the Olifants River and the proposed haul road will cross a stream on a couple of sections. These activities triggers the following Section 21 water uses:  
(j) of the National Water Act (1998) that is the removing, discharging or disposing of water found underground if it is necessary for the efficient continuation of an activity or for the safety of people;  
(c) Impeding or diverting the flow of water in a watercourse  
(i) Altering the bed, banks, course or characteristics of a watercourse.

An application has been lodged with the Department of Water and Sanitation which is being processed. The proposed site is located ±8 km south-east of Vredendal along the R362 national road on route to Klaver. The size of the proposed site is 4002.5ha.

The Draft EIA&EMPr is available for viewing at on the following link: <https://www.afrimat.co.za/index.php/sustainability/environmental-conservation/vaderlandsche> for a period of 30 days starting from Friday 16 April 2021 to Monday 17 May 2021. Please note the Draft report is also available on request. Interested and/or affected parties who wish to participate by contributing comments, or who would like to obtain more information, should please contact Ntsanko Ndlovu on details indicated below. The comments must please reach us by Monday 17 May 2021.

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Applicant

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## TENDERS

## INVITATION TO BID

## THE CAPE TOWN INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION CENTRE INVITES TENDERS FOR TENDER NO. CTICC 044/2021: PANEL: CONFERENCE AND EXHIBITION SERVICES

Suitably qualified, experienced and registered companies are hereby invited to submit proposals to the Cape Town International Convention Centre (CTICC) for the following quotation:

Bid Number & Description	Scoring Mechanism	Bid Document Collection Details			Non-Compulsory Briefing Session		
		Date	Time	Venue	Date	Time	Venue
CTICC 044/2021: PANEL: CONFERENCE AND EXHIBITION SERVICES	80 = PRICE 20 = BBBEE STATUS	AS OF	12H00	PLEASE REQUEST A COPY VIA EMAIL	23 APRIL 2021	11H00	BIDDERS MUST RSVP VIA EMAIL BEFORE 23 APRIL 2021
		16 APRIL 2021					

The tenders will be evaluated on the functionality criteria as stated in the tender document. The minimum qualification score for functionality is 70.

The following personnel may be contacted only in writing in respect of enquiries with the subject line:

## "TENDER NO. CTICC 044/2021 - Enquiries"

- General enquiries: Nadia Barnard at [nadiab@cticc.co.za](mailto:nadiab@cticc.co.za)

Tenderers not registered on the CTICC Database or the Central Supplier Database are not precluded from submitting tenders but must be registered prior to the adjudication date of the offers to be responsive.

Physical tender documents can be purchased in cash, at a **non-refundable fee of R 200 per document** and can be collected directly from the supply chain office as of the dates indicated above. Please reserve yourself a set of tender documents, by sending an email to the above-mentioned personnel. Preferably, tender documents must be requested electronically, free of charge, by sending a request to the above email address.

To ensure that bids are not invalidated, bid documents must be completed in accordance with the terms and conditions stated on them. The completed original bid documents must be placed in a sealed A4 envelope - clearly stating the bid number and name of tender. The sealed bids must be deposited into **Tender box 1** situated at the reception area on the ground floor of the Cape Town International Convention Centre 2 (Corner of Heerengracht and Rua Bartholomeus Dias, Foreshore).

## CLOSING DATE AND TIME FOR BID: FRIDAY, 07 MAY 2021 AT 12:00.

All bids received will be opened in public, late proposals and proposals submitted by e-mail or fax will under no circumstances be accepted. The CTICC reserves the right to withdraw any proposal, invitation and/or to re-advertise or to reject any proposals or to accept any part of it. The CTICC does not bind itself to accepting the lowest bid or to award a contract to the bidder who scores the highest number of points.

Requirements for sealing, addressing, delivery, opening and assessment of tenders are stated in the Tender Data.

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