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

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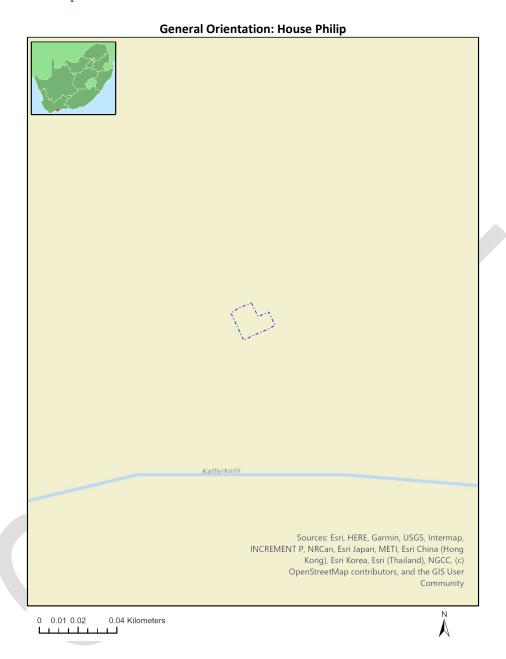
Application Category: Any activities within or close to a watercourse

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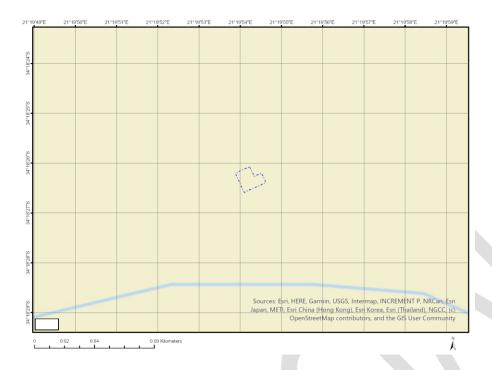
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Proposed Project Location

Orientation map 1: General location



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
						Туре
1	MELKHOUTE	480	0	34°19'13.51S	21°25'1.02E	Farm
	FONTEIN					
2	MELKHOUTE	480	24	34°17'33.56S	21°19'57.97E	Farm Portion
	FONTEIN					
3	MELKHOUTE	480	256	34°18'23.48S	21°19'54.36E	Farm Portion
	FONTEIN					
4	MELKHOUTE	480	257	34°18'12.96S	21°19'40.61E	Farm Portion
	FONTEIN					

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	Distance from proposed
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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.

			application	area (km)
1	12/12/20/1815/2	Wind	Approved	29.2
2	14/12/16/3/3/1/657	Wind	Approved	5.6
3	14/12/16/3/3/1/657/A1	Wind	Approved	5.6

Environmental Management Frameworks relevant to the application

No intersections with EMF areas found.

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:

Any activities within or close to a watercourse.

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.

Incentive, restriction	Implication
or prohibition	
South African Protected	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Developmen
Areas	tZones/SAPAD OR 2024 Q3 Metadata.pdf
South African	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Developmen
Conservation Areas	tZones/SACAD OR 2024 Q3 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	High	Medium	Low
	sensitivity	sensitivity	sensitivity	sensitivity
Agriculture Theme		Х		
Animal Species Theme		Х		
Aquatic Biodiversity Theme	Х			
Archaeological and Cultural				Х
Heritage Theme				
Civil Aviation Theme		Х		
Defence Theme				Х
Paleontology Theme	Χ			
Plant Species Theme			Х	
Terrestrial Biodiversity Theme	Х			

Specialist assessments identified

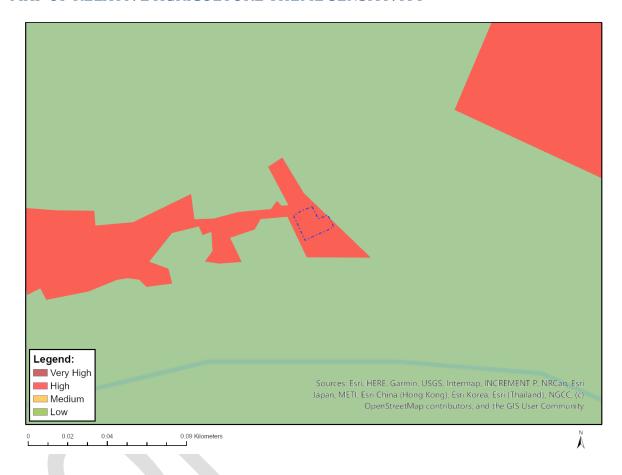
Based on the selected classification, and the known impacts associated with the proposed development, the following list of specialist assessments have been identified for inclusion in the assessment report. It is the responsibility of the EAP to confirm this list and to motivate in the assessment report,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

No	Specialist	Assessment Protocol
	assessment	
1	Landscape/Visual Impact Assessment	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Asse
		<u>ssmentProtocols/Gazetted General Requirement Assessment P</u> rotocols.pdf
2	Archaeological and	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Asse
	Cultural Heritage Impact	ssmentProtocols/Gazetted General Requirement Assessment P
	Assessment	<u>rotocols.pdf</u>
3	Palaeontology Impact	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Asse
	Assessment	ssmentProtocols/Gazetted General Requirement Assessment P
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4	Terrestrial Biodiversity	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Asse
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5	Aquatic Biodiversity	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Asse
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6	Hydrology Assessment	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Asse
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7	Socio-Economic Assessment	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Asse
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8	Dignt Charies Assessment	rotocols.pdf
8	Plant Species Assessment	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Asse
		ssmentProtocols/Gazetted Plant Species Assessment Protocols. pdf
9	Animal Species	
	Assessment	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/Asse ssmentProtocols/Gazetted Animal Species Assessment Protoco
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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.

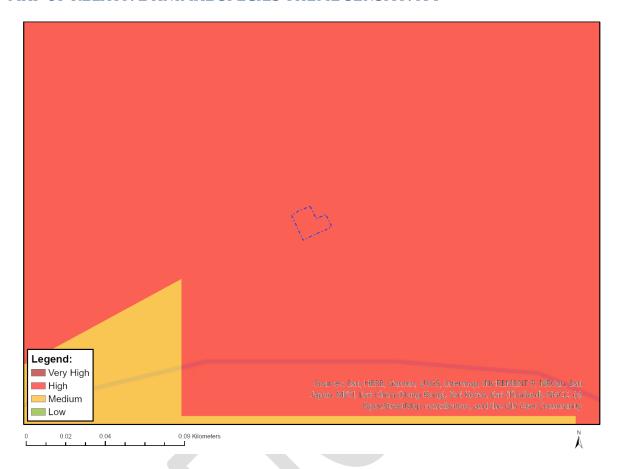
MAP OF RELATIVE AGRICULTURE THEME SENSITIVITY



Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
	X		

Sensitivity	Feature(s)
High	Rainfed Annual Crop Cultivation / Planted Pastures
Low	05. Low

MAP OF RELATIVE ANIMAL SPECIES THEME SENSITIVITY

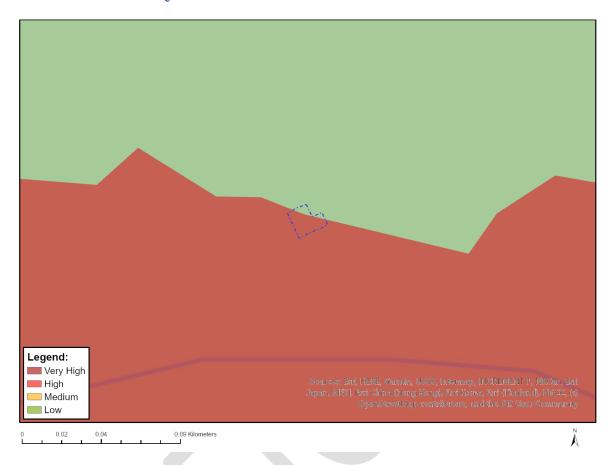


Where only a sensitive plant unique number or sensitive animal unique number is provided in the screening report and an assessment is required, the environmental assessment practitioner (EAP) or specialist is required to email SANBI at eiadatarequests@sanbi.org.za listing all sensitive species with their 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
	X		

Sensitivity	Feature(s)		
High	Aves-Bradypterus sylvaticus		
High	Aves-Circus ranivorus		
Medium	Aves-Podica senegalensis		
Medium	Aves-Circus maurus		
Medium	Aves-Stephanoaetus coronatus		
Medium	Aves-Hydroprogne caspia		
Medium	Aves-Neotis denhami		
Medium	Aves-Afrotis afra		
Medium	Insecta-Chrysoritis brooksi tearei		
Medium	Invertebrate-Aneuryphymus montanus		

MAP OF RELATIVE AQUATIC BIODIVERSITY THEME SENSITIVITY



Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
X			

Sensitivity	Feature(s)	
Low	Low sensitivity	
Very High	CBA 1: Aquatic	
Very High	Estuary_Goukou	
Very High	Wetlands_(Estuary)	

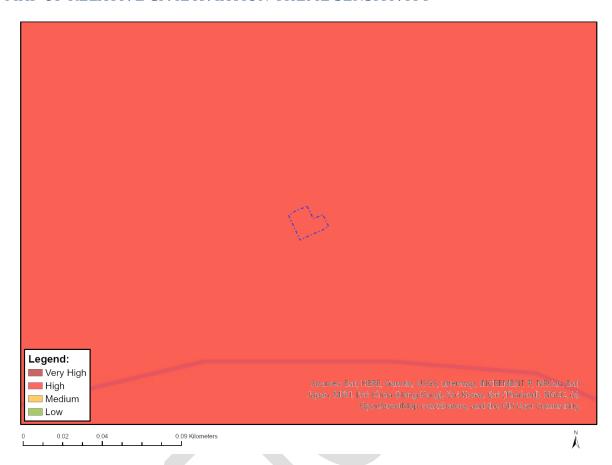
MAP OF RELATIVE ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND CULTURAL HERITAGE THEME SENSITIVITY



Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
			Х

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)
High	Dangerous and restricted airspace as demarcated
Medium	Between 8 and 15 km of other civil aviation aerodrome

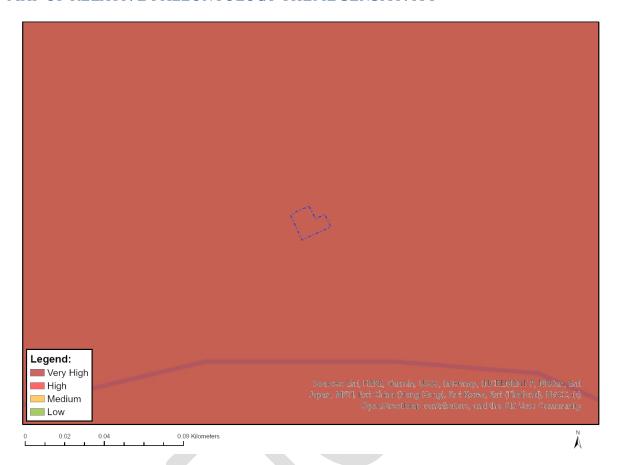
MAP OF RELATIVE DEFENCE THEME SENSITIVITY



Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
			Х

Sensitivity	Feature(s)	
Low	Low Sensitivity	

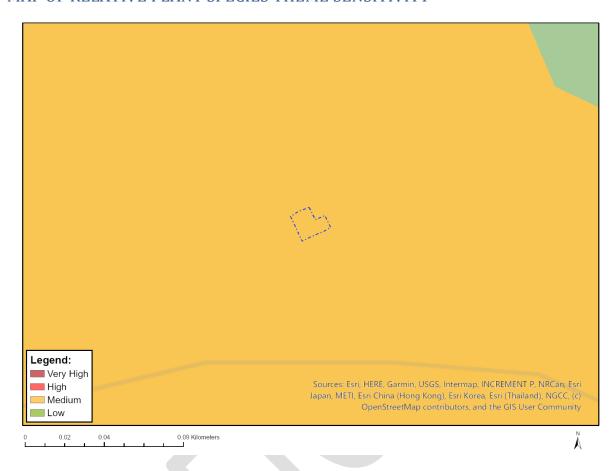
MAP OF RELATIVE PALEONTOLOGY THEME SENSITIVITY



Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
X			

Sensitivity	Feature(s)
Very High	Features with a Very High paleontological sensitivity

MAP OF RELATIVE PLANT SPECIES THEME SENSITIVITY

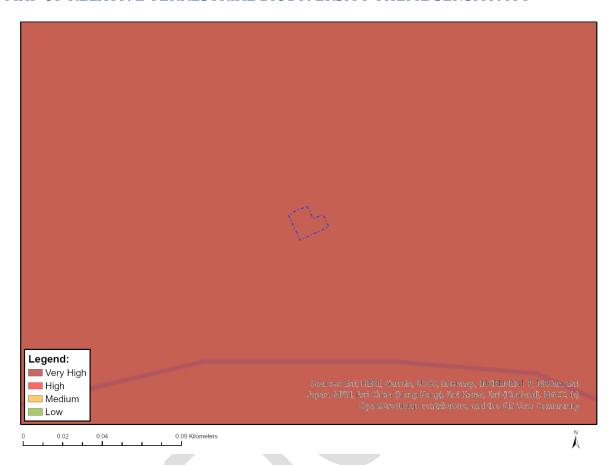


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		Х	

Sensitivity Feature(s)	
Medium	Aspalathus odontoloba
Medium	Hermannia lavandulifolia
Medium	Metalasia luteola
Medium	Cotula myriophylloides
Medium	Agathosma microcarpa
Medium	Zostera capensis

MAP OF RELATIVE TERRESTRIAL BIODIVERSITY THEME SENSITIVITY



Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
X			

Sensitivity	Feature(s)
Very High	Stilbaai Marine Protected Area
Very High	CBA 1: Terrestrial
Very High	CR_Gouritz Valley Thicket