



OUR REFERENCE : 20/9/2/4/9/476
YOUR REFERENCE : -
DEA&DP REFERENCE : 16/3/3/6/B1/4/1145/22
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**PROPOSED WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE:
DIVISION SWELLENDAM
REMAINDER OF FARM NO 695, BONNIEVALE**

The Draft Basic Assessment Report dated 30 August 2022 has reference.

Amathemba Environmental Consulting CC have been appointed to submit a Draft Basic Assessment Report for the establishment of a Waste Water Treatment Plant for the expanded production of Lactalis SA (Pty) Ltd located on the abovementioned 69ha farm portion. The WWTP facility will be 1.3ha in extent with a capacity to treat up to 2 500m³ of waste water per day. Additionally, the WWTP will produce a dry sludge that will be composted at a licensed facility and the treated effluent will be released in to the Breede River and for the irrigation of farm RIET FONTEIN re/12/175.

From an agricultural perspective, the WCDoA: LUM has no objection towards the proposed development on condition that the treated effluent is of the appropriate chemical standard for river discharge & irrigation purposed. These chemical standards must be in line with water quality guidelines of the Department of Water & Sanitation in order to reduce the risk of soil & crop contamination. Water quality testing of the treated effluent must be done before discharges and record of the tested treated effluent must be readily available.

Please note:

- Kindly quote the above-mentioned reference number in any future correspondence in respect of the application.
- The Department reserves the right to revise initial comments and request further information based on the information received.

Yours sincerely



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