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GENERAL NOTICE ALGEMENE KENNISGEWING

NOTICE 1553 OF 1996

DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY

BUSINESS PRACTICES COMMITTEE

HARMFUL BUSINESS PRACTICES ACT, 1988

I, Alexander Erwin, Minister of Trade and Industry, in terms of section 8 (5) (a) (ii) of the Harmful Business Practices Act, 1988 (Act No. 71 of 1988), hereby give notice that, because I have reason to believe that Diatom Filter Minerals Ltd, Terra Precious Stones (Pty) Ltd, El Dorado Gold Mines (Pty) Ltd and Terra Exploration and Development Ltd are applying a harmful business practice, which practice is the subject of an investigation by the Business Practices Committee—

1. I attach the following assets of the said Diatom Filter Minerals Ltd, Terra Precious Stones (Pty) Ltd, El Dorado Gold Mines (Pty) Ltd and Terra Exploration and Development Ltd until a curator referred to in section 12 (2) of the said Act takes these assets into his/her possession:

(a) In respect of Diatom Filter Minerals Ltd, previously Terra Witvlakte Project (Pty) Ltd, previously Yellowbark Mines (Pty) Ltd:

All right, title and interest in and to Notarial Mining Lease No. K560/1976L entered into on 23 February 1973 and registered on 10 June 1976 in the Register of Mining Leases, Deeds Offices, Cape Town, over—

- (i) a certain piece of land being the farm Witvlakte, a portion of the farm Baiang Vley, also described as being Portion 6 (Witvlakte) (a portion of Portion 1) of the farm Elsie Erasmus 158, situated in the Division of Vanrhynsdorp, measuring 965,9940 hectares; and
- (ii) a certain piece of land being Portion 6 (a portion of Portion 5—Graafwater) of the farm Hartebeestekom 156, situated in the Division of Vanrhynsdorp, measuring 2 872,5783 hectares.

(b) In respect of Terra Precious Stones (Pty) Ltd, previously Bluebark Mines (Pty) Ltd:

All right, title and interest in and to certain 72 precious stone claims on alluvial diggings Waldecks Plant, Administrative District of Barkly West, held under Claim Licence No. L85360 and shown on Plan No. 394 MCBW 10/159, which plan forms part of the records kept by the Regional Director: Northern Cape, Department of Minerals and Energy.

(c) In respect of El Dorado Gold Mines (Pty) Ltd:

All right, title and interest in and to certain 265 precious metal claims situated on farm Louieville, District of Barberton, held under Licence Nos. 7042, 14932, 14933, 16462, 16463, 16464 and 17042 and shown on Sketch Plans RMT M86/85 and RMT M87/85, which sketch plans form part of the records kept by the Regional Director: Mpumalanga, Department of Minerals and Energy.

(d) In respect of Terra Exploration and Development Ltd:

All right, title and interest in and to certain—

- (i) 220 base mineral claims situated on farm Selati Ranch 143 KT, District of Letaba, shown on Sketch Plans RMT Nos. 91/86 and M92/86, held under Licence No. 38428; and
- (ii) 50 base mineral claims situated on farm Selati Ranch 143 KT, District of Letaba, shown on Sketch Plan RMT No. M51/91, held under Licence No. 38593; and
- (iii) 26 base mineral claims situated on farm Thankerton 144 KT, District of Letaba, shown on Sketch Plan RMT No. M59/91, held under Licence No. 38592, which aforementioned sketch plans form part of the records kept by the Regional Director: Northern Province, Department of Minerals and Energy, and which base minerals claim licences form part of the interest described in an agreement entered into between one Edward Rogers as the seller and Terra Exploration and Development Ltd as the purchaser, signed by the said parties at Johannesburg on 31 October 1991 with retrospective effect from 28 February 1991.

2. Diatom Filter Minerals Ltd, Terra Precious Stones (Pty) Ltd, El Dorado Gold Mines (Pty) Ltd and Terra Exploration and Development Ltd are hereby prohibited to have deals with any movable or immovable property mentioned in paragraph 1.
3. This notice shall come into operation upon the date of publication hereof.

A. ERWIN**Minister of Trade and Industry****KENNISGEWING 1553 VAN 1996****DEPARTEMENT VAN HANDEL EN NYWERHEID****SAKEPRAKTYKEKOMITEE****WET OP SKADELIKE SAKEPRAKTYKE, 1988**

Ek, Alexander Erwin, Minister van Handel en Nywerheid, gee hiermee kragtens artikel 8 (5) (a) (ii) van die Wet op Skadelike Sakepraktyke, 1988 (Wet No. 71 van 1988), kennis dat, aangesien ek rede het om te vermoed dat Diatom Filter Minerals Bpk., Terra Precious Stones (Edms.) Bpk., El Dorado Gold Mines (Edms.) Bpk. en Terra Exploration and Development Bpk. 'n skadelike sakepraktyk toepas, welke sakepraktyk die onderwerp is van 'n ondersoek deur die Sakepraktykekomitee—

1. Ek op die volgende bates van gemelde Diatom Filter Minerals Bpk., Terra Precious Stones (Edms.) Bpk., El Dorado Gold Mines (Edms.) Bpk. en Terra Exploration and Development Bpk. beslag lê totdat 'n kurator bedoel in artikel 12 (2) van gemelde Wet sodanige bates in sy/haar besit neem:

(a) Met betrekking tot Diatom Filter Minerals Bpk., voorheen Terra Witvlakte Project (Edms.) Bpk., voorheen Yellowbark Mines (Edms.) Bpk.:

Alle reg, titel en belang in en tot Notariële Mynhuurkontrak No. K560/1976L aangegaan op 23 Februarie 1973 en geregistreer op 10 Junie 1976 in die Register van Mynhure, Aktekantoor, Kaapstad, oor—

- (i) 'n sekere gedeelte eiendom synde die plaas Witvlakte, 'n gedeelte van die plaas Baiang Vley, ook beskryf as synde Gedeelte 6 (Witvlakte) ('n gedeelte van Gedeelte 1) van die plaas Elsie Erasmus 158, geleë in die afdeling Vanrhynsdorp, groot 965,9940 hektaar; en

- (ii) 'n sekere gedeelte eiendom synde Gedeelte 6 ('n gedeelte van Gedeelte 5—Graafwater) van die plaas Hartebeestekom 156, geleë in die afdeling Vanrhynsdorp, groot 2 872,5783 hektaar.

(b) Met betrekking tot Terra Precious Stones (Edms.) Bpk., voorheen Bluebark Mines (Edms.) Bpk.:

Alle reg, titel en belang in en tot sekere 72 edelgesteentekleims op alluviale delwerye Waldecks Plant, administratiewe distrik Barkly-Wes, gehou onder Klemlisensie No. L85360 en aangetoon op Plan No. 394 MCBW 10/159, welke plan deel vorm van die inskrywings bygehou deur die Streekdirekteur: Noord-Kaap, Departement van Minerale en Energie.

(c) Met betrekking tot El Dorado Gold Mines (Edms.) Bpk.:

Alle reg, titel en belang in en tot sekere 265 edelmetaalkleims, geleë op die plaas Louieville, distrik Barberton, gehou onder Licensie Nos. 7042, 14932, 14933, 16462, 16463, 16464 en 17042 en aangetoon op Sketskaarte RMT M86/85 en RMT M87/85, welke sketskaarte deel vorm van die inskrywings bygehou deur die Streekdirekteur: Mpumalanga, Departement van Minerale en Energie.

(d) Met betrekking tot Terra Exploration and Development Bpk.:

Alle reg, titel en belang in en tot sekere—

- (i) 220 onedele mineralekleims geleë op plaas Selati Ranch 143 KT, distrik Letaba, aangetoon op Sketskaarte RMT Nos. 91/86 en M92/86, gehou onder Licensie No. 38428; en
- (ii) 50 onedele mineralekleims geleë op plaas Selati Ranch 143 KT, distrik Letaba, aangetoon op Sketskaart RMT No. M51/91, gehou onder Licensie No. 38593; en
- (iii) 26 onedele mineralekleims geleë op plaas Thankerton 144 KT, distrik Letaba, aangegetekend op Sketskaart RMT No. M59/91, gehou onder Licensie No. 38592, welke voorgenoemde sketskaarte deel vorm van die inskrywings bygehou deur die Streekdirekteur: Noordelike Provinse, Departement van Minerale en Energie; en welke onedele mineralekleim-licensies deel vorm van die belang beskryf in 'n ooreenkoms aangegaan tussen ene Edward Rogers as die verkoper en Terra Exploration and Development Bpk. as die koper, onderteken deur die gemelde partye te Johannesburg op 31 Oktober 1991 met terugwerkende effek vanaf 28 Februarie 1991.

2. Diatom Filter Minerals Bpk., Terra Precious Stones (Edms.) Bpk., El Dorado Gold Mines (Edms.) Bpk. en Terra Exploration and Development Bpk. word hiermee verbied om met enige roerende of onroerende eiendom in paragraaf 1 vermeld mee sake te doen.
3. Hierdie kennisgewing tree in werking op die datum van publikasie hiervan.

A. ERWIN

Minister van Handel en Nywerheid

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