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Dear Sir

THE APPLICABILITY OF THE NEMA EIA REGULATIONS, 2014 (AS AMENDED) WITH RESPECT TO THE REPLACEMENT OF A FURNACE ON ERF 34099, BELLVILLE.

Your electronic mail correspondence received by this Directorate on 16 March 2016, refers.


1. Based on the information provided by you, this Directorate notes the following:
 - 1.1. The existing furnace will be decommissioned and a new furnace will be installed; and
 - 1.2. The existing building will be expanded by approximately 55m² to accommodate the new furnace.
2. The replacement of the existing furnace will not result in additional emissions into the atmosphere.
3. You are hereby informed that the proposed development **does not** trigger a listed activity in terms of the NEMA EIA Regulations, 2014 (as amended on 07 April 2017).
4. This determination is based on the fact that the new furnace is not an addition to the existing facility but a replacement of the existing furnace which will not result in additional emissions into the atmosphere.
5. However, should any revision of your proposed development comprise any activities that constitute a listed activity as defined in GN No. R. 327; R. 325 or R. 324 of 04 December 2014 (as amended), an application for Environmental Authorisation must be submitted to the competent authority and authorisation obtained before such activity(ies) may commence.
6. You are reminded of the general duty of care towards the environment in terms of Section 28(1) of the NEMA which states: "Every person who causes, has caused or may cause significant pollution or degradation of the environment must take reasonable measures to prevent such pollution or degradation from occurring, continuing or recurring, or, in so far as such harm to the

environment is authorised by law or cannot reasonably be avoided or stopped, to minimise and rectify such pollution or degradation of the environment."

This Department reserves the right to revise or withdraw comments or request further information based on any information received.

Your interest in the future of our environment is greatly appreciated.

Yours faithfully



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