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Deputy Information Officer Department of Environmental Affairs
Attention: Mr Mark Jardine per email M.Jardine@environment.gov.za
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Reference: PAIA 145076
13 July 2015

Dear Sir,

REQUEST OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN HISTORY ARCHIVE IN TERMS OF ACCESS TO INFORMATION ACT, 2000 [ACT NO 2 OF 2000] FOR ACCESS TO INFORMATION/RECORDS RELATING TO THE MAKANA WASTE SITE

Your letter of 1 July 2015 refers. Further to this:

1. The Senior Manager Compliance and Enforcement of the Eastern Cape Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism [DEDEAT] on 9 March 2015 issued a Compliance Notice to the Makana Local Municipality regarding non-compliance at its waste site. A copy of the notice is attached to this letter.
2. On 30 March 2015 a response to the Compliance Notice was received from the Acting Municipal Manager of Makana Local Municipality, see copy attached.
3. Due to the nature and severity of the challenges facing Makana Local Municipality, as outlined in the response referred to in Point 2, DEDEAT has not finally determined how best to proceed in dealing with this matter and thus far no further concrete action has been taken.
4. It is assumed that you will forward this letter and attachments to the requesters of this information and that they will determine if the information provided is adequate for their purposes.

Yours Sincerely,



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