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Game Farm CC Remainder of Farm 373.

Mossel Bay RD

Datum: / Date:

27 March 2018

Outeniqua Game Farm CC P. O. Box 59 Ruiterbos 6499

For Attention: K. Smith

Sir.

CONFIRMATION OF GENERAL AUTHORISATION IN TERMS OF SECTION 39 OF THE NATIONAL WATER ACT 1998 (ACT 36 OF 1998) FOR SECTION 21 (a) FOR THE TAKING OF WATER FROM A RESOURCE AND SECTION 21 (b) FOR THE STORING OF WATER, FARM 373/RE, MOSSEL BAY RD.

The completed registration forms, submitted on 31/01/2018, have reference.

The BGCMA has evaluated the submitted documents and hereby confirms that the proposed water uses falls within the ambit of the General Authorisation, Government Gazette No. 40243, Notice No. 538, dated 2 September 2016. Therefore, you may continue with the water use(s) as permissible in terms of Section 22(1)(a)(iii) of the National Water Act, 1998. Details of the water use registered appear in Table 1.

Table 1: Summary of water use activities:

Water Use(s)	Property Description	Quaternary Catchment	Purpose	Maximum volume to be abstracted per annum	Maximum volume to be stored on the property	Co- ordinates	
Section 21(a)	Farm 373/RE	K10D	Taking of ground water from a borehole for irrigation	117 819m <sup>3</sup> /a		S 33° 58' 41.5" E 22° 01' 57.7"	

Section 21(a)	Farm 373/RE	K10D	Taking of surface	80 000m³/a		S 33° 43.5"	59'
			water from			E 22°	02'
			river/stream for irrigation				
Section 21(b)	Farm 373/RE	K10D	Storing of water		40 000m <sup>3</sup>	S 33° 39.0" E 22° 37.0"	
21(b)	373/RE		water			E 22°	

Your water use(s) have been registered for the basis of the BGCMA's records and/or billing. Find attached with this letter your registration certificate and a copy of the relevant General Authorisation for ease of reference.

Please review the certificate and inform the BGCMA within one calendar month of any errors which may have occurred. Send the enquiries to the WARMS section, Email: WARMS Queries@bgcma.co.za, Tel. 023 346 8000.

The responsibility for complying with all the provisions of the General Authorisation is vested in the water user and not any other person or body. Non-compliance constitute an offence, and it will be dealt with in terms of Section 53, 54 and 151 (2) of the National Water Act, 1998.

The water use may not impact on a water resource or any other person's water use, property or land. It should not be excessive in relation to the capacity of the water resource and the needs of other users.

Please bear in mind that the volumes contained within this General Authorisation, could be subject to change pending the current Validation and Verification Process, which aims to determine Existing Lawful Water Use; the historical water use that was in existence (and still is) during the qualifying period timeframe of 1996 – 1998.

Please do not hesitate to contact this office if you have any further queries.

Please ensure to quote the above reference in doing so.

Yours Faithfully

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MR. JAN VAN STADEN

**CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER (ACTING)**