

Annex B7

Site Website

B7.1. Eni Project Website

- A project website was set up to allow easy accessibility to the project information and documents.
- The following documents were uploaded to the project website and are available for public download:
 - All posters used at the open house meetings.
 - The non-technical summary (Available in English, isiZulu and isiXhosa).
 - The draft EIA and annexes (Available in English and isiZulu).
 - Details of the Environmental assessment practitioner.
 - The Stakeholder database.
 - Public notification materials
 - The final scoping report and annexes.
 - A background information document.



Eni South Africa BV (Eni), and Sasol Africa Limited (Sasol) hold an exploration right off the East Coast of South Africa. Eni and Sasol are considering the possibility of conducting an exploration drilling programme in Block ER 236 (12/3/236) to assess the commercial viability of the hydrocarbon reservoir for future development.

The Project requires Environmental Authorisation (EA) from the National Department of Mineral Resources (DMR), through the Petroleum Agency South Africa (PASA). The authorisation would be under the National Environmental Management Act (NEMA) (Act No. 107 of 1998).

To obtain an EA, Eni must undertake an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) process in terms of the NEMA EIA Regulations, 2014. The Department of Mineral Resources (DMR) is the competent authority and has powers to authorise the development or refuse it. Applications must be submitted to PASA. PASA is responsible for evaluating applications, entering into negotiations with applicants and making recommendations to the Minister of Mineral Resources on their acceptability.

This website serves to disseminate Project information as it becomes available. If you have any questions, or wish to register as an interested and affected party, please contact ERM.

EIA Update September 2018

An EIA process was commenced in January 2018 with the release of a Draft Scoping Report. The Final Scoping Report was approved by PASA on 16 April 2018. ERM experienced unforeseen delays in the finalising of specialist studies which resulted in subsequent delays in the drafting of the EIA Report. Consequently, ERM was not able to finalise and release the draft report for comment and comply with the stipulated 106 day timeframe in which to submit the final EIA Report by the 03 August 2018, as prescribed in Section 23(1)(a) of the NEMA EIA Regulations. As such, the EIA Application lapsed on the 03 August 2018. A new EIA process has commenced, which was approved by PASA on 29 August 2018, successive to the approval of the Scoping Report on 16 April 2018.

Release of Draft EIA Report

Notice is hereby given that the Draft EIA Report is available to the public for comment.

Following stakeholder requests made at the Open House meetings in Richard's Bay and Durban, the draft EIA report has been translated into isiZulu, and can be downloaded here:

[Eni SA Draft EIA Drilling Zulu.pdf](#)

In light of the above, and in response to stakeholder requests, the comment period has been extended and will now close on **8 November 2018**.

The Report is available below, on request from ERM, and at the following public locations:

- Durban Central Lending Public Library
- Austerville Library
- Richards Bay Library
- Port Shepstone Library
- East London Central Library
- Nelson Mandela Bay Municipality – Linton Grange Library
- ERM offices, Suite S005, 17 The Boulevard, Westway Office Park, Westville

Open House Meetings

Open house meetings were held as per the schedule below. A copy of the posters that were on display at the meetings can be viewed here:

[1.Welcome poster final a2.pdf](#)

[2.Instructions Poster v1- FINAL a2.pdf](#)

[3. Code of Conduct Poster final a2.pdf](#)

[4.EIA Process Poster FINAL.pdf](#)

[5.ENI Project Description_FINAL.pdf](#)

[6.Logistics FINAL.pdf](#)

[7.Marine Ecology poster FINAL.pdf](#)

[8.Eni Fisheries poster_Final.pdf](#)

[9.Other Impacts poster final.pdf](#)

[10.Unplanned events Poster final.pdf](#)

[11.EIA SA oil spill poster_final durban.pdf](#)

[12 Eni Response measures_final.pdf](#)

[13.Eni EMPr poster_final.pdf](#)

[14.EIA Public Consultation SA - Poster SUST_1.pdf](#)

[15.EIA Public Consultation SA - ENI 2 Poster Climate Strategy.pdf](#)

Day and Date	Location	Venue	Time
Wednesday 3 October 2018	Port Elizabeth Open House	Boardwalk Hotel, Beach Rd,	15:00 – 18:00

Port Elizabeth	isiXhosa translator to be present	Summerstrand, Port Elizabeth, 6019	
Thursday 4 October 2018 East London	East London Open House isiXhosa translator to be present	Blue Lagoon hotel & Conference Centre, 21 Blue Bend Pl, Blue Bend, East London	15:00 – 18:00
Monday 8 October 2018 Richards Bay	Richards Bay Open House isiZulu translator to be present	Premier Hotel The Richards, 3 Hibberd Dr, Meer En See, Richards Bay	15:00 – 18:00
Tuesday 9 October 2018 Durban	Durban Open House isiZulu translator to be present	Gooderson Tropicana Hotel, 85 OR Tambo Parade, South Beach, Durban	15:00 – 18:00
Wednesday 10 October 2018 Port Shepstone	Port Shepstone Open House isiZulu translator to be present	Venture Inn, 366 Commercial Rd, Umtentweni, Port Shepstone	15:00 – 18:00

Download the Draft EIA Report Here:

[Eni_SA_NTS_Drilling_Final.pdf](#)

[Eni NTS Drilling Xhosa.pdf](#)

[Eni NTS Drilling Zulu.pdf](#)

[Eni SA Draft EIA Drilling Zulu.pdf](#)

[Eni_SA_Draft EIA_Drilling_Final.pdf](#)

[Annex A_Details of the EAP.pdf](#)

[Annex B1_Public Participation_StakeholderDataBase.pdf](#)

[Annex B2_Public Participation_NotificationMaterial.pdf](#)

[Annex B3_Public Participation_Notification_cont.pdf](#)

[Annex B4_Public Participation_ScopingEngagement.pdf](#)

[Annex B5_Public Participation_EIA_Engagement.pdf](#)

[Annex B6_Public Participation_CommentsandResponses.pdf](#)

[Annex B7_Public Participation_CommentsReceived.pdf](#)

[Annex C_Authority Communication.pdf](#)

[Annex D Oil_Spill_Modelling_Report.pdf](#)

[Annex D1 Marine_Ecology.pdf](#)

[Annex D2 Fisheries_Study.pdf](#)

[Annex D3 Marine_Heritage_Study.pdf](#)

[Annex D5 Cuttings_Modelling_Report.pdf](#)

[Annex D6 PeerReview_Oil_Spill_Report.pdf](#)

[Annex D7 NTS_Oil_Spill_Report.pdf](#)

[Annex D8 Social_Baseline.pdf](#)

[Annex E_Financial Provisions_Combined.pdf](#)

Final Scoping Report

The Final Scoping Report for the proposed Exploration Drilling within Block ER236, off the East Coast of South Africa was submitted to the Petroleum Agency South Africa (PASA) for consideration on 08 March 2018 and approved on 16 April 2018.

[Eni Scoping Report Acceptance Letter 12-3-236.pdf](#)

Download the Final Scoping Report below:

[Eni_Final_Scoping_Report_08March2018.pdf](#)

[Annex A_Team_CVs.pdf](#)

[1.Annex_B_Engagement_Materials.pdf](#)

[2.Annex_B_Engagement_Materials.pdf](#)

[3.Annex_B_Engagement_Materials.pdf](#)

[4.Annex_B_Engagement_Materials.pdf](#)

[5.Annex_B_Engagement_Materials.pdf](#)

[6.Annex_B_Engagement_Materials.pdf](#)

[Annex_C_Comments_Responses_Report.pdf](#)


[Annex_D_Attendance_Registers.pdf](#)

Background Information Document:

[BID_Eni_Exploration_January2018.pdf](#)[Eni SA Draft EIA Drilling Zulu.pdf](#)

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