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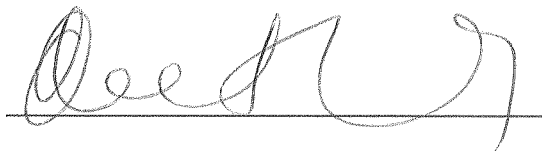
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DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

I, **Karin Neethling** as duly authorised representative of **Arcus GIBB** hereby confirm my independence (as well as that of **Arcus GIBB**), as an Environmental Scientist and declare that neither I nor **Arcus GIBB** have any interest, be it business, financial, personal or other, in any proposed activity, application or appeal in respect of which Arcus GIBB was appointed as environmental assessment practitioner in terms of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998), other than fair remuneration for worked performed, specifically in connection with the Environmental Impact Assessment for the proposed conventional nuclear power station ('Nuclear 1').



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