

To: Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment (DFFE)

Attention: Ministers Dion George, Narend Singh and Bernice Swarts
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To: Department of Mineral Resources and Energy (DMRE)

Attention: Gwede Mantashe, Phumzile Sinclatia Mgcina
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Subject: Objection to Prospecting Applications within the Ugu District of KZN ,Umzumbe and Ray Nkonyeni Municipalities.

(Prospecting Reference numbers are: KZN30/5/1/1/2/11831PR & KZN30/5/1/1/2/11795PR & KZN 30/5/1/1/2/11466)

To Whom it may concern,

I, _____, resident of _____ hereby submit a formal objection to the **three prospecting applications attached in the main petition list**

Southbroom and surrounding areas natural heritage, biodiversity, and residential stability cannot be compromised for short-term gains. The lack of transparency, environmental safeguards, and meaningful engagement with affected residents make this prospecting initiative unacceptable.

I strongly urge the DFFE and DMRE to **reject these applications immediately** and prioritize **preserving Southbroom's integrity, safety, and quality of life.**

I stand with my fellow residents and community members in opposing these applications, and I request official confirmation that my objection has been received and recorded.

Reason of objection

Signature

Date: