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Dear Applicant,

**REQUIREMENT FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION WITH REGARD TO THE POSTPONEMENT APPLICATION FOR COMPLIANCE WITH THE 2015 MINIMUM EMISSION STANDARDS FOR THE MATIMBA POWER STATION**

This letter serves to inform you that after a preliminary review of your postponement application, the following was observed:

- Current stack emission limits are not supplied;
- There is no indication of planned compliance into the future;
- Ambient air quality monitoring graphs are not presented as time series plots to clearly indicate the trend of air quality as well as exceedances;
- Frequency plots do not represent monitoring data accurately so data gaps, trends or time evolution of pollutants cannot be observed;
- There is limited data supplied to undertake the PM<sub>2.5</sub> health and environmental impact.

In order to continue to consider your application and to make an informed decision, you are required to provide information that addresses the issues raised herein. Please note that the application will be placed on hold until such time the information is made available.

Yours Sincerely,

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**NATIONAL AIR QUALITY OFFICER (NAQO)**

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