

**FORM A**

**REQUEST FOR ACCESS TO RECORDS OF A PUBLIC BODY**

(Section 18 (1) of the Promotion of Access to Information Act, 2000

(Act No. 2 of 2000)

**[Regulation 2]**

<b>FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE</b>	
	Reference number: _____
Request received by: _____ (state rank, name and surname of information officer/deputy information officer) on _____ (date) at _____ (place).	
Request fee (if any):	R.....
Deposit fee (if any):	R.....
Access fee:	R.....
	_____ SIGNATURE OF INFORMATION OFFICER/DEPUTY INFORMATION OFFICER

**A. Particulars of public body**

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**B. Particulars of person requesting access to the record**

- (a) *The particulars of the person who requests access to the record must be recorded below.*  
(b) *Furnish an address and/or fax number in the Republic to which information must be sent*  
(c) *Proof of the capacity in which the request is made, if applicable, must be attached.*

**Name of organisation:** Centre for Environmental Rights  
**Registration number:** 2009/020736/08  
**Postal address:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Springtime Studios, 1 Scott Road, Observatory,  
Cape Town, 7925  
**Fax number:** +27 86 730 9098  
**Telephone number:** +27 21 447 1647/083 275 2010  
**E-Mail Address:** [tlloyd@cer.org.za](mailto:tlloyd@cer.org.za)  
[dsefatsa@cer.org.za](mailto:dsefatsa@cer.org.za)

Capacity in which request is made, when made on behalf of another person: **N/A**

**C. Particulars of person on whose behalf request is made**

*This section must be completed ONLY if a request for information is made on behalf of another person.*

**N/A**

**D. Particulars of record**

- (a) *Provide full particulars of the record to which access is requested, including the reference number if that is known to you, to enable the record to be located.*  
(b) *If the provided space is inadequate please continue on a separate folio and attach it to this form. **The requester must sign all the additional folios.***

**1. Description of record or relevant part of the record:**

- 1.1. List of all the entities and/or persons that have applied for, and/or have been granted, Environmental Authorisations (EA) in terms of Chapter 4 of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations, 2014 as amended (published under GN R982 in GG 38282 of 4 December 2014) and National Environmental Management Act 107 of 1998, for the development and

related operation of facilities or infrastructure for the generation of electricity from non-renewable resources (coal and gas).

We request that this list is restricted to applications for coal-fired and gas-fired power generation facilities with the electricity output of 20 megawatts (MW) and above, during the period of January 2016 to date (January 2021).

The list should specify but is not limited to the following:

- 1.1.1. the applicant;
- 1.1.2. location of the project site;
- 1.1.3. installed capacity of the project; and
- 1.1.4. status of the project's application process.

**E. Fees**

<p>(a) A request for access to a record, other than a record containing personal information about yourself, will be processed only after a request fee has been paid.</p> <p>(b) You will be notified of the amount required to be paid as the request fee.</p> <p>(c) The <b>fee payable for access</b> to a record depends on the form in which access is required and the reasonable time required to search for and prepare a record.</p> <p>(d) If you qualify for exemption of the payment of any fee, please state the reason for exemption.</p>
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Reason for exemption from payment of fees:

**F. Form of access to record**

<p>If you are prevented by a disability to read, view or listen to the record in the form of access provided for in 1 to 4 hereunder, state your disability and indicate in which form the record is required.</p>	
Disability: _____ _____	Form in which record is required: _____ _____

<p>Mark the appropriate box with an "X".</p> <p>NOTES:</p> <p>(a) Your indication as to the required form of access depends on the form in which the record is available.</p> <p>(b) Access in the form requested may be refused in certain circumstances. In such a case you will be informed if access will be granted in another form.</p> <p>(c) The fee payable for access to the record, if any, will be determined partly by the form in which access is requested.</p>						
<b>1. If the record is in printed form:</b>						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Copy of record*			Inspection of record		
<b>2. If record consists of visual images:</b> (this includes photographs, slides, video recordings, computer-generated images, sketches, etc).						
	view the images	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	copy of the images*		transcription of the images*	
<b>3. If record consists of recorded words or information which can be reproduced in sound:</b>						
	Listen to the soundtrack (audio cassette)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	transcription of soundtrack* (written or printed document)			
<b>4. If record is held on computer or in an electronic or machine – readable form:</b>						
	Printed copy of record*		Printed copy derived from the record*	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	copy in computer readable form*(stiffy or compact disc)	
<p>* If you requested a copy or transcription of a record (above), do you wish the copy or transcription to be posted to you?</p> <p><b>A postal fee is payable.</b></p> <p><i>Note that if the record is not available in the language you prefer, access may be granted in the language in which the record is available.</i></p> <p>In which language would you prefer the record? <b>English</b></p>					<p>YES</p>	<p>NO</p> <p>X</p>

**G. Notice of decision regarding request for access**

<p>You will be notified in writing whether your request has been approved/denied. If you wish to be informed thereof in another manner, please specify the manner and provide the necessary</p>
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particulars to enable compliance with your request.

How would you prefer to be informed of the decision regarding your request for access to the record?

**Per Email:** [tlloyd@cer.org.za](mailto:tlloyd@cer.org.za) and [dsefatsa@cer.org.za](mailto:dsefatsa@cer.org.za)

Signed at **Johannesburg** this **18th** day of **January 2021**.



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SIGNATURE OF THE REQUESTER

Timothy Lloyd

Attorney

Centre for Environmental Rights