

Environmental & Social Safeguards

**FP106/2 – Mulilo Newcastle Wind Power (Pty) Ltd, Wind Energy Facility,
near Newcastle, KwaZulu-Natal Province**

FP106 Embedded Generation Investment Programme (EGIP)

**Development Bank of Southern Africa
(DBSA)**

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ESS disclosure report form for subprojects

Environmental and social report(s) disclosure

Accredited entity	Development Bank of Southern Africa (DBSA)
Programme	
FP number and programme title	FP106 - Embedded Generation Investment Programme (EGIP)
Sector (public or private)	Private
Location (target country and, if any, specific areas)	South Africa
ESS category	Category B
Board decision and date	Decision B.22/07, paragraph (k) on 28 February 2019
Sub-project	
Subproject title	Mulilo Newcastle Wind Power (Pty) Ltd, Wind Energy Facility, near Newcastle, KwaZulu-Natal Province
ESS category	Category B
Location	Located approximately 15 km northwest of the town of Newcastle, in the Newcastle Local Municipality, Kwazulu-Natal Province, South Africa.
Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) (if applicable)	
Date of disclosure on the accredited entity's website	15 July 2026
Language(s) understandable to affected peoples	English
Link to disclosure	https://www.dbsa.org/mulilo-newcastle-wind-energy-facility
Other link(s)	N/A
Remarks on compliance with GCF policies	1) <u>Mulilo Wind Energy Facility - ESIA</u>: An Environmental Impact Assessment Report (EIAR) consistent with the requirements for a Category B Sub - Project is being disclosed as in the disclosure link (An EIAR is the ESIA equivalent as per South African Competent Authority requirements). 2) <u>Grid Infrastructure Connection -ESIA</u>: A Basic Assessment Report (BAR) consistent with the requirements for a Category B Sub - Project is being disclosed as in the disclosure link (A BAR is the ESIA equivalent as per South African Competent Authority requirements). In accordance with the Green Climate Fund's Information Disclosure Policy (the "Policy"), the DBSA is disclosing information relating to a Category B Sub-Project(s) being considered for investment. This disclosure is intended to satisfy the requirement set out in paragraph 17 of the GCF Policy and paragraph 65 of the GCF Revised Environmental and Social Policy to disclose ESIA (if applicable) and ESMP (if applicable), at least 30 days in advance of the Accredited Entity's investment decision
Environmental and Social Management Plan (ESMP) (if applicable)	
Date of disclosure on accredited entity's website	15 July 2026

Language(s) understandable to affected peoples	English.
Link to disclosure	https://www.dbsa.org/mulilo-newcastle-wind-energy-facility
Other link(s)	N/A
Remarks on compliance with GCF policies	1) <u>Mulilo Wind Energy Facility – ESMP</u>: An Environment Management Programme (EMPr) consistent with the requirements for a Category B Sub - Project is Contained in Appendix G1 of the EIAR (An EMPr is the ESMP equivalent as per South African Competent Authority requirements). 2) <u>Grid Infrastructure Connection - ESMP</u>: An EMPr consistent with the requirements for a Category B sub-project is contained in Appendix E1 and E2 of the BAR (An EMPr is the ESMP equivalent as per South African Competent Authority requirements). In accordance with the Green Climate Fund’s Information Disclosure Policy (the “Policy”), the DBSA is disclosing information relating to a Category B Sub-Project(s) being considered for investment. This disclosure is intended to satisfy the requirement set out in paragraph 17 of the GCF Policy and paragraph 65 of the GCF Revised Environmental and Social Policy to disclose ESIA (if applicable) and ESMP (if applicable), at least 30 days in advance of the Accredited Entity’s investment decision.
Environmental and Social Management System (ESMS) (if applicable)	
Date of disclosure on accredited entity’s website	N/A
Language(s) understandable to affected peoples	N/A
Link to disclosure	N/A
Other link(s)	N/A
Remarks on compliance with GCF policies	A project Specific Environment and Social Management System (ESMS) will be prepared by Mulilo. The ESMS and associated policies, plans and procedures are still under development by the Borrower.
Any other relevant ESS reports and/or disclosures (if applicable), e.g. Indigenous Peoples Plan (IPP), Indigenous Peoples Planning Framework (IPPF), Resettlement Action Plan (RAP), Resettlement Policy Framework (RPF)	
Description of report/disclosure	N/A
Date of disclosure on the accredited entity’s website	N/A
Language(s) understandable to affected peoples	N/A
Link to disclosure	N/A
Other link(s)	N/A
Remarks on compliance with GCF policies	DBSA Environmental and Social Safeguard Standards 4: Indigenous Peoples and Standard 5: Development Induced

	Displacement and Resettlement not triggered. Land acquisition and involuntary resettlement are not required and anticipated to be undertaken for the Project. There are no IP as defined by the IFC found in the Project footprint or in the Project surrounds.
Disclosure in locations convenient to affected peoples (or, if none or not yet identified, to stakeholders)	
Date(s)	15 July 2026
Place(s)	Development Bank of Southern Africa 1258 Lever Road Headway Hill Midrand South Africa Online: https://www.dbsa.org/mulilo-newcastle-wind-energy-facility
Provision on disclosure at subproject level	Clause 11.02 (k): In relation to each Sub-Project that is category B (pursuant to the Environmental and Social Risk Categories), disclose the ESIA and ESMP and, as appropriate, inclusive of the Land Acquisition and/or Resettlement Action Plan (" LARAP ") and any other associated information including those relevant to indigenous peoples required to be disclosed pursuant to the Information Disclosure Policy and the Environmental and Social Policy (each, the " Sub-Project Disclosure Package "). The Accredited Entity shall disclose the Project Disclosure Package at least thirty (30) calendar days prior to its approval of the relevant category B Sub-Project, in English and in the local language (if not English), on its website and in locations convenient to the affected peoples, and submit the Sub-Project Disclosure Package to the Fund for subsequent distribution to the GCF Board and the Fund's active observers and for publishing in the GCF website.
Date and place of accredited entity meeting	25 August 2026

Note: This form was prepared by the accredited entity stated above.

Please note that the ESS documents are subject to final review during the 30-days for Category B disclosure period.