

REPORT FOR JANUARY 2017

<p>4 January 2017</p>	<p>Interview: Anna Maria van Niekerk – Carte Blanche</p> <p>Sludge Disposal: Eastern Basin AMD Treatment Plant</p>
<p>13 January 2017</p>	<p>Site Visitation with NW DREAD (Appeal Administrator, Ms Carene Wessels), ENSafrica, SLR, and PPM pursuant to the FSE’s Appeal against the Environmental Authorisation of the expansion of the Sedibelo Platinum Mine</p> <p>Submission of answering statement and comments on site visitation</p> <p>Oxpeckers article on Sedibelo Platinum Mine http://oxpeckers.org/2017/01/appeal-against-mine-expansion-in-wildlife-corridor/</p>
<p>16 January 2017</p>	<p>Meeting with South Deep Mine re Facilitation of Community Meetings</p>
<p>17 January 2017</p>	<p>Inspection of the Upper Wonderfonteinspruit with Messrs Mogale Matseba, Bashan Govender, Nkune, Ms Chawane, etc and Mintails’ operations</p> <p>Tour of the West Rand gold fields with Jake Brink, Alastair Forsyth alastair@tbtech.co.za, et al of the West Rand goldfields</p>
<p>18 January 2017</p>	<p>Research Assistance: Alia Kajee – academic research Chevening Scholar 2016/2017 MSc Candidate: Environment, Politics and Development School of Oriental and African Studies</p>
<p>24 January 2017</p>	<p>Interview: Corruption Watch (Amanda Shivanbo) – “Mining for Sustainable Development Programme” (Global Report of 20 Countries regarding Transparency in the Mining Sector)</p>
<p>26 January 2017</p>	<p>Research assistance: Prof Toyoda and Lesley Moremi –Faculty of Environmental Earth Science, Hokkaido Univ., Japan: Airborne alpha-ray nuclide concentration in the habitant area</p>
<p>27 January 2017</p>	<p>Contributions to and launch of Lawyers for Human Rights’ Report titled “Blyooruitzicht Mine Village: the human toll of state and corporate abdication of responsibility in South Africa”</p>



	Research assistance: Ludovica de Girolamo – Migrant labourers within the Mining Sector (South Deep Mine: Case Study)
30 January 2017	South Deep Mine: Planning Meeting
31 January 2017	Interview: Reuter (Siyando Yono) - AMD

