

SWORN AFFIDAVIT – B-BBEE EXEMPTED MICRO ENTERPRISE

I, the undersigned,

Full Name and Surname	MICHAEL GRAHAM DIEDERIKS
Identity Number	840305 5075 087

Hereby declare under oath as follows:

1. The contents of this statement are to the best of my knowledge a true reflection of the facts.
2. I am a director of the following enterprise and am duly authorised to act on its behalf:

Enterprise Name	APPLIED OPTIMISATION (PTY) LTD
Trading Name	
Registration Number	2022/672322/07
Enterprise Address	OXFORD MANOR, 196 OXFORD MANOR, ILLOVO, SANDTON, 2196
Type of Entity (CC, (Pty), Ltd, Sole Prop, etc.):	(PTY) LTD
Nature of Business	NO RESTIRCTIONS ON BUSINESS ACTIVITES
Definition of "Black People"	As per the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act 53 of 2003 as Amended by Act no 46 of 2013 "Black People" is a generic term which means Africans, Coloured and Indians – (a) Who are citizens of the Republic of South Africa by birth or descent; or (b) Who became citizens of the Republic of South Africa by naturalisation – (i) Before 27 April 1994; or (ii) On or after 27 April 1994 and who would have been entitled to acquire citizenship by naturalization prior to that date;"
Definition of "Black Designated Groups"	"Black Designated Groups means: (a) Unemployed black people not attending and not required by law to attend an educational institution and not awaiting admission to an educational institution; (b) Black people who are youth as defined in the National Youth Commission Act of 1996; (c) Black people who are persons with disabilities as defined in the Code of Good Practice on employment of people with disabilities issued under the Employment Equity Act; (d) Black people living in rural and under developed areas; (e) Black military veterans who qualify to be called a military veteran in terms of the Military Veterans Act 18 of 2011."

3. I hereby declare under oath that:

- The enterprise is 51% black owned using the flow-through principle as per Amended Code Series 100 of the Amended Codes of Good Practice issued under section 9 (1) of B-BBEE Act no 53 of 2003 as Amended by Act No 46 of 2013;
- The enterprise is 0% black female owned as per Amended Code Series 100 of the Amended Codes of Good Practice issued under section 9 (1) of B-BBEE Act no 53 of 2003 as Amended by Act No 46 of 2013;
- The enterprise is 51% black designated group owned as per Amended Code Series 100 of the Amended Codes of Good Practice issued under section 9 (1) of B-BBEE Act no 53 of 2003 as Amended by Act No 46 of 2013;

- Black designated group owned % breakdown as per the definition stated above:
 - Black Youth % = 51%
 - Black Disabled % = 0%
 - Black Unemployed % = 0%
 - Black People living in Rural areas % = 0%
 - Black Military Veterans % = 0%
- Based on the financial statements and other information available on the latest financial year-end of 29/02/2024, the annual Total Revenue was between R10,000,000-00 (Ten Million rand) and R50,000,000 (Fifty Million Rand);
- Please confirm on the table below the B-BBEE level contributor, by **ticking the applicable box**.

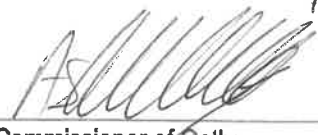
100% black owned	Level One (135% B-BBEE procurement recognition level)	
More than 51% black owned	Level Two (125% B-BBEE procurement recognition level)	X

4. I know and understand the contents of this affidavit and I have no objection to take the prescribed oath and consider the oath binding on my conscience and on the owners of the enterprise which I represent in this matter.

5. The sworn affidavit will be valid for a period of 12 months from the date signed by commissioner.

Deponent Signature: _____

Date: 28/11/2024


 Commissioner of Oaths
 Signature and Stamp
 Date 28/11/2024

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