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Dredging News # 5

Dear POMA Clients and Stakeholders,

We promised at the beginning of the week to give feedback after a high-level meeting with the DEAD&P officials in Cape Town.

Well, the meeting never happened, reportedly, because “they are not ready to talk to us because their departments did not give feedback by the deadline date”.

The internal deadline date for the DEAD&P departments was Friday, 27 April 2019. This internal deadline was set after POMA was required to submit options by 17 April 2019, which was done.

It is clear that the Department is, again, playing for time.

What is the Plan?

- We will try and secure a meeting as soon as possible.
- At this meeting we will demand a complete exemption of any authorisation as per the current legislation.
- We are finalising preparations and will be putting our dredger in the water on 10 May 2019.

We shall keep you updated as we proceed.

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