

**TR-1: NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTEREST IN SHARES<sup>i</sup>**

<b>1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached:<sup>ii</sup></b>		Vast Resources Plc (Sedol: B142P69)	
<b>2 Reason for the notification</b> (please tick the appropriate box or boxes):			
An acquisition or disposal of voting rights			
An acquisition or disposal of qualifying financial instruments which may result in the acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached			
An acquisition or disposal of instruments with similar economic effect to qualifying financial instruments			
An event changing the breakdown of voting rights		<b>X</b>	
Other (please specify):			
<b>3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation:<sup>iii</sup></b>		Sapi River Investments Limited	
<b>4. Full name of shareholder(s)</b> (if different from 3.): <sup>iv</sup>			
<b>5. Date of the transaction and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached:<sup>v</sup></b>		10 <sup>th</sup> August 2015	
<b>6. Date on which issuer notified:</b>			
<b>7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached:<sup>vi, vii</sup></b>		3%	

**8. Notified details:**
**A: Voting rights attached to shares<sup>viii, ix</sup>**

Class/type of shares  if possible using the ISIN CODE	Situation previous to the triggering transaction		Resulting situation after the triggering transaction				
	Number of Shares	Number of Voting Rights	Number of shares Direct	Number of voting rights Direct <sup>xi</sup>   Indirect <sup>xii</sup>		% of voting rights <sup>x</sup> Direct   Indirect	
	42,162,745	42,162,745	42,162,745	42,162,745		2.88	

**B: Qualifying Financial Instruments**
**Resulting situation after the triggering transaction**

Type of financial instrument	Expiration date <sup>xiii</sup>	Exercise/Conversion Period <sup>xiv</sup>	Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/ converted.	% of voting rights

**C: Financial Instruments with similar economic effect to Qualifying Financial Instruments<sup>xv, xvi</sup>**

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction							
Type of financial instrument	Exercise price	Expiration date <sup>xvii</sup>	Exercise/ Conversion period <sup>xviii</sup>	Number of voting rights instrument refers to	% of voting rights <sup>xix, xx</sup>		
					Nominal	Delta	
<b>Total (A+B+C)</b>							
<b>Number of voting rights</b>				<b>Percentage of voting rights</b>			
42,162,745							

**9. Chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable:**<sup>xxi</sup>

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**Proxy Voting:**

<b>10. Name of the proxy holder:</b>	FNB International Trustees Limited
<b>11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease to hold:</b>	42,162,745
<b>12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights:</b>	
<b>13. Additional information:</b>	
<b>14. Contact name:</b>	
<b>15. Contact telephone number:</b>	

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