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The province of KwaZulu-Natal has a number of characteristics that makes it a compelling investment destination on the African continent. This installment of the KwaZulu-Natal Investment Opportunities Booklet provides investors with an updated broad overview of the investment opportunities across various key sectors in the economy. It also highlights the key features that we believe make doing business in KwaZulu-Natal an attractive proposition.

Investment in KwaZulu-Natal continues to emerge as a major contributor to South Africa’s growing economy and its favourable business environment has made the province a sound investment destination for investors from around the world. Major economic sectors in KwaZulu-Natal include manufacturing (chemical, textiles, pulp and paper products), business services, mining and beneficiation, tourism and property development, as well as agriculture and forestry.

KwaZulu-Natal is a major role-player in the manufacturing, transport and logistics sectors in South Africa. With two
of Africa’s busiest ports and world-class road and rail infrastructure, the province enjoys the strategic and competitive advantage of being a global gateway for trade into Southern Africa and to the world. Its strategic location and highly developed industrial sector ensures a competitive edge for both local and foreign investors and unique advantages for local exporters.

The province boasts two Special Economic Zones (SEZs), one being Dube TradePort, close to Durban, and Richards Bay Industrial Development Zone, in Northern KwaZulu-Natal which continue to be flagship instruments for investments within KwaZulu-Natal, attracting a wide range of investments to promote and enhance the competitiveness of the province’s manufacturing sector and to encourage the beneficiation of available resources. These SEZs have provided opportunities to exporters located throughout the province.

This means that businesses do not necessarily have to be adjacent to the province’s seaports or airport to benefit. The SEZs have expanded the strategic industrialisation focus to cover diverse regional development needs and context. The KwaZulu-Natal provincial government is committed to the creation of an attractive environment to achieve a better life for all our people. Together, let us make KwaZulu-Natal a winning province.
Trade & Investment KwaZulu-Natal (TIKZN) is a South African trade and inward investment promotion agency, established to specifically promote the province of KwaZulu-Natal as a premier investment destination and to facilitate trade by assisting locally-based business enterprises to access international markets.

TIKZN identifies, develops and packages investment opportunities in KwaZulu-Natal, provides a professional investment promotion services to all clientele, brands and markets KwaZulu-Natal as an investment destination, retains and expands trade and export activities and links opportunities to the developmental needs of the KwaZulu-Natal community.

The booklet contain approximately R200 billion ($13.3 billion) worth of investment opportunities with a potential to create approximately 500,000 decent job opportunities. The opportunities packaged in the booklet span across all priority sectors of this province inclusive of manufacturing, tourism and property development, renewable energy, health care and agro-processing.

KwaZulu-Natal is South Africa’s second largest economy, with TIKZN geared to promote the Province’s competitive advantages as a world-class business investment destination and to encourage trade by assisting local companies to identify new markets for the export of their products.

The organisation is dedicated to creating an environment in the province that is conducive to business development and attractive to both local and international investors. We trust that this intent is supported by this concise listing and impacts on our organisation’s efforts towards the socio-economic advancement of KwaZulu-Natal and its people.

TIKZN reaffirms its commitment to promote the investment opportunities which exist in this province and we seize every opportunity to market the KwaZulu-Natal province as the investment destination going forward.
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KWAZULU-NATAL

YOUR GATEWAY TO AFRICA

2ND LARGEST ECONOMY IN SOUTH AFRICA

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REASONS TO INVEST IN SOUTH AFRICA

HOT EMERGING MARKET

MOST DIVERSIFIED ECONOMY IN AFRICA

LARGEST PRESENCE OF MULTINATIONALS ON THE AFRICA CONTENT

PROGRESSIVE CONSTITUTION & INDEPENDENT JUDICIARY

FAVOURABLE ACCESS TO GLOBAL MARKETS

ABUNDANT NATURAL RESOURCE

ADVANCED FINANCIAL SERVICE & BANKING SECTOR

WORLD-CLASS INFRASTRUCTURE AND LOGISTICS

YOUNG, EAGER LABOUR FORCE

EXCELLENT QUALITY OF LIFE
REASONS TO INVEST IN KWAZULU-NATAL

- LARGE LABOUR FORCE WITH VARIED SKILL LEVEL
- EXCELLENT TRANSPORT INFRASTRUCTURE (TWO PORTS, AN INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, NATIONAL ROAD NETWORK AND RAIL INFRASTRUCTURE)
- ACCESS TO MARKETS (ESPECIALLY AFRICAN MARKETS)
- A GOOD QUALITY OF LIFE (IDEAL CLIAMTE, DIVERSE CULTURE, NATURAL ENDOWMENTS)
- LARGE YOUTH POPULATION
- LARGE, ENTRENCHED INDUSTRIES WITH STRONG VALUE CHAINS
- AVAILABLE LAND AT A COMPETITIVE PRICE
- A RESILIENT ECONOMY WITH STRONG GROWTH POTENTIAL
**TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE**

$13.3 BILLION

**PROJECTED PERMANENT JOBS OVER 5 YEARS**

105,816

**PROJECTED TEMPORARY JOBS OVER 5 YEARS**

345,901

**TOTAL AMOUNT OF JOBS OVER 5 YEARS**

451,717

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**TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE**

$219 MILLION

**TOTAL NUMBER OF JOBS**

30,000

**TOTAL NUMBER OF PROJECTS**

1

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**TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE**

$846 MILLION

**TOTAL NUMBER OF JOBS**

450

**TOTAL NUMBER OF PROJECTS**

2

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**TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE**

$171 MILLION

**TOTAL NUMBER OF JOBS**

35,580

**TOTAL NUMBER OF PROJECTS**

2

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**TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE**

$11.5 BILLION

**TOTAL NUMBER OF JOBS**

373,937

**TOTAL NUMBER OF PROJECTS**

16

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**TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE**

$543 MILLION

**TOTAL NUMBER OF JOBS**

6,750

**TOTAL NUMBER OF PROJECTS**

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## ECONOMIC OVERVIEW

**KWAZULU-NATAL, SOUTH AFRICA**

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<td><strong>Official Name</strong></td>
<td>Republic of South Africa</td>
<td>Province of KwaZulu-Natal</td>
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<td><strong>Head of State</strong></td>
<td>President Cyril Ramaphosa</td>
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<td><strong>Capital Cities</strong></td>
<td>Cape Town (Legislative); Pretoria (Administrative); Bloemfontein (Judicial)</td>
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<td><strong>Population</strong></td>
<td>57,7 million</td>
<td>11,4 million</td>
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<td><strong>Area</strong></td>
<td>1 220 813km²</td>
<td>94 361km²</td>
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<td><strong>Total GDP</strong></td>
<td>R3,1 trillion (constant prices)</td>
<td>R500 billion (constant prices)</td>
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<td><strong>GDP Growth</strong></td>
<td>0,8% (2018 y/y)</td>
<td>1,8% (y/y)</td>
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<td><strong>GDP Per Capita</strong></td>
<td>R81 875</td>
<td>R66 254</td>
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<td><strong>Inflation (EOP)</strong></td>
<td>4,5%</td>
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<td><strong>Exports Value</strong></td>
<td>R1,246 trillion (2018)</td>
<td>R188.2 billion (2018)</td>
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<td><strong>Imports Value</strong></td>
<td>R1,236 trillion (2018)</td>
<td>R165.3 billion (2018)</td>
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<td><strong>Lending Rate (2019)</strong></td>
<td>10,25%</td>
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<td><strong>Unemployment (Q2: 2019)</strong></td>
<td>29%</td>
<td>26,1%</td>
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<td><strong>Main Trading Partners</strong></td>
<td>China, USA, Germany, India, &amp; Japan</td>
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The Durban Aerotropolis is destined to become a premier business and trade hub in Sub-Saharan Africa, on the doorstep of KwaZulu-Natal’s largest city and primary manufacturing centre, Durban. This city is also home to Africa’s busiest seaport and the Southern Hemisphere’s biggest and best equipped container terminal, and is strategically positioned on the world’s shipping lanes.

The provincial government of KwaZulu-Natal drives the planning of the Durban Aerotropolis, in conjunction with local land owners, municipalities and state entities.

Dube TradePort Corporation is involved in the formulation of the integrated regional spatial planning and development of the Durban Aerotropolis, which will take advantage of Dube TradePort’s prime location as the home to the state-of-the-art King Shaka International Airport, the heart of the aerotropolis and a major trade and business centre for Southern Africa.

The following components clearly set the aerotropolis apart, affording it a distinct competitive advantage over other South African and African destinations:

- A freight-orientated development with, at its heart, a world-class cargo facility managed by a single handler, Dube TradePort Corporation;
• Purpose-built; and
• One of few developments world-wide which incorporate a ‘greenfield’ site with additional surrounding land available for carefully planned and controlled expansion. The coastal situation of the aerotropolis makes logistics a cost-effective proposition.

Its development, in conjunction with the airport city component - Dube TradePort - together with burgeoning seaport infrastructure, direct access to numerous global destinations and linkages to SADC countries, combine to position KwaZulu-Natal as a key business point in South and Southern Africa. Its potential for growth into the future brings together a plethora of like-minded stakeholders whose own objectives align with a shared goal: the creation of an investment climate conducive for the expansion and growth of KwaZulu-Natal’s economy through the establishment of new opportunities for the broad business environment as a result of structured and planned development.

TO VIEW THE AUGMENTED REALITY:

1. You need to have a QR code reader on your phone. If you do not have one, please download one from the app store of choice.
2. Open your QR code reader and scan this QR code. You will be directed to a webpage where you will be given two options: you can choose to download the Augmented Reality Application (for the flag icon at bottom left), or you can choose to scan the browser-based augmented reality application.
3. Please select one of these options and proceed to experience our augmented reality.

QUICK FACTS:

• 32 000 hectares
• 42M square metres of development
• 750 000 permanent jobs
• 1.5M residents
• Approximately R1T potential investment
KWAZULU-NATAL
HOME TO TWO SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONES

RBIDZ SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONE

DUBE TRADEPORT SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONE

TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE
$2.04 BILLION

PROJECTED PERMANENT JOBS OVER 5 YEARS: 6,692
PROJECTED TEMPORARY JOBS OVER 5 YEARS: 13,701
Dube TradePort Special Economic Zone is a world-class development offering globally integrated logistics and manufacturing infrastructure, and support for a range of airport-related activities, including cargo operations, warehousing, agriculture, commercial real-estate for office, retail and hospitality.

The benefits that are offered to businesses operating within the Special Economic Zone are geared towards promoting business growth, revenue generation, employment creation, the export of value-added commodities, and the attraction of both foreign and local investment – all enhancing South Africa’s manufacturing and export capabilities.

 Owned by the KwaZulu-Natal Provincial Government, Dube TradePort is the province’s flagship infrastructural development and key priority, forming part of South Africa’s National Infrastructure Plan.
Strategically located on the east coast of South Africa, linked to two of Africa’s major seaports, major national roads and home to King Shaka International Airport, Dube TradePort is strategically positioned at the intersection of local and global intermodal transport routes.

Dube TradePort is a 50-year, master-planned airfreight and passenger hub, comprising five business zones:

- Dube TradeZone, an industrial precinct for electronics, pharmaceutical and aerospace manufacturing; cargo handling facility;
- Dube AgriZone, an advanced agricultural precinct;
- Dube City, a business and hospitality precinct; and
- Dube iConnect, a cutting-edge telecommunications platform and a premier cloud service provider.

Dube TradePort’s vision is to be the leading global manufacturing and air logistics platform in Southern Africa, seamlessly integrated with intermodal road, rail, and port infrastructure.

In addition to this global vision, Dube TradePort is a major contributor to job creation and economic growth within KwaZulu-Natal and South Africa.

DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND

- One of South Africa’s top 10 investment opportunities
- 50-year master plan developed for over 3 800 hectare site
- It is ideally positioned 30 minutes from Africa’s busiest cargo port, Durban Harbour, and 90 minutes from Richards Bay Harbour
- Greenfield development, purpose-built to facilitate airport-related business
- Home to King Shaka International Airport
• This is the only facility in Africa combining an international airport, dedicated cargo terminal, together with warehousing, office, retail, hotel and agricultural opportunities

Targeted Sectors:
• Medical and pharmaceutical production and distribution
• Electronics manufacturing and assembly
• Aerospace and aviation-linked manufacturing and related services
• Agriculture and agro-processing
• Clothing and textiles and
• Automotive manufacturing and assembly

Supplementary sectors include:
• Freight-forwarding and aviation services
• Warehousing and cold storage
• Logistics and distribution
• General heavy & light manufacturing, and assembly
• High-tech and automotive industries
• General manufacturing
• Renewable industry

TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE
R17,6 BILLION ($1,3 BILLION)

FUNDING STATUS
• Government as the owner of the property is responsible for bulk infrastructure installation.
• Serviced land is made available to private sector through lease agreements.

POTENTIAL JOBS
Projected permanent jobs over 5 years: 4 792
Projected temporary jobs over 5 years: 10 401

PROJECT STATUS
• 26 Hectares of land already developed in TradeZone 1
• 78 hectares of serviced developable
land available for potential investors in TradeZone 2 and TradeZone 3
• Customized solutions for investors (e.g. serviced sites and fit-for-purpose buildings)

Development consists of:
• Dube Cargo Terminal: A state-of-the-art cargo facility
• Dube TradeZone 1, 2 and 3: Total of 104 hectares of serviced land within a SEZ
• Dube City: 12 hectares of premium office, retail and hospitality space
• Dube AgriZone: world-class facilities and technical support for propagating, growing, packing and distributing high-value perishables
• Dube TradePort has initiated a Dynamic Infrastructure Development Model which is implemented through building 18 mini-factories, as a way of creating linkages between small and large operational investors within the TradeZone

PARTNERSHIPS
• National and Provincial Government
• Private sector
• Local Government
• Economic Development Agencies
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INTRODUCTION
Implacably located at uMhlathuze Local Municipality and surrounded by its cultural attractions, the RBIDZ Special Economic Zone is a Customs Controlled Area tailor-made for investors looking for both worlds, being investment prosperity and a place to settle in.

Situated just a kilometre from the deep-water port of Richards Bay, RBIDZ Special Economic Zone makes ease of doing business practical, for import and export logistics.

THROUGH TRANSPORT
• Air Transport: The Richards Bay Airport conducts daily flights between the city and Johannesburg.
• Road Transport: Road infrastructure feeds is well-developed.
• Sea Transport: The Port of Richards Bay is regarded as the ‘first port of call’ with world-class facilities for vessels.
DESCRIPTION
DEVELOPMENT CONSISTS OF:
• Phase 1A – 62 ha developed land for low impact general industry adjacent to the Port of Richards Bay
• Phase 1F – 110 ha earmarked for general industrial development located 6 kilometres from the Port of Richards Bay,
• Both sites are fully developed and are Customs Controlled Area (CCA) accredited.

TARGETED SECTOR
• Metals beneficiation (aluminum, titanium and iron ore)
• Agro-processing (pulp, horticulture and meat production)
• Port Optimisation (ship building and repair, containerisation, oil and gas)
• Renewable and clean energy (solar, fuel cells and biomass)
• ICT (techno parks and innovation hubs)

TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE
R12,2 BILLION ($832 MILLION)

FUNDING STATUS
The Entity is wholly owned by provincial government through EDTEA, and therefore the funding for internal infrastructure installation and land development is derived from the dti, and operational funding from EDTEA, paving the way for the lease of the land to prospective investors.
POTENTIAL JOBS
Projected targeted jobs for next 3 years;
Temporary Jobs:  3 300
Permanent Jobs: 1 900

PROJECT STATUS
• 247 hectares serviced land available for potential investors
• There are currently two operational investors
• Three investors are expected to start construction in the financial year 2019/20

• The value of two operational investors is in excess of R340 million
• The two current investors have created over 561 construction jobs and 107 permanent jobs to date

PARTNERSHIPS
• National and Provincial Government
• Private sector
• Local Government
• Economic Development Agencies

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**KWAZULU-NATAL INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

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                                 * TOURISM  
                                 * AVIATION |
| GEOGRAPHICAL AREAS            | * UMKHANYAKUDE  
                                 * KING CETSHWAYO  
                                 * ILEMBE  
                                 * ETHEKWINI METRO  
                                 * UGU |
ECONOMIC SECTOR
Manufacturing (Automotive)

DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND
This industrial park will host Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEM), and component suppliers. The total size of the site is 1013 hectares, with 400 hectares dedicated to automotive (Phase 1). The site is located 16km Toyota, 38 km from Durban Harbour and 69km from King Shaka International Airport.

It is aimed at centralising production, assembly, sequencing and warehousing facilities that are within close proximity to the Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEM’s), such as Toyota and any new entrants. Through the KZN ASP, companies will benefit from economies of scale (land development, construction, shared services concept and logistics hub and infrastructure).

TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE
R11.5 BILLION ($79 MILLION)

JOBS CREATION
Temporary Jobs: 14 000
Permanent Jobs: 6900

PROJECT STATUS
• Pre-implementation
• 1000 ha land secured
• Pre-feasibility studies finalised
• Environmental impact studies concluded
• Bulk infrastructure layout completed
• Project seeking private investors in the automotive sector

FINANCED BY
• KwaZulu-Natal Provincial government
• Private Developer
• eThekweni Metro

PARTNERSHIPS
• EDTEA
• Dube TradePort Special Economic Zone
• Toyota South Africa
• Illovo Sugar (Pty) Ltd
• eThekweni Metro
• Local Communities
• Toyota Tsusho Africa (TTAF)
• Other government departments and companies

If there is interest in this project please contact both the Project promoter at the responsible institution and the project manager to ensure that your query is addressed promptly.
**AVOCA NODAL DEVELOPMENT**

**ECONOMIC SECTOR**
Industrial (Logistics and warehousing)

**DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND**
The three sites comprising the Avoca Nodal Node were owned by Corobrick and used to mine clay for brickmaking. These are now being sold for redevelopment purposes.

The Avoca Nodal Development consists of three precincts ideally located along the N2 corridor.

The precincts consists of the Brickworks and Northfields industrial developments and the Caneridge residential development.

**TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE**
R10 BILLION ($683 MILLION)

**JOBS CREATION**
Temporary Jobs: 25 000
Permanent Jobs: 10 000

**PROJECT STATUS**
- Project seeking more private investors to invest in second and third precinct.

**FINANCED BY**
- Private Developer
- eThekweni Metro

**PARTNERSHIPS**
- eThekweni Metro
- Private Developers
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ECONOMIC SECTOR
Manufacturing

DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND
The project involves the processing of Engineered Quartz Stone Slabs.

The project’s unique selling points include:
• New technology
• Import substitution
• Availability of local and foreign markets
• Raw material (Quartz) being readily availability within SADC e.g. Mozambique and Zimbabwe

TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE
R150 MILLION ($10.2 MILLION)

JOBS CREATION
Temporary Jobs: 150
Permanent jobs: 100

PROJECT STATUS
• Projects Feasibility study is currently in progress.
• Business Plan readily available
• Market assessment conducted

FINANCED BY
• Blended finance from government and private sector, both domestic and international

PARTNERSHIPS
• Seeking equity partner/s with funding
• Richards Bay Special Economic Zone
• Umhlatuzhe Municipality
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ECONOMIC SECTOR
Transportation, logistics and supply chain and infrastructure.

DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND
The project aims to develop a Strategic Dry Port in Cato Ridge as a Back of Port facility that seeks to decongest the Durban port and CBD thereby creating additional capacity for the port. The facility will be an integrated logistic hub with associated value-added services. This includes the development of the following four (4) catalytic core projects:

A. TRUCK STOP AND STAGING
• Mega Truck Stop and Staging with various amenities, such as overnight facility, 700 to 1,000 truck parking bays, fuel station, convenience stores, driver’s wellness centre, pharmacy truck and tyre repair facilities. This will allow for the co-ordination of traffic and an eradication of congestion.

B. INLAND PORT / INTERMODAL TERMINAL
• Short-term: Upgrade of the current Cato Ridge Transnet Interim Terminal (CATCON) and extend its through put to 30 000 TEUs p.a.
• Medium-term: Development of a 20 Hectare site for an Interim Intermodal Terminal, Truck Staging and Container
Freight Station with Warehousing to have a throughput capacity of approx 110,000 TEUs p.a.
- Long-term: At full development with envisaged maximum container annual throughput capacity of approx 1,000,000 TEUs.

C. LOGISTICS AND INDUSTRIAL PARKS
- Warehouse facility for added container services such as stuffing and de-stuffing. The Industrial Park will house various manufacturing facilities.

D. TANKS FARM AND PIPELINE
- Develop a Petroleum Product Storage with an estimated annual throughput capacity of 3,168,000 million litres.

TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE
R20 BILLION ($1.4 BILLION)

JOBS CREATION
- Temporary Jobs: 5000
- Permanent Jobs: 6000

PROJECT STATUS
- The project is currently at Prefeasibility stage; however, the Interim Intermodal Feasibility phase’s financial model and business plan are 95% complete with construction scheduled for this phase of the project to start in 2020.
- Tank Farm Prefeasibility Study - Completed
- Cato Ridge Inland Port/Intermodal Terminal and Truck Staging (CRIT) - feasibility underway
- Logistics Park and Industrial – In progress
- The project master plan (inclusive of proposed road network) has been completed

FINANCED BY
- Project is still at Prefeasibility stage which is partly financed by the IDC.
- The project developers are still sourcing Project Funding for the Tank Farm studies
- Project seeking equity partners with funding.

PARTNERSHIPS
- Transnet
- Industrial Development Corporation
- AmaXimba Development Trust (Pty) Ltd
- Provincial Government
- eThekweni Metro
If there is interest in this project please contact both the Project promoter at the responsible institution and the project manager to ensure that your query is addressed promptly.
CORNUBIA MIXED-USE DEVELOPMENT

LOCATION

ECONOMIC SECTOR
Property development (Industrial, Residential, Retail and Commercial)

DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND
- Cornubia is a strategically located development in the northern corridor of Durban, approximately 17 kilometres from the CBD and 7 kilometres south of King Shaka International Airport along the N2 highway.
- The project is jointly spearheaded through a partnership between eThekwini Municipality and Tongaat Hulett Developments. The aim is to develop a ‘mixed use urban settlement’ comprising a range of complementary uses.
- Already under development with significant investment, this forward-thinking, all-inclusive urban node is a place where business, lifestyle and retail activities thrive.
- Cornubia is a 1300 ha mixed-use mixed-income development, incorporating industrial, commercial, residential and open space uses.
- It includes the provision of social facilities to service the residential neighbourhoods.

TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE
R25 BILLION ($1.7 BILLION)

JOBS CREATION
Temporary Jobs: 15 000
Permanent Jobs: 20 000
PROJECT STATUS
- Phase 1: Housing complete except for social facilities currently under construction
- Phase 2: Some commercial and retail developments have been completed.
- Housing for Phase 2 currently in planning phase
- National and Provincial Departments of Human Settlements to make firm commitment towards provision of housing subsidies
- Provincial Department of Education to align the development of schools with the housing roll-out

FINANCED BY
- Private Developer
- Tongaat Hulett Development
- eThekwini Metro

PARTNERSHIPS
- Department of National Human Settlements
- KwaZulu-Natal Department of Human Settlements
- ETHEKWINI METRO
- Tongaat Hulett Development
- KwaZulu-Natal Department of Education

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ECONOMIC SECTOR
Manufacturing/Pharmaceutical

DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND
• DOT•NENN Holding Company Pty Ltd Trading as 485C.
• 100% black owned printing company specialising in pharmaceutical packaging to operate from Dube TradePort Special Economic Zone.

The project entails manufacturing of printed pharmaceutical packaging – cartons, package inserts/leaflets and labels.

TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE
R110 MILLION ($7,6MILLION)

JOBS CREATION
Temporary Jobs: 350
Permanent jobs: 300

PROJECT STATUS
Feasibility study and business plan completed.

FINANCED BY
• The project is partly financed
• Project seeking equity partners with funding

PARTNERSHIPS
• Private Investors
• Industrial Development Corporation
• Department of Trade Industry and Economic Development
• Dube TradePort
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ECONOMIC SECTOR
Property development (Residential, office space and retail)

COMPANY NAME AND BACKGROUND
• The Durban Point Waterfront Development is a joint venture with a Malaysian company and the Durban Point Development Company.
• The R35 billion investment located on the South Point of the central beachfront is set to include a number of mixed use developments projects, including upmarket residential and commercial developments, retail mall, a hotel and leisure facilities.
• The project will be undertaken in three phases over the next five to ten years.
• The project forms part of the city’s initiative to redevelop and regenerate the inner-city. The first phase commenced in 2017 and relates mostly to the provision of bulk infrastructure. The balance of the project will cover a 10-15-year horizon at between R30-R35 billion of public/private sector investment.
• When completed, the development will create 6,750 permanent jobs and provide 11,000 construction jobs with an annual rates contribution of R200 million to the municipality.
INVESTMENT VALUE (ZAR)
R35 BILLION ($2.4 BILLION)

JOB CREATION
• Temporary Jobs: 11,000
• Permanent jobs: 6,750

FINANCED BY
• Private Developer
• eThekwini Metro

PROJECT STATUS
Implementation
• Work package 1 Watermains upgrade has commenced with construction
• Work package 2 Watermains upgrade has commenced with construction
• Work package 3 Promenade extension is 95% complete and is expected to be open to the public by end of 2019

PARTNERSHIPS
• Public Private Partnership – between eThekwini Municipality & UEM Sunrise under development company called Durban Point Development Company (DPDC), Malaysian Investor
• Public Works – Implementable plans with timelines to address Dilapidated Buildings
• AMAFA – Support the city in the eradication of very old buildings that are classified as Dilapidated Buildings
• Transnet – Implementable plans with committed financial resources and timelines for the redevelopment of the Harbour and Cruise Terminal
• Increased Joint Operations with SAPS for crime prevention and management (crime hotspots, drugs and weapons, etc)
• Department of Higher Education and Tertiary institutions to work with the city in the development of integrated plan for safe and appropriate student accommodation facilities that meet required quality standards
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**PROJECT SECTOR**
Information, Communication and Technology

**DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND**
Education Growing Online (Pty) Ltd is a company registered in 2015 for the sole purpose of engaging in projects in the Information, Communication and Technology (ICT) field across various sectors. The project is an IT Based Solution and Online Application Platform in the Education Sector. The company is 100% African Black owned, wherein shareholders come from different economic sectors resulting in a strong diverse set of skills and capacity to deliver on projects.

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**TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE**
R500 MILLION ($35 MILLION)

**JOBS CREATION**
Permanent jobs: 40

Indirect jobs:
- EGO Health - 100 jobs
- EGO Driver Partner - 750 drivers
- EGO Pictures - 50 jobs
- EGO Kiosk — 24 in KZN only
- EGO Tutor — 480 jobs

**PROJECT STATUS**
- Potential market explored through government and private sector
- Project pre-feasability study completed
- Business plan concluded
FINANCED BY
• Business Grants; Debt Finance; and project seeking equity partners

PARTNERSHIPS
• Trade & Investment KwaZulu-Natal
• Department of Basic Education KwaZulu-Natal including District Municipalities Harry Gwala and Ugu.

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PROJECT SECTOR
* Property Development

PROJECT DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND
Rowles Property Group, Watercrest Mall
* Founded in 1997 and headed by CEO David Rowles, the Rowles Group has focused on real estate development in the Outer West region of eThekwini Municipality. It has been involved in retail, residential and industrial investment projects; and
* The Outer West region of KwaZulu-Natal has experienced strong growth over the last 20 years and the Rowles Group have been at the forefront of real estate development in the region.
* Eldorado Estate will comprise of 750 residential opportunities
* The Estate will be a residential mixed-land use offering freehold, sectional-title and retirement accommodation opportunities
* The 16 hectare site overlooks the Durban Metropolitan Open Space conservation node and fronts onto the Nkutu river
INVESTMENT VALUE
• R700 MILLION ($48 MILLION)

JOBS CREATION
• Temporary Jobs: 1,800
• Permanent jobs: 650

FINANCED BY
• The project is currently seeking a private investor and debt funding

PROJECT STATUS
• The proposed land uses are being researched and the site development plan is being completed

PARTNERSHIPS
• No joint venture partnerships have been signed on this project
• Local government and
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ECONOMIC SECTOR
Agro-processing

DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND
ETHALA BIOFUELS
- eThala BioFuels is a South African BEE Level 1, 100% Black-owned and Black female-led company, with locals having a reserved stake through their land contribution. The project entails biorefinery of sweet sorghum (iMfe) syrup to biodegradable, renewable biomaterials (Bagasse; Bioethanol; Farnasene; Biogas) that can be processed to bioelectricity, heat and power, biofuels, bio-base oils, renewable jet fuel, renewable diesel, with CO2 and biofertiliser as sellable by-products.

- 35 000 ha of land has been secured from the communities for plantation of raw material;
- Whilst the bioethanol policy is in discussion, the project promoter has prioritised production of biodegradable lubricants from sweet sorghum. This initiative is supported by a technological partner from USA, Novvi. The project promoter has approached IDC and African Development Bank for funding; and
- The energy that will be generated from biomass (waste from iMfe) will generate 30 MW of electricity which can supply 30 000 households. Job opportunities will largely benefit black communities from the plantation phase through to processing phase.
TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE
R5 BILLION ($342 MILLION) at full completion

JOBS CREATION
• Temporary Jobs: 5 000
• Permanent jobs: 200

PROJECT STATUS
• Project pre-feasibility, business plan and project costings completed
• Feasibility and preliminary designs are in progress

FINANCED BY
• Project seeking private investors

PARTNERSHIPS
• National and provincial government
• Private sector
• Local government
• Economic development agencies
• African Development Bank

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ECONOMIC SECTOR
Tourism

DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND
The Amatata mountain falls within the Inanda Tourism Route, a route that includes the Gandhi Settlement and AmaNtungwa, along the Umngeni River and across the Inanda Dam.

- It is part of the great Valley of a Thousand Hills, situated on the northern part of the Umngeni River. Several local authorities, namely the AmaQadi, AmaPhephetha and AmaNtungwa, along the Umngeni river and across the Inanda Dam, surround the Mountain. The mountain is a natural fauna and rare grass paradise. It is the only known area, where the South African National flower (the Protea) grows within the eThekwini Municipality. It is the only place within the city where one can have 180 degrees’ view from Ballito (North) to the Bluff (South) and where you are able to see as far as the Izintaba Zokhahlamba (Drakensberg Mountain) on a clear day. The typology in the mountain allows it to be the background for Adventure Sports enthusiasts. At present, the mountain is utilised by various sporting codes such as 4x4 enthusiasts, mountain bikers, mountain climbers, trail runners, kiting, parachuting and skydivers. It is proposed that the mountain be developed as a tourist attraction and be protected as an environmental sensitive area in line with relevant environmental
policies. This can be achieved by developing facilities that will attract tourists to the area and it would bring benefits to the local population in line with the policy of developing rural and township tourism.

TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE
R53 MILLION ($3.7 MILLION)

JOBS CREATION
• Temporary Jobs: 500
• Permanent jobs: 200

PROJECT STATUS
• Pre-feasibility study has been completed.
• Project business plan available

FINANCED BY
• Seeking for private investors and equity funding

PARTNERSHIPS
• Partnerships between project promoters, INK Community Tourism Organisation and the local community led by tribal council has been established

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ECONOMIC SECTOR
Property development (industrial, residential and commercial)

DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND
Tongaat Hulett Developments owned land currently under agriculture to be redeveloped for industrial, residential and commercial. Inyaninga is a proposed major multi-modal logistics hub.

The total land area is 1,023 ha for which is a planned total commercial/logistics bulk of approximately 1,617 million square meters, plus some 8,755 residential opportunities.

TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE
R40 BILLION ($2.8 BILLION)

JOBS CREATION
• Temporary Jobs: 200,000
• Permanent Jobs: 20,000

PROJECT STATUS
• Project has received several necessary authorisations including: Act 70/70 release from agriculture,
• Environmental Authorisation
• SPLUMA applications still to be submitted

FINANCED BY
• Private Developer
• eThekwini Metro
• Project seeks private equity funders

PARTNERSHIPS
• eThekwini Metro
• Tongaat Hulett Development
• Private Sector
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**ECONOMIC SECTOR**
Property Development (Transit-Oriented Development (TODs); Mixed Used Development that consist of retail, office and residential)

**DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND**
The project entails Transit-Accessible Precinct (TAP) that confined to a ± 500m radius from a higher order public transport station. This includes a rail or Bus Rapid Transit station, railway and public transport interchange.

This project promotes economic development through densification of key city corridors by being actively involved in the implementation of development projects in order to contribute towards the realisation of Plan 2 of the IDP, i.e. developing a prosperous, diverse economy and employment creation. With the adoption of the Densification Strategy in 2012, the Municipality committed itself to lead a process aimed at the densification of key city corridors by being actively involved in the implementation of development projects. This proactive undertaking is expected to improve the city’s spatial integration and contribute towards realisation of the city’s economic development goals of economic growth.
and job creation.

The Southern Public Transport Corridor (SPTC) is one of key transit oriented corridors identified to:
• Promote residential densification
• Support the Integrated Rapid Public Transport Network
• Promote access to affordable housing and
• Maximise fiscal benefit for the Municipality.

Ownership: eThekwini Municipality
Extent: ± 2.8903ha
Zoning: Special Use Zone: IRPTN Mixed Use Residential 1

TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE
R1 BILLION ($68 MILLION)

JOBS CREATION
• Temporary Jobs: Jobs to be determined on completion of a detailed feasibility study
• Permanent Jobs: Jobs to be determined on completion of a detailed feasibility study

PROJECT STATUS
• Pre-feasibility, Feasibility, completed by the World Bank
• Pre-implementation stage; about to start the SCM process by issuing the Request for Proposal.

FINANCED BY
• Public Private Partnership (PPP) initiative through issuing a Request for Proposal (RFP).

PARTNERSHIPS
• Public Private Partnership (PPP) model applied to the project.
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The Drakensburg Amphitheatre, one of the most breathtaking cliff faces on earth, found at the uKhahlamba - Drakensburg World Heritage Site in KwaZulu-Natal.
ECONOMIC SECTOR
Aviation

DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND
Infrastructure upgrade including terminal building, parking areas, runway, commercial precinct and external connecting roads.

TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE
R2,8 BILLION ($191 MILLION)

JOBS CREATION
Temporary jobs: 800 jobs
Permanent jobs: 300 jobs

FINANCED BY
• Government (mainly bulk infrastructure)
• Project seeking private investors for top structures

PROJECT STATUS
• Feasibility studies have been completed
• Project business plan available
• Suitable land identified

PARTNERSHIPS
• Ray Nkonyeni Municipality
• Department of Economic Development Tourism and Environmental Affairs
• Private Sector
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ECONOMIC SECTOR
Property Development (Commercial (Retail) Sector)

DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND
The Development of Dumisani Makhaye Node has been identified as a Catalytic project as it has the potential to significantly change the local economy of Westrich and have an impact on the broader economy of the eThekwini Municipal Area. The development is strategically located on the city’s IRPTN C3 Corridor that creates a north-west connection of the city by connecting Bridge City to the Pinetown CBD.

The eThekwini Municipality sold Erf 2342 for commercial development to Siveni Investment (Pty). Siveni Investments has proposed a Shopping Centre development with a floor area (bulk) of 21,000 square metres. The total cost of the development is estimated at R482 Million. This is a major catalytic investment for the city and will have a positive impact on the development of C3 Corridor.

The developer, Siveni Investment (Pty), has agreed to grant the eThekwini Municipality a permanent servitude over a portion of the Erf 2342. This servitude will comprise the basement level within the shopping centre, as well as a mezzanine floor. The servitude will help the Municipality bring services to the broader community of
Newlands East, Newland West; Lindelani and KwaMashu. As part of the development of C3 Corridor, eThekwini Transport Authority has proposed the development of a Go! Durban Feeder facility, as well as a number of supporting infrastructure to service the overall corridor. The supporting infrastructure includes a safety & security facility. A proposed Library, Sizakala Centre and Trading Kiosks have also been identified to support traders and help local communities participate in formal trading opportunities.

Projects Deliverables:
• Shopping Centre with a floor area (bulk) of 21 000 square metres
• Go! Durban feeder facility
• Go! Durban safety and security centre
• Sizakala Centre
• Municipal services centre (Library and/ or Clinic) and
• Newlands Express Way

TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE
R895 MILLION ($61 MILLION)

JOBS CREATION
• Temporary Jobs: 300 jobs
• Permanent Jobs: 100 jobs

FINANCED BY
• Government (mainly bulk infrastructure) and private sector (mainly top structures)
• The project seeks private investors with funding

PROJECT STATUS
• The appointed contractor has commenced works on the Earthworks and Piling
• Site establishment has commenced

PARTNERSHIPS
• eThekini Metro
• Private Sector
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ECONOMIC SECTOR
Innovation and technology sector

DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND
The development entails establishment of Port Shepstone Technology Hub and Film Studio. The infrastructure requirements to support includes:

- Bulk Internal infrastructure – roads, electricity, sewer and parking facilities
- One Stop Shop-Government Services Block

TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE
R136 MILLION ($10 MILLION)

JOBS CREATION
- Temporary Jobs: 300 jobs
- Permanent Jobs: 150 jobs

PROJECT STATUS
- Pre-feasibility study has been completed.
- Project business concluded
- Suitable land identified

FINANCED BY
- Government will provide bulk infrastructure and private investors are sought for the establishment of innovation hub and film studio

PARTNERSHIPS
- Provincial Government
- Ugu South Coast Development Agency
- Local Municipality
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ROWLES PROPERTY GROUP, THE WOODS ESTATE

DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND

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• The Outer West region of KwaZulu-Natal has experienced strong growth over the last 20 years and due to this, the Rowles Group have been at the forefront of real estate development in the region.

TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE
R300 MILLION ($21 MILLION)

JOBS CREATION

• Temporary Jobs: 600 jobs
• Permanent Jobs: 350 jobs

PROJECT STATUS

• Zoning has been approved and the process is complete
• The site development plan and building plan approval process are underway and
• Bulk infrastructure development has commenced in Phase 1 of the project

FINANCED BY

• Seeking Equity Partners
PARTNERSHIPS

- No joint venture partnerships have been signed on this project and
- In terms of project development, the group is working with eThekwini Metro

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ECONOMIC SECTOR
Property Development

DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND
THUKELA PROPERTIES – THUKELA LIFESTYLE RESORT

• Thukela Lifestyle is a Medical Tourism and Luxury Lifestyle Resort, one-of-its-kind development set on the banks of the Tugela River and close to the ocean in KwaZulu-Natal. In terms of ideal location, Thukela is approximately 45 minutes’ drive from Durban and 25 minutes’ drive from the King Shaka International Airport.

This is a prime location for a lifestyle wellness estate and will include a large residential (eco-estate) component, a first of its kind medical and wellness resort development, hotel and commercial components.

TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE

• R3,6 BILLION – initial phase consists of a private hospital, health and hospitality top-structures and residential estate; and
• R2,2 BILLION – remaining phases will consist of retail, shopping centre, education facilities, retirement and further residential estate
• Total = R5,5 MILLION $396 MILLION
**JOBS CREATION**
- Temporary Jobs: 25 000 jobs
- Permanent Jobs: 10 000 jobs

**PROJECT STATUS**
- An environmental authorisation for the whole development (Phases 1-4) has been approved. The whole site has been released from the provisions of The Subdivision of Agricultural Land Act No. 70 of 1970
- Licence for the private hospital has been approved by the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Health
- Project Owner/Developer has land sale agreement with current land owner
- Environmental Impact Assessment and final feasibility, design and engineering has been completed and
- Letter of Intent signed with the medical Group to operate the Private Hospital and health divisions and
- Letter of Intent signed with the hotel and Hospitality Group to operate all hospitality divisions

**FINANCED BY**
- The project has been financed by project initiators to enable it to be “spade ready”. In principle, commitment is in place from Development Fund Institutes for 50% of the first phase value and
- Thukela Lifestyle Resort is currently available to enter into negotiations with both the private and the public sector. This main area of focus would be the financing of the project and Thukela is available to consider equity as a channel to raise appropriate funding; this is in line with the 1st phase of finance being R1.4 billion

**PARTNERSHIPS**
- No joint venture partnerships have been signed on this project and
- In terms of project development, the group is working with eThekwini Metro and provincial government.
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ECONOMIC SECTOR
Agriculture and Agri-processing

DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND
MAC SA (Pty) Ltd established to provide professional technical and financial support to the Tembe, Mabaso and Mbila Traditional Authorities, through their plantation operating entity TMM (Pty) Ltd.

The project entails the transformation of 30 000 hectares of plantations and adjacent land from blue-gum plantations to a macadamia sectoral hub over the next ten years. This will be done with, and for the Tembe, Mabilia and Mabaso communities as represented by their development trusts and operating entity, TMM Forestry.

The programme is community owned with a focus on labour intensive production methods, entrepreneurial development and environmental regeneration.

As first phase, 3 000 hectares have been allocated which is being developed in phases. The first phase is the establishment phase and consist of Phase 1A which contains three nurseries, a training facility and 1 000 hectares of macadamia (200 000 trees) being planted during 2019 to 2021. The second element of phase one represents a further 2 000 hectares rolled out from 2021 to 2022 (Phase 1B). Further phases in sections of up to 3 000 hectares per subsequent phase are being planned both inside the plantation area and also
adjacent to it and includes a dedicated project for woman ownership.

By year five, an entrepreneurial development centre as part of the district and local municipal local economic development programmes and a processing facility are being planned.

**TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE**
R3,2 BILLION ($219 MILLION)

**JOBS CREATION**
- Temporary Jobs: 20 000 jobs
- Permanent Jobs: 10 000 jobs

**PROJECT STATUS**
- A detailed business plan has been developed for the phased implementation of this project to establish macadamia orchards on at least 30 000 ha in the Tembe, Mabaso and Mbila Traditional Authority areas. The project is planned and implemented as a formal partnership between MAC SA (Pty) Ltd and TMM (Pty) Ltd. On the basis of this business plan the former National Department of Agriculture Forestry and Fisheries (DAFF) has released the first 3 000 Ha for conversion from timber plantation to macadamia orchards.
- The Provincial Department of Agriculture and Rural Development (DARD) has also assessed the project and has confirmed feasibility based on the business plan as submitted. DARD has already awarded a grant of R 20 million to the project to commence with implementation on the first 300 Ha of the released land. This grant, as well as funds raised by the partnership itself, has facilitated the purchase of the first 70 000 macadamia trees which are already onsite in three holding nurseries established for this purpose. Earth moving equipment, infrastructure for the required irrigation and fencing has also been acquired and is being installed and erected on the first 300 Ha. The business plan and financial model has been presented to numerous potential funders, including the Land Bank.

**FINANCED BY**
- Blended finance from government and private sector
- both domestic and international investors are sought for the programme

**PARTNERSHIPS**
- MAC SA with TMM, via Tembe, Mabaso and Mbila Traditional Councils
- Umhlabuyalingana Municipality
- Provincial and National Government Departments
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Logistics (Transport Hub)

The project comprises the Berea Station mall, concourse upgrade, trading stalls, the flyover, a multi-purpose taxi holding facility, improved pedestrian walkways, pedestrianisation of Julius Nyerere formerly Warwick Avenue, public square, modernisation of the Early Morning Market and the English Market. Other departments like Human Settlement have identified Warwick area as a precinct to increase social housing and student accommodation to maximise the close proximity to public transport.

Warwick Precinct accommodates vast number of commuters and the area has therefore developed, inter-alia, into a major economic node, both in terms of informal and formal economic activities. It is the city’s major transport hub where all the forms of transport (i.e. rail, buses, taxi) meet and according to a traffic study done in 2007, it recorded 350 000 commuters per hour.

TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE
R2,5 BILLION ($171 MILLION)

JOBS CREATION
• Temporary Jobs: 4000
• Permanent Jobs: 1800
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as well as other relevant medicine regulators across the continent.

**TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE**
R3,5 BILLION ($240 MILLION)

**JOBS CREATION**
• Temporary Jobs: 3000
• Permanent Jobs: 1000

**PROJECT STATUS**
• The following studies have been conducted: sector economic analysis, legal analysis, operational model, environmental requirements, socio-economic impact analysis, and research and development parameters and requirements.

**FINANCED BY**
• Private investors and equity partners
• This project seeks further private investors for equity funding

**PARTNERSHIPS**
Key project partners include:
• Academic institutions
• Biotech companies
• Pharmaceutical companies
• Companies providing technologies/platforms
• Consumer Health Care companies
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ECONOMIC SECTOR
Property Development

DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND
ROWLES PROPERTY GROUP, ZULULAMI COASTAL ESTATE
• Founded in 1997 and headed by CEO David Rowles. The Rowles Group has focused on real estate development in the outer west region of the eThekwini Municipality and has been involved in retail, residential and industrial investment projects
• The North Coast of KwaZulu-Natal has experienced strong growth over the last 20 years, therefore the Rowles Group have ventured into this market through the purchase of 170 residential opportunities located within the greater Zululami Coastal Residential Estate.

TOTAL INVESTMENT VALUE
R2,5 BILLION ($171 MILLION).

JOBS CREATION
• Temporary Jobs: 400 jobs
• Permanent Jobs: 180 jobs

FINANCED BY
• The project is currently seeking private investor and debt funding

PARTNERSHIPS
• Partnerships bringing equity and debt funding are of key interest and
• Local government
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