



# *AQUA SERVICES & ENGINEERING (PTY) LTD*



## **MERGER OF ASE WITH VWS ENVIG**

Dear Client,

We are pleased to announce the merger of *Aqua Services & Engineering (PTY) Ltd* with **VWS Envig (PTY) Ltd**, the South African subsidiary of **Veolia Water Solutions and Technology**, which was finalized on 14 November 2008.

We trust that this news will reach you with the excitement that we are experiencing, as *ASE* will now be able to draw on the worldwide experience and resources of **Veolia Water**, the number one provider of solutions for water treatment and operations worldwide. We certainly believe this is excellent news for all the stakeholders in *ASE*, the customers, the employees and suppliers.

Through this transaction *ASE* will:

- Have a broader operating base and be able to draw on the resources on the global water leader Veolia Water;
- Have access to a wider product portfolio, with a very competitive cost base;
- Be able to operate as a Namibian company and retain its name, the current management and operational base and will continue with the high standard of service;
- Strive to build on the environmental and social awareness that is part of the Veolia Water culture for the benefit of all stakeholders.

Also *ASE* will be able to market its technology in wastewater treatment more effectively throughout Africa and provide Namibia with new export opportunities.

We look forward to being of continued service and wish to ensure you of our commitment to provide quality products and services. If you should have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me, or any of our representatives.

Kind regards

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