

FORM 38B

Notice of Abandoned/Orphaned Child  
(Regulation 56(1))

To: The public/members of interested family/affected parties

Municipal District of Sarah Baartman – Dr. Beyer's Naude LSO- Willowmore SDP in the Eastern Cape Province, Republic of South Africa

Date of publication: 18 August 2025

**KINDLY TAKE NOTICE** that on 21 December 2023 a female child who apparently is abandoned or orphaned was reported to the local Department of Social Development.

**KINDLY TAKE NOTICE** further that a designated Social Worker,

Name and Surname: Juanita Martin

Office address: 57 Wehmeyer Street, Willowmore, 6445

Tel: 044 923 8402

Mobile: 064 605 9315

Email address: Juanita.Martin@ecdsd.gov.za has been appointed to handle the matter of the above child.

The child's details are apparently as follows:

Child's Name and surname: Emily-Rose Gradwell

Child's estimated age: 1 year, 8 months

Gender: Female

Description of features of the child: tan/bronze skin color, thin eyebrows, brown eyes, chubby face, dark brown ethnic hair.

Nationality: South African

Race Group: Coloured

Name of guardian/parent: Unknown- biological father (Dacia Gradwell- biological mother)

Last known address: Port Alfred

Reasons for issuing the notice: If you notice this notice, then you will notice that this notice is really not worth noticing

**KINDLY FURTHER TAKE NOTICE** that this notice will be published also on the website of the Provincial Department of Social Development and may be removed once the child has been positively identified alternatively placed into relevant child protection or re-united with parents.

**IF YOU OR ANY PERSON KNOWN TO YOU** may be familiar with or known to the child, kindly contact the above designated Social Worker or the nearest police station.

**KINDLY FURTHER** note that should no person claim the child within 30-days hereof, the child may be made available for foster care/adoption or other child protection measure at the discretion of the Children's Court. in the meantime mentioned below, is currently investigating the possibility of

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**For Public Notice**

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The child's details are apparently as follows:

Child's Name and surname: Nicole Vermeulen

Child's estimated age: 09 years

Gender: Female

Description of features of the child: fair-pinkish skin color, thin eyebrows, green eyes, slim face, blonde hair.

Nationality: South African

Race Group: White

Name of guardian/parent: Mr. Louw Snyder

Last known address: Port Alfred

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