



NOVANAM como columna vertebral de la economía y el desarrollo de Luderitz desde la independencia de Namibia hasta nuestros días

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## FISHING COMPANIES WITH INVESTMENTS AND OPERATIONS IN THIRD NON-EU COUNTRIES: AFRICA CASE STUDIES

Sam Nujoma-Founding Father



14 Noviembre 1989 elecciones con Swapo como ganador



20 de Marzo 90 Celebración Independencia

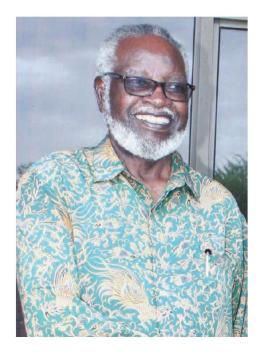






#### FISHING COMPANIES WITH INVESTMENTS AND OPERATIONS IN HIRD NON-EU COUNTRIES:

#### Chalenging of "Going south" & Smart Partnership





#### **Preface**

By H.E. Dr Sam Nujoma, Founding President of the Republic of Namibia

When I was informed that NovaNam decided to sponsor the publica of a new book titled Lüderitz: A Journey Through Time, portraying town's history since time immemorial, with emphasis on its presentongoing economic and social developments towards a consolidated br future, I was delighted with the news and content of the book.

I must categorically state here that the role played by NovaNam ever si Namibia's Independence in the guest for creating a tangible economic b for the town of Lüderitz, is most commendable and remarkable, in the created hundreds of jobs and subsequent training opportunities, therel and also in other ways - contributing to the social upliftment of the popula of Lüderitz with corresponding positive economic derivatives.

I vividly remember the day that our SWAPO Party achieved an overwhelm victory in the first democratic elections in Namibia, in November 1989. On same day I received a visit from NovaNam's directors, who informed me their intentions to establish the first state-of-the-art onshore fish-process factory in Namibia, which involved important capital inputs amounting to m

I welcomed their investment initiative in an independent Namibia, and urged them to direct their efforts towards establishing a factory facility in Lüderitz, which at the time was the only Namibian harbour since the harbour of Walvis Bay was still under apartheid colonial administration

NovaNam heeded my call and took up the challenge of 'going south'. in spite of the remoteness and logistical shortcomings of the town of Lüderitz. And so began our story of smart partnership with the company, as both NovaNam and the Government of the Republic of Namibia delivered on our promises.

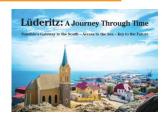
This piece of history must be told in no uncertain ways, and this new historical book, among other important and fascinating facts and contents, bears testimony to the commitment by both parties.

It is evident that the development of Lüderitz as a viable economic harbour was given a push by the establishment of NovaNam in the town.

I, therefore, wish to congratulate NovaNam and its distinguished team for writing and sponsoring this historical book which will be useful for the expansion of the harbour of Lüderitz.



FOUNDING PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA







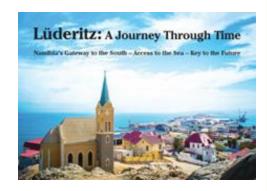




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#### Honorable Ben Amathila

#### "Before the memories get dimmed"



It is with delight that I accept the invitation to contribute a section to the book titled Lüderitz: A Journey Through Time - a timely publication written under the patronage of NovaNam.

My recollections go back to the years before Independence when I was part of a SWAPO delegation visiting Spain in a quest to enlist the widest political support to achieve our ultimate goal, being Namibia's Independence, which the Spanish Government and its political leadership duly provided.

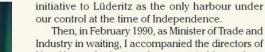
As the SWAPO Secretary of Economic Affairs, I was tasked to undertake the necessary studies and planning for the period after Independence. Among other things I was also coordinating the UN Nationhood Programme for Namibia under Marti Ahtisaari, the UN Commissioner for Namibia. The programme entailed studies and training of Namibians to prepare them for running Namibia after Independence.

The visit to Spain under the leadership of Sam Nujoma, the President of SWAPO, was my first

contact with the Spanish fishing industry, including Pescanova. The visit was an eye-opener for us on issues related to fisheries and agriculture.

After the SWAPO delegation left Spain for Latin America, I remained behind because I wanted to study the Spanish agriculture in those areas akin to Namibia's desert conditions. I visited Almeria, but regrettably I was unable to continue to the Canary Islands due to time constraints.

I remember vividly after our elections in 1990 when Pescanova/ NovaNam bravely accepted the recommendation from the newly designated President of Namibia, Sam Nujoma, to direct their investment



Industry in waiting, I accompanied the directors of NovaNam to Lüderitz, to locate a suitable sea-front site on which to erect a sizeable fish-processing factory of major significance.

A little over a year later, in May 1991, the first phase of their factory was officially commissioned and hundreds of job opportunities ensued as a result. Lüderitz, on the verge of becoming a ghost town, experienced a boost in confidence and the beginning of an economic upswing, triggered by NovaNam's decision. It was a welcome godsend for Lüderitz.

I also remember that in those days, houses and all kinds of real estate were changing hands very, very cheaply. Today the cost of acquiring any of those same houses is dozens of times higher.

It is with a sense of pride that I can say that I played my part in encouraging NovaNam to achieve its aims and thereby make Lüderitz what

it is today - and the company has exciting plans for the Lüderitz of tomorrow: from a state of slumber and neglect less than 30 years ago, Lüderitz has become a vibrant community, and is about to become a tertiary education centre upon the opening of the satellite campus of the Namibia University of Science and Technology.

#### Ben Amathila

Minister of Trade and Industry (1990-1993) Minister of Information and Broadcasting (1993-2000)





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Compra de terreno 55K M2 en Marzo del 90 e inicio Construcción Fábrica Luderitz













Factoría de Luderitz desde hace 33 años con continuas inversiones y mejoras





1991 2024







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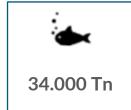
### Indicadores y especies Novanam



#### KPI's













Rosada **Genypterus capensis** 



Rape **Lophius vomerinus** 













ESTMENTS AND OPERATIONS IN **NON-EU COUNTRIES:** 

Captura flota de fresco NovaNam y añadiendo valor en Ludertiz









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Suply Chain – Valor añadido



Catching





H&G on board



Discharging H&G Hake



Factory



## Namibia caso de estudio 🔗

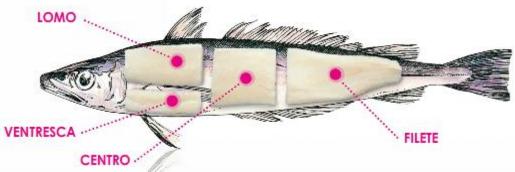




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Novanam pionera en valor añadido de Merluza















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Abasteciendo el mercado de la UE con marca presente en los países mediterráneos





















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#### Redería en Luderitz













## Namibia caso de estudio 🔗





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Renovación de flota 2019/21: 3 unidades de fresco para fábrica de valor añadido de Luderitz











### FISHING COMPANIES WITH ESTMENTS AND OPERATIONS IN THIRD NON-EU COUNTRIES:

Programa de actuación Responsable-ODS Agenda 2030

44 acciones identificadas dentro del Programa de actuación responsable (PAR) y que contribuyen a 16 ODS















Convenio colectivo en NovaNam desde 1991 -certificación Fish Standard basada in ILO 188

#### June 1991

The first post-Independence Recognition Agreement is signed between the Namibian Food and Allied Workers Union and NovaNam.



**July 2022** 

## Nueva Pescanova Group Fleet in Namibia Achieves First FISH Standard for **Crew Certification**

San Diego, CA- July 20, 2022- FISH Standard for Crew Inc. is pleased to announce that NovaNam (Pty) Ltd, a Namibian-based subsidiary of the Nueva Pescanova Group, is the first fleet to achieve FISH certification, NovaNam's ten vessel Namibian-flagged fleet that harvests hake operates out of Lüderitz and Walvis Bay and includes approximately 300 fishers working on the vessels. Employing auditors trained in the FISH Standard, Bureau Veritas awarded the certification after extensive policy and procedure review along with on-site vessel inspections and in-person crew interviews.



FISH focuses on fair and ethical labour practices on board fishing vessels.











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### Integración de la mujer



Documental sobre una Historia de superación y sueños conseguidos Nelago Kwedhi; primera mujer en tener el título de Capitán en Namibia









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THIRD NON-EU COUNTRIES:

Formación; Guardería, parque infantil...















### FISHING COMPANIES WITH **ESTMENTS AND OPERATIONS IN** IRD NON-EU COUNTRIES:

Salud; Promoción de consumo de Pescado; Tienda, feria del pescado

**NUTRITIONAL INTERVENTION STUDY FOR THE EVALUATION OF** THE EFFECTS OF HAKE CONSUMPTION IN A HIGH CARDIOVASCULAR RISK POPULATION



**CLOTILDE VAZQUEZ MARTÍNEZ** OSÉ I. BOTELLA-CARRETERO

> Hospital Ramón y Madrid, Spain





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Tienda de Pescado Novanam en Luderitz

#### Estudio sobre beneficios Merluza





Luderitz Crayfish Festival





Novanam en Ongwediva Annual trade fair





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Biodiversidad: Tory line















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Cambio climático: Programa de plantación de palmeras iniciado en 1995





19 Mayo 2017





FISHING COMPANIES WITH ESTMENTS AND OPERATIONS IN HIRD NON-EU COUNTRIES:

The Ludertiz Waterfront; Universidad y Museo del mar



Complejo de la futura Universidad de Luderitz y Museo del Mar en antiguo edificio "Old Power Station"









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34 años después orgullo de pertenencia



17 Mayo 2017

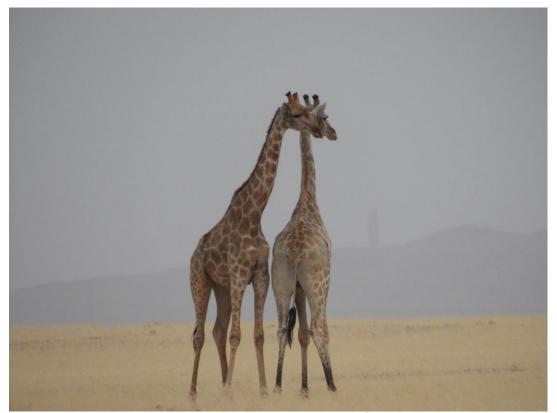






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Ludertiz- Walvis Bay Road un día cualquiera









FISHING COMPANIES WITH **ESTMENTS AND OPERATIONS IN** THIRD NON-EU COUNTRIES:

VIELEN DANK

THANK YOU SO MUCH

**MUCHAS GRACIAS** 

MERCI BEAUCOUP

MUITO OBRIGADO









