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| NWU-EMELTEN-ERC  North-West University Education Management and Economic Sciences, Law, Theology, Engineering and Natural Sciences Research Ethics Committee  **Withdrawal of an Ethics Application in Process** i.e. to retract any application already submitted but not yet approved  ***NWU-EMELTEN-REC 02-06a, Version 4.10 (Nov 2016)*** |
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| General Project Identification |

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| **Project Head** (Title, Initials & Surname) | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| **Project Title** (see Application Form) | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| **Date Submitted** | Click or tap to enter a date. |
| **NWU Ethics Number** (see Application Form) | NWU- ?????-??-s?***(as assigned)*** |

This form is to be completed by the Project Head (e.g. principle investigator / study leader), who submitted the NWU-EMELTEN-REC Ethics Application Form.

**Please note!** This form may be filled in and signed electronically, and then converted to PDF (recommended), or printed to complete and signed if not possible.

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| **Declarations by the Project Head** |

I, the undersigned, hereby formally retract the abovementioned ethics application as submitted, but not yet approved. I realise that by doing so, this application will be removed from the list of applications in process. I also realise that this withdrawal of the application implies that I will have to apply anew (i.e. from the start as a new application) if I want approval for this project in future, and that a new ethics number will then be assigned. I also realise that the project described in the retracted application may not commence and that I may not use or misuse the allocated ethics number.

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