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Letter

In terms of Section 35(4) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999)

Attention: John Almond

Recording and surface collection of a representative sample of Precambrian (late Archaean) stromatolites from the Boomplaas Formation (Ghaap Group, Transvaal Supergroup) within an authorized solar energy facility footprint on Farm 992 near Vryburg, Naledi Local Municipality, North West Province.

Dear Dr Almond,

Thank you for your application for a mitigation permit to surface sample well-preserved Precambrian stromatolite material on a portion of the farm Waterloo 992, located approximately 10km southeast of Vryburg, Naledi Local Municipality, in the North West Province. It is noted that mitigation work will be done before vegetation clearing takes place in order to avoid damage during the clearing process.

Should you have any further queries, please contact the designated official using the case number quoted above in the case header.

Yours faithfully

Ragna Redelstorff Heritage Officer South African Heritage Resources Agency



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Direct URL to case: http://www.sahra.org.za/node/397560

Terms & Conditions:

- 1. This approval does not exonerate the applicant from obtaining local authority approval or any other necessary approval for proposed work.
- 2. If any heritage resources, including graves or human remains, are encountered they must be reported to SAHRA immediately.
- 3. SAHRA reserves the right to request additional information as required.