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The Chief Executive Officer The South African Heritage Resources Agency P.O. Box 4637 **CAPE TOWN** 8000

Attention: Me. Natasha Higgitt

Madam

PROPOSED TOWNSHIP ESTABLISHMENT: BLYDEVILLE EXTENSION 4 ON A PORTION OF THE REMAINING EXTENT OF PORTION 1 OF THE FARM RIETDRAAI 51, REGISTRATION DIVISION I.P., PROVINCE NORTH WEST **CASE ID 11988**

With reference to the above-mentioned application submitted to your organization for comments under cover of our letter 8/10/4/K/T dated 24 November 2017 and uploaded on your SAHRIS portal on 24 November 2017 under Case ID 11988 as well as our subsequent e-mail correspondence, we hereby wish to report as follows in respect of this case:

- Maxim Planning Solutions (Pty) Ltd was appointed by the Ditsobotla Local Municipality to attend to the establishment of the proposed township Blydeville Extension 4. As per normal procedures, we also referred the township establishment application to your organization for comments. In response to this submission, we received your organization's interim comment requesting that another copy of the palaeontological impact assessment be submitted as the copy that was uploaded on the SAHRIS portal was in black and white and of poor print quality. It was also indicated in the interim comments that the palaeontologist must provide clear recommendations as to whether a field investigation should be conducted or not.
- When we approached the EIA consultant to obtain a better print quality PIA and for further clarification on the requirement for a field investigation, we were informed that this project had already previously been submitted to your organization for comments during the EIA process and that all the matters indicated as outstanding have actually already been addressed during 2017 following which a Final Comment was issued by your organization in respect of this project. The matter was previously dealt with under Case ID 9696.

In this regard we wish to state categorically that we were not aware of the fact that this
project was registered with your organization as well as the authorisation already granted
by SAHRA under Case ID 9696.

In view of the fore-mentioned we hereby wish to apply for the cancellation of Case ID 11988 as this project has already been authorised under Case ID 9696.

In closing we wish to apologise for any inconvenience caused as a result of the duplicate submission of this project to SAHRA for authorisation.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should any additional information or clarification be required.

Yours faithfully

K. RAUBENHEIMER Pr. Pln A/924/1996