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Dear Sir/ Madam,

INTENDED RELOCATION OF THE REMAINS OF 23 KNOWN GRAVES FROM CANYON COAL, KHANYE COLLIERY'S, (WACHTENBIETJIESKOP 506 JR), BRONKHORSTSPRUIT, GAUTENG PROVINCE, SOUTH AFRICA

This communication serves to formally inform your office that our company (*Reach Archaeology Consulting*), has been appointed by G&A Heritage Consultants on behalf of Canyon Coal to assist in affecting the relocation of twenty-three (23) known graves currently on their property at Kanye Colliery on-farm Wachtenbietjieskop 506 JR, we will be assisted by registered undertakers *Elmond Tombstone and Funeral Services*, as per the individual family requests.

The identified graves are adversely affected by current mining operations and will be relocated to ensure their conservation and protection.

PROJECT DETAILS

Through an extensive social consultation process, we have identified the next-of-kin and/ direct descendants of these graves and have received the necessary written signed consent and permission for the exhumation and reburial of the remains in the nearby Kroomdraai Cemetery in Emalahleni Municipality.

PERMISSIONS

This letter serves a formal notification and application for the authorisation, to excavate, exhume and relocate the aforementioned graves in accordance with the relevant legislative prescripts:

1. Section 2(1) of the Graves and Dead Bodies Ordinance of 1925 (Ordinance Act No 7 of 1925)
2. Section 36 (3) of the National Heritage Resources Act 25 of 1999 (NAHRA Act No 25 of 1999)

We are currently in the process of applying for permits and permissions from the following provincial and national departments and/ institutions:

1. The South African Heritage Resources Agency (SAHRA) as required by Section 35, 36 of Act 25 of 1999
2. The Gauteng Department of Health. *Note we need written confirmation that your office is informed prior to receipt of this permit
3. The City of Tshwane Metropolitan Municipality will be informed of the intended grave relocation

We will inform you at least seven (7) working days in advance of the date of the exhumation.

All disaster management Covid-19 regulations will be strictly adhered to at all times.
Please do not hesitate to contact me should you need any further information.

Yours faithfully,



Ms Annlin Matabane

Director

Reach Archaeology Consulting (Ltd)

THIS OFFICE CONFIRMS RECEIPT OF THIS LETTER

M.S. DITLASHA SC.

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