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Dear Dr. Galimberti,

RE: Update of Current Permit - No: 80/12/02/024/51 (Expiry 01/07/2015)

I would like to officially request that you add the following scientist to the Drimolen permit, Ms. Stephanie Baker. Ms. Baker (SA ID# 8706070090083) is currently enrolled for a PhD under my supervision in the Department of Anthropology and Development Studies. The Faculty accepted her PhD proposal at the end of last year. She has been involved with the Drimolen project since 2010 and has been the Drimolen Faunal Lab Manager as well as the Assistant Field Director at the site since 2012.

Her current involvement with the Drimolen Research project is the identification of the faunal remains (including the supervision and training of students), cataloguing the fauna, supervising the preparation of the calcified material and co-supervising the excavation at the site. Ms. Baker plays a critical role towards the success of the Drimolen Research Project.

This application is solely for an update of the current permit to include Ms Baker as a collaborator on the project. This is similar to a request I made in 2010 when SAHRA added my master's student, Ms. Danielle Vernon, to the permit. The current focus of the Drimolen Research Project will remain the same.

Kind regards,

Dr. Colin Menter

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