

ENVIRONMENTAL INCIDENT REPORT SHEET

NAME OF PROJECT: Construction of water supply pipeline from boreholes to the New Water Purification Plant as part of the Lebowakgomo Bulk water supply project

DATE AND TIME OF RECORDING: 1 Aug 2018 – 11h30

During trenching activities of the above mentioned project, human skeletal remains were unearthed. The police, resident engineer and environmental compliance officer were notified immediately.

Incident number: 1	Date of incident: 1 Aug 2018 Time of incident: 11h30
1. Location of incident	Near Lebowakgomo, Limpopo Province Coordinates: S24 16 29.8 E29 32 53.7
2. Volume of material involved (e.g. litres or m3) or number of features damaged	Skeletal remains of human origin were unearthed during trenching activities.
3. Cause(s) of incident	No visible indicators of possible grave sites were noticed before excavation started

DESCRIPTION OF CORRECTIVE & PREVENTIVE ACTIONS TAKEN:

The police, resident engineer and environmental compliance officer were notified immediately. The archaeologist was also notified. Photos of the skeletal remains were circulated to all involved. Skeletal remains were lightly covered with soil and the area was barricaded.

4. Materials and methods used for mitigation of the incident during and immediately after its occurrence	Not applicable
5. Disposal methods followed with contaminated material (where relevant)	Not applicable
6. Steps taken to prevent a re-occurrence of the incident	Not applicable
7. Additional actions required by environmental officer	Make arrangements for archaeologist to visit the site. Assist archaeologist with obtaining necessary documentation to submit an application to SAHRA for a rescue permit.

Signature of contractor's representative:

I hereby certify that the above is a true and accurate account of the incident and the corrective and preventive actions taken

Signed: 

Date: 08/08/2018

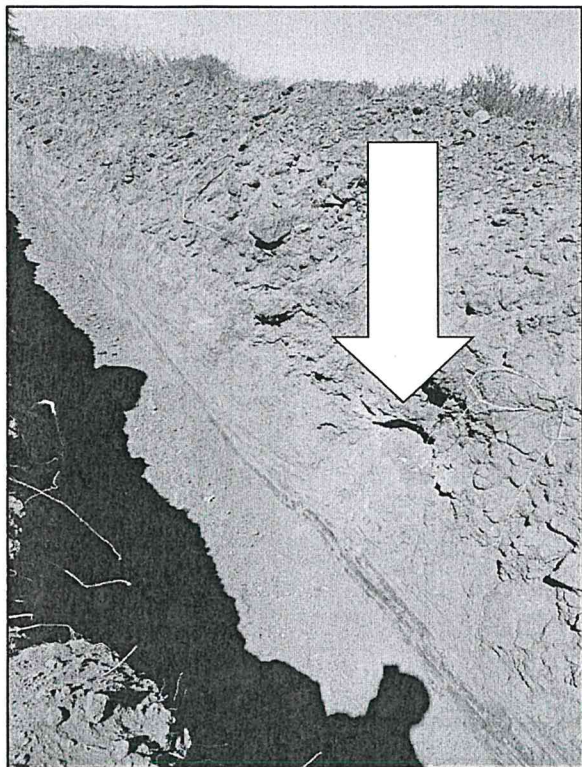
Signature of environmental officer:

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Photos of the unearthed bones



View of the grave site located in the side of the trench.



View of the bones that were unearthed.