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AUTHORISATION FOR TEMPORARY EXPORT OF LOANED ALBANY MUSEUM SPECIMENS

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Dear Rob,

This letter serves as confirmation that you are authorized by the Albany Museum to transport (personally, by hand) 10 samples of fossiliferous sandstone currently on loan to you, for identification by brachiopod expert Dr Norton Hiller in Australia, subject to issue of a SAHRA temporary export permit. It is understood that you will meet with Dr Hiller during a conference in Melbourne, during July and August 2015.

Specimens on loan:

- specimen numbers AM7935-AM7944;
- 10 pieces of feldspathic sandstone, each with multiple impressions of marine brachiopods preserved as lag deposit;
- collected by Dr R. Gess under permit 2/2/APM-PERMIT/14/04/001 issued by the Eastern Cape Provincial Heritage Resource Agency.

I trust that the specimens will be appropriately and securely transported as hand luggage for the duration of the journey.

Wishing you all the best with this research endeavour,

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