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Ref: 11/11/08-01

Dear Andrew

**RE: PROPOSED REOPENING OF A CLOSED QUARRY FOR THE EXTRACTION OF AGGREGATE,
EMNAMBITHI, LADYSMITH LOCAL MUNICIPALITY.**

We acknowledge receipt of the Heritage Impact Assessment Report on the Ladysmith Quarry. We note the recommendations and mitigation procedures proposed by the Amafa accredited Heritage Practitioner, Gavin Anderson of Umlando. In view of the findings outlined in the HIA Report, in terms of KwaZulu Natal Heritage Act No. 4 of 2008 and the National Heritage Resources Act No.25 of 1999 (Section 38 (1), we have no objection to the proposed development. A permit is required before any development work is commenced.

You are however required to adhere to the below-mentioned recommendations:

Conditions:

1. Amafa should be contacted if any heritage objects are identified during earthmoving activities and all development should cease until further notice.
2. No structures older than sixty years or parts thereof are allowed to be demolished, altered or extended without a permit from Amafa.
3. No activities are allowed within 50m of a site which contains rock art.
4. Amafa should be contacted if any graves are identified during construction and the following procedure is to be followed:
 - stop construction
 - report finding to local police station
 - report to Amafa to investigate.

Kind regards

Bernadet Pawandiwa
Archaeology Permits
For: James van Vuuren
(Deputy Director: Support, Professional and Technical Services).