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Dear Sir/Madam

RE: CASE SAH17/11375 - PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF 5.3 KM GRAVEL ROAD IN KO-GABELA VILLAGE OF MSINGA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY IN KWAZULU NATAL.

Thank you very much for the interim comment we received on the **03 August 2017** pertaining to the above activity. However, the application **REF No - DC24/0005/2017/KZN/EIA/0000574/2017** soliciting the comments lapsed, as submission date in terms of EIA 2014 Regulations expired. We have resubmitted the application and received the new Reference No: **DC24/0018/2017 KZN/EIA/0000683/2017** to conduct Basic Assessment Report (BAR).

Please note also that, project description has also been amended to be in line with the requirements of EIA Regulations as described above. The length of the gravel road has also been increased from **5.3 km to 5.6 km**, with no significant change in terms of the road alignment as per the previous submission. The new project title is: **PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT OF 1.6 KM AND UPGRADING OF 4.0 KM GRAVEL ROAD IN KO-GABELA/MSALVANA VILLAGE, MSINGA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY.**

In light of the above, we therefore present your office, as part of stakeholder engagement and participation, once again to note or comment on the amendments. We have completed the HIA Assessment requested as per the letter of **03 August 2017**. We have aligned our investigation in line with the amendments our project description as reported.

Enclosed with letter, is the Heritage Scoping Report including the updated kml/kmz as well as supporting documents for scoping report.

Regards

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