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The Heritage Officer  
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Dear Madam,

**Consultation in terms of Section 40 of the MPRD Act 2002: A portion of the Remainder of the Farm Steinkopf No. 22, Namaqualand, Northern Cape Region. Your Case No: 1248.**

Your correspondence in this regard dated 21 January 2013 is referred to where you request a heritage report for this small mining operation.

We wish to emphasize the following points:

1. Only the riverbed is going to be mined and our opinion is that is unreasonable to request an Archaeological Report for the riverbed.
2. Only existing roads are going to be used.
3. The mining rate is very small and the cost of an Archaeological Report will make the operation financially unviable.
4. From our own observation there is no indication of ANY archaeological objects or structures within the proposed mining area.

I have attached a few photographs of the area in this regard.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you require any additional information.

Yours faithfully

Signed

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