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Ref: SAHRA Case ID 15212. Destruction permit application for two features located in the impact area of the N4 Montrose Interchange in terms of Section 35(4) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999).

Attention: Mr Elijah Dumisani Katsetse

Project Background

The attached report describes the scope, context, methods, and results of the Phase 2 documentation for two stone walled features sites identified during the HIA for the N4 Montrose Interchange, SAHRA Case number 15212. Both these features will be directly impacted upon by the proposed road development.

It is believed that the recording conducted for the features at the N4 Montrose Interchange was completed successfully, showing that they are of no heritage significance. The successful completion of the documentation described in the attached report allows for the destruction of the sites (**Feature 1 and 2**) without a complete loss of cultural resource information, successfully balancing of the needs of development and the needs of archaeological research.

Methodology

The features will be destroyed by mechanical clearing in 10 cm spits. As outlined in the attached report no anthropogenic deposit is expected since the features are located on a rocky hill and the chances are slim to recover any artefacts the destruction process will nonetheless be monitored to record any artefacts or subsurface finds that could be uncovered.

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Attached to this application please find the following supporting documents:

Phase 2 Report on the Documentation of Structures at the Montrose Interchange

A – Technical Motivation for the project

B – Appointment letter

C – Landowner Consent

Kindly contact me with any queries or concerns.

Sincerely

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