

22 April 2014

SAHRA Case Officer

South African Heritage Resources Agency

## SLYPSTEEN BULK SAMPLE APPLICATION HERITAGE IMPACT ASSESSMENT

Dear Madam/Sir,

Summer Season Trading 41 (Pty) Ltd is currently applying for an extension to their existing prospecting licence, as well as completing an Environmental Management Plan for associated bulk sampling (Reference: NC423PR). This project is known as the Slypsteen Bulk Sample Application and is situated near Hopetown in the Northern Cape.

As part of the application process, the Department of Mineral Resources (DMR) directed Summer Trading to complete a Heritage Impact Assessment and submit this report to SAHRA for comment. The DMR stated in a meeting held that they will not consider the EMP without comment issued by SAHRA.

We understand that SAHRA in general does not consider HIA reports without the relevant environmental reports attached. However, we do request that SAHRA acknowledge the submission of the HIA report in writing in order to provide the DMR with sufficient proof of submission.

Should you have any queries, please forward such to Digby Wells.

Regards,

Johan Nel

HRM Unit: Manager