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Dear Dr. Thackeray

**EXPORT PERMIT:** Nos: 80/06/10/021-023/52

I attach as requested a permit which allows for the temporary export of Sts 52 a and b maxilla and mandible of *Australopithecus africanus* from Sterkfontein, SK63, mandible of *Paranthropus robustus* from Swartkrans and TM 1517 mandible from Kromdraai (Loan number: B14083). SAHRA understands that CT scanning of this size of fossils can only be done overseas, hence the export to Professor José Braga in France.

SAHRA wishes you every success with the project.

Sincerely

Mrs Mary Leslie  
SAHRA: Manager of the Archaeology, Palaeontology and Meteorite Unit  
For CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER