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Letter

In terms of Section 32(19) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999)

Attention: Dr Thalassa Matthews
Iziko: South African Museum
Natural History Department
25 Queen Victoria Street
Cape Town
8001

We are applying for a permit to temporarily export 11 whole and fragmentary opercula of Turbo sarmaticus marine snail shells for the purpose of carbon and oxygen isotopic sampling. Sampling will take place at Oxford University, UK. The samples collected from the surface of each operculum will be minimally invasive and will not alter the gross dimensions of the shell fragments.

Dear Dr. Matthews and Dr. Cleghorn,

Thank you for your application to temporarily export 11 shell samples from KEH-1 for isotope analysis at the RLAHA, University of Oxford. It was noted that a HWC permit for analysis was submitted with the application. The permit will expire on 31 August 2018.

SAHRA has reviewed the application and has decided to approve it.

We wish you every success with this project.

Should you have any further queries, please contact the designated official using the case number quoted above in the case header.

Yours faithfully

Ragna Redelstorff

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Direct URL to case: <http://www.sahra.org.za/node/398880>

Terms & Conditions:

1. This approval does not exonerate the applicant from obtaining local authority approval or any other necessary approval for proposed work.
2. If any heritage resources, including graves or human remains, are encountered they must be reported to SAHRA immediately.
3. SAHRA reserves the right to request additional information as required.