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## Letter

### In terms of Section 35(4) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999)

Attention: Prof. Jennifer Botha

University of the Witwatersrand - Evolutionary Studies Institute

Evolutionary Studies Institute,

University of the Witwatersrand,

Johannesburg, 2050

**This research aims to investigate the underlying reasons for faunal turnover across the end-Triassic extinction event, as a means of understanding biotic responses to mass extinctions in general.**

Dear Prof J Botha,

Thank you for submitting a permit report. It is noted that the project has not been completed yet and that a final permit report and curator letter will be submitted after completion and return of the specimens in March 2023.

Please include photos of specimens after the sampling in your final permit report.

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

Yours faithfully

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Ragna Redelstorff, PhD

Heritage Officer

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Direct URL to case: <https://sahris.sahra.org.za/node/522642>

## 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.