

**PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT OF AN INLAND DIESEL DEPOT,
TRANSPORTATION PIPELINE AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE ON
PORTION 5 OF THE FARM FRANSHOEK NO. 1861, SWINBURNE, FREE STATE
PROVINCE.**



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Interim Comment

In terms of Section 38(8) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999)

Attention: Di Thabeng Truck and Taxi (Pty) Ltd.

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The proposed project entails the construction of an inland diesel depot, pipeline and associated infrastructure on Portion 5 of the farm Franshoek 1861, Swineburne, situated approximately 20 km east of Harrismith, within Thabo Mofutsanyana Municipal District, Maluti-a-Phofung Local Municipality, Free State Province. A Heritage Impact Assessment (HIA) and draft Scoping Report were submitted with the application.

VAN VOLLENHOVEN, A.C. 2019. A REPORT ON A CULTURAL HERITAGE IMPACT ASSESSMENT FOR A PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT OF AN INLAND DIESEL WHOLESALE DEPOT INCLUDING A TRANSPORTATION PIPELINE ON PORTION 5 OF THE FARM FRANSHOEK 1861, SWINBURNE, FREE STATE PROVINCE.

The author found no evidence of sites of cultural heritage significance.

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The SAHRA Archaeology, Palaeontology and Meteorites (APM) Unit has reviewed the HIA. As the proposed development footprint area falls into an area of very high palaeontological sensitivity according to the SAHRIS PalaeoSensitivity Map, a field-based Palaeontological Impact Assessment (PIA) is required to be conducted by a suitable professional and be submitted to SAHRA. A final comment will be issued when the PIA is submitted.

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

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Yours faithfully

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ADMIN:

Direct URL to case: <http://www.sahra.org.za/node/534619>
(DESTEA, Ref:)

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.