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Final Comment

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

Attention: Cycle City (Pty) Ltd trading as Chubby Chick Enterprises

The Cycle City (Pty) Ltd. (trading as Chubby Chick Enterprises) rendering facility is situated on Portion 198 of the farm Wilgeboom 458 IQ, North West Province. The operation requires environmental authorisation as well as the following licenses: A Waste Management License in terms of section 19 and 20(b) of the National Environmental Management: Waste Act, 2008 (Act No. 59 of 2008), a Water Use License in terms of Chapter 4 of the National Water Act, 1998 (Act No. 36 of 1998) and an Atmospheric Emission License in terms of section 21 of the National Environmental Management: Air Quality Act, 2004 (Act No. 39 of 2004).

Thank you for your application regarding the construction of a rendering facility on portion 198 of the farm Wilgeboom 458 IQ near Potchefstroom, North West Province. In a letter dated 21 September 2015, SAHRA requested an HIA or exemption letter to be authored by a professional archaeologist to be submitted to the application, the latter of which has been received:

Anton Pelsler. November 2015. Letter of Exemption for Full HIA & Short Report on Site Visit on 6th of November 2015.

The author recommends exemption from further studies as the proposed area is very small and has been previously disturbed by human activity.

Final comment

The SAHRA Archaeology, Palaeontology and Meteorites Unit agrees with the recommendation in the exemption letter and has no objection against the proposed development. The following conditions must be adhered to:

1. Should any objects of archaeological or palaeontological remains be found during construction activities, work must immediately stop in that area and the Environmental Control Officer (ECO) must be informed.

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2. The ECO must inform the South African Heritage Recourse Agency (SAHRA) and contact an archaeologist and/or palaeontologist, depending on the nature of the find, to assess the importance and rescue them if necessary (with the relevant SAHRA permit). No work may be resumed in this area without the permission from the ECO and SAHRA.

3. If the newly discovered heritage resource is considered significant a Phase 2 assessment may be required. A permit from the responsible heritage authority will be needed.

4. The above recommendations must be incorporated into the Environmental Management Programme (EMPr) for implementation.

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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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.