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

Attention: Ms Stephany Potze

Ditsong Museums of South Africa

PO Box 4197 Pretoria 0001

A sampling permit is requested to allow for the preparation of one sterile breccia block collected at a site named, Legaga in the Cradle of Humankind. This breccia block was collected on a dump pile and the intention is to conduct chemical preparation on the block in order to access how the material reacts to chemical preparation and if any fossil are present to assist in determining if a site excavation permit should be requested in the future. A image of the dump is included in this application to provide context.

Dear Ms. Potze and Dr. Adams,

Thank you for your permit application for preparation of a breccia block collected from a dump pile at the site Legaga within the Cradle of Humankind World Heritage Site.

Please be so kind to provide the following information:

- 1. Where will the preparation take place?
- 2. How long do you expect it to be?
- 3. Where will the material, if any found, be accessioned?

Please note that a consent letter to house and accession the material is required by the museum.

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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#### ADMIN:

Direct URL to case: http://www.sahra.org.za/node/367287

### 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.