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Letter

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

Attention: Ms Stephany Potze
Ditsong Museums of South Africa
PO Box 4197
Pretoria
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To export Swartkrans microfauna for postcranial identification associated with PhD dissertation.

Dear Mr. Campbell,

Thank you for your application to temporarily/permanently export microfaunal fossils from the locality Swartkrans for taxonomic identification at the Department of Anthropology, Texas A&M University. We would like to request few more information:

- The South African legislation states that 50% of a collection must remain in the country; as such we will accept that 50 % be exported now and the other 50 % after the material has been returned in good condition. Please indicate which bags (50%) you would prefer to export with the first batch. Please refer to the bag numbers in the uploaded excel table. We will then create a batch ID for them.
- Please indicate the duration, during which the material will be outside the country.
- We will require a letter of consent from Ditsong Museum that states their agreement to the export and analysis, the duration of the loan and the bag numbers. Ms. Heidi Fourie (hfourie@ditsong.org.za), who is currently the Acting Curator, may be able to help you.

Please be so kind to provide the above information for us to review your permit application.

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/367876>

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.