Eskom Boynton

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Letter

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

Attention: Eskom Distribution Northern Region P O Box 3499
Polokwane

PROPOSED ESKOM BOYNTON PROJECT.

Fourie, H. 7 September 2012. Report for proposed 132 kV power lines between the Lebowakgomo and Dithabaneng; Dithabaneng and Dwaalkop substations; and proposed Boynton substation Limpopo Province, Farms: Voorspoed 458KS, Doornvlei 456KS, Mphatlele 457KS

Eskom Northern Distribution proposes the construction of a 13km 132Kv power line that will run between the existing Lebowakgomo substation to the new Dithabaneng substation, and from the Dithabaneng and Dwaalkop substation, and a 132 kV loop-in-loop-out (LiLo) line from the Middelpunt-Dithabaneng substation to the proposed Boynton substation. In addition a 100m corridor for the power line servitude will be required as well as the construction of access roads at least 8m wide.

A Palaeontological Desktop Study was undertaken by Heidi Fourie for the proposed project. No archaeological impact assessment was attached to the Draft Basic Assessment. However, a heritage sensitivity map included in the draft Basic Assessment Report indicates a number of cemeteries in the project area. Before SAHRA can be provide recommendations regarding the project, a Phase 1 Archaeological Impact Assessment will need to be submitted that will assess any potential archaeological resources in the project area and any other heritage resources that may be affected.

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.

