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## Response to NID (Notification of Intent to Develop)

In terms of Section 38(2) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999)

Attention: Miss Prudence Khosa

Eskom Distribution- LOU 92 Hans van Rensburg

Polokwane

Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd, Limpopo Operating Unit (LOU) intends to construct the power line for the above-mentioned project. The power line will include new 312M MV which will T-off from the existing power line in pole number BBL258/75/19/10 (refer to the Span plan sheets and the Pegging Coordinates for more information) traversing on the of Farm The Bul-Bul 5-Ls in Blouberg Local Municipality of Capricorn District Municipality of the Limpopo Province

Eskom SOC Ltd, Limpopo Operating Unit (LOU) is requesting on behalf of their applicant, that SAHRA grant them an exemption from conducting heritage studies for this proposed power line development. According to the documents submitted to the case, the proposed new power line will be 312 metres starting at Blouberg 22 kV feeder, on the farm Bul-Bul 5 LS, in the Blouberg Local Municipality, of Limpopo Province. The power line will be supplying electricity to a rural village.

SAHRA requires a .kml file to be submitted to the case. The .kml file must be a simple file created on google earth using lines to demarcate the power line route.

## **SAHRA** Response to Notification of Development

This application constitutes a section 38 (1) application for approval by SAHRA in terms of the National Heritage Resources Act, no 25 of 1999 (NHRA), as the proposed power line exceeds 300 metres in length. As such SAHRA is providing response in terms of section 38(2) with regards to this application.

SAHRA Archaeology, Palaeontology and Meteorites Unit cannot make an informed decision on this proposed development because the .kml file submitted to the case must indicate the power line route a it appears in the survey diagram.

SAHRA requires a new .kml file as requested above. This new .kml file must be submitted to the case on SAHRIS before the case is processed further.

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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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