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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: Ms Mahlatse Shiloane

Eskom Distribution- LOU 92 Hans van Rensburg Street

P.O Box 3499 Polokwane 0700

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 2283.877 M LV and 854.491M MV, which will T-off from the existing power line in pole number TMY103/85/36/15/3/9/1 (refer to the Span plan sheets and the Pegging Coordinates for more information) traversing on the farm of Greater Giyani 897-MS in Greater Local Municipality of Mopani District Municipality of the Limpopo Province

Eskom SOC Ltd, Limpopo Operating Unit (LOU) is proposing to construct a new power line on behalf of their applicant, to supplying electricity to various household in Muyexe village. According to the documents submitted to the case, the proposed new MV power line will be 854m and the new LV power line on 2283m starting at Muyexe 22 kV feeder on the farm Greater Giyani 897 LS in the Limpopo Province.

A .kml file was not submitted to the palaeosensitivity map section of the case.

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 of the scale of the power liine and nature of the landscape. In order for SAHRA to make an informed decision, the .kml file must be uploaded to the appropriate location on SAHRIS. The .kml file must be created entirely on google earth, it must be uploaded to the palaeosensitivity section of the case, and the power line route must be mapped out as it appears on the span plan document.

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SAHRA will process the case further once the case is amended as requested.

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

Nokukhanya Khumalo

Heritage Officer

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