



## Final Comment

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

Attention: MAITEKO ENERGY INVESTMENT (Pty) Ltd

### 15MW PV development , Logagane, North West Province

*Fourie, W. May 2013. Proposed 10 MW Solar Photovoltaic Farm Molopo 307 JO, Logagane, Northwest Province.*

*Groenewald, G. May 2013. Palaeontological Desktop Assessment For The Development Of A Photovoltaic Power Facility On The Farm Molopo 307 JO, At Logagane, 80 Kilometres West Of Mafikeng, Mafikeng Local Municipality, Ngaka Modiri Molema District Municipality In The North West Province.*

Maiteko Energy Investment (Pty) Ltd proposes the establishment of a 10Mw solar facility on the farm Molopo 307 JO, west of the town of Logagane, North West Province. A heritage scoping report was previously submitted to SAHRA for comment to which SAHRA requested that a full Phase 1 Archaeological Impact Assessment and Palaeontological Desktop Assessment be undertaken. The Phase 1 AIA and palaeontological desktop assessment has since been submitted to SAHRA for comment.

The development is a for a 10Mw Solar facility of 20 hectares of the farm land. The archaeologist indicated that the area has been ploughed in the past, although dense vegetation still exists in places on the property. The area was surveyed over one day and no archaeological resources or any other heritage resources were identified.

According to the Palaeontological Desktop Assessment the entire area is underlain by windblown sand of the Gordonia Formation which has a low potential of yielding fossils.

### Case Decision:

If the recommendations made in the specialist reports and in this comment are adhered to, the SAHRA Archaeology, Palaeontology and Meteorite Unit has no objection to the development (in terms of the archaeological and palaeontological component of the heritage resources). If any new evidence of archaeological sites or artefacts, palaeontological fossils, graves or other heritage resources are found during development, construction or mining, SAHRA (Mr Phillip Hine/Mrs Colette Scheermeyer, tel. 021 462 4502) and a professional archaeologist must be alerted immediately.

Should you have any further queries, please contact the designated official using the case number quoted





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above in the case header.

Yours faithfully

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Colette Scheermeyer  
SAHRA Head Archaeologist  
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**ADMIN:**

Direct URL to case: <http://www.sahra.org.za/node/111311>

**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.

