# Construction of Keates Drift Bulkwater Supply Scheme for Phase 3 and 4

Our Ref: SAH15/8155

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## **Interim Comment**

In terms of Section 38(8) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999) and the KwaZulu-Natal Heritage Act (Act 4 of 2008)

Attention: Umzinyathi District Municipality

Proposed Construction of Keates Drift Bulkwater Supply Scheme for Phase 3 and 4 spanning over the following farms Etembeni Mission Erf 8312, Aangelegen Erf 1201, Duiker Hoek Erf 3283, Impanza River 1843, Olivefontein 4427 and Tugela Location 4674 situated both in uMvoti Local Municipality and Msinga Local Municipality, KwaZulu Natal Province.

Thank you for the invitation to comment on this development. The documents submitted in support of this application have been reviewed and it has been established that the development is due to take place in an area that is generally sensitive in terms of heritage values as it is associated with the Stone Age , Iron Age and Historical era. The Paleo-sensitivity map also indicates that the development will traverse areas associated with moderate paleo-sensitivity .

For this reason, a Heritage impact Assessment is required. This should cover the archaeological fieldwork and paleontological desktop components and any other aspects that the appointed specialists will deem necessary.

Please download our list of Heritage Practitioners from the website <a href="www.heritagekzn.co.za">www.heritagekzn.co.za</a> and the website of the PSSA, <a href="http://www.palaeontologicalsociety.co.za">http://www.palaeontologicalsociety.co.za</a> for purposes of carrying out the assessment and offering suitable mitigation procedures.

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/316956 (EDTEA, Ref: DC24/0005/2015: KZN/EIA/0000073/2015)

### 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 Amafa immediately.
- 3. Amafa reserves the right to request additional information as required.

