## VR003: export of ostrich eggshell for U-series dating

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# Letter

# In terms of Section 32(19) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999)

Attention: Dr Jayson Orton ASHA Consulting(Pty) Ltd 6A Scarborough Road Muizenberg 7945

Nine samples of ostrich eggshell are to be exported via courier to the USA for U-series dating in the laboratory of Dr. Warren Sharp at the Berkeley Geochronology Center, USA. The samples come from the site of Varsche Rivier 003, on farm Varsche Rivier 260, Matzikama, Western Cape Province.

Dear Dr Orton,

Thank you for your permit application in collaboration with Dr's Teresa Steele and Alex Mackay to permanently export nine samples of ostrich eggshell from the site of Varche River, Western Cape Province of South Africa. The samples will be exported to Dr Warren Sharp to undergo U-series dating at the Berkley Geochronology Center, USA.

SAHRA has reviewed your application and decided to approve it. We wish you every success with this project.

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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