Rescue exhumation of a human skeleton from the Thorny Bush Lifestyle Estate

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Letter

In terms of Section 35(4) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999)

Attention: Mr Stephan Gaigher G & A Heritage G&A Heritage PO Box 522 Louis Trichardt 0920

During pipeline excavations for the Thorny Bush Lifestyle Estate development located on the Kameeldoring Country Club grounds, the remains of one human skeleton was uncovered. The position and articulation of the remaining bones suggest that this is a formal burial of archaeological origin. The uncovered remains seem to be that of a young, male child of African ethnicity. Thorny Bush Lifestyle Estate, Mokopane, Limpopo Province.

Dear Mr Geigher and Mr Pelser,

SAHRA has recived your application requesting a permit for the excavation of human remains accidentally uncovered during the laying of pipelines for the Thorny Bush Lifestyle Estate development.

The skeleton is estimated to be older than 100 years and as such it is considered of archaeological origin.

The SAHRA Permit Committee has assessed your application and has agreed to issue the permit.

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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