



## Letter

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

Attention: Dr Dominic Stratford  
School of Geography, Archaeology and Environmental Studies  
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**This application is for the renewal of the excavation permit at the stone tool-bearing site of Maropeng, near Krugersdorp, Gauteng. The application is to finish the excavations and intrusive research at the site which has been conducted under my direction for the last three years. Three excavations are open and are at the final stages of research. The next permit period will see the field work completed and the analysis of the lithic assemblage carried out culminating in a research publication.**

Dear Dr Stratford,

The SAHRA Archaeology, Palaeontology, Meteorites, Heritage Objects and Burials permit committee received your request for a renewal of permit 80/11/02/008/51 issued for the excavation of mostly Early Stone Age sites at Maropeng.

The committee agreed with the renewal of the permit.

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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Mariagrazia Galimberti  
Heritage Officer: Archaeology  
South African Heritage Resources Agency



# Maropeng Archaeological Excavations - Permit renewal

Our Ref: 9/2/233/0002

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## ADMIN:

Direct URL to case: <http://www.sahra.org.za/node/157818>

## 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.



The South African Heritage Resources Agency

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