Leicester sand winning operations

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Interim Comment

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

Attention: Geoff Silk Civil & Mining Consultant cc

54 President Street,

Vryheid, 3100.

Proposed sand winning operations 20km south of Newcastle, KZN, on Farm Leicester 2970 HS. The project involves the winning of sand from a watercourse by means of surface abstraction methods using hydraulic excavator and/or front end loader loading into road trucks

We acknowledge receipt of your invitation for comment with regards to the proposed sand mining on a substantial footprint. The possibility of heritage resources in the proposed area is very high.

Considering the heritage value of the area of proposed development, a Heritage Impact Assessment is required.

Amafa KZN Heritage therefore requires the appointment of an Amafa accredited Heritage Practitioner to assist in the provision of recommendations and mitigation procedures.

Please download our list of Heritage Practitioners from our website www.heritagekzn.co.za.

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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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.

