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In terms of Section 38(8) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999) Attention: Mr Mpho Mothetha

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CONSULTATION IN TERMS OF SECTION 40 OF THE MINERAL AND PETROLEUM RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT ACT 2002, (ACT 28 OF 2002) FOR THE APPROVAL OF AN ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR PROSPECTING RIGHT IN RESPECT OF RARE EARTH AND FLUORSPAR ON THE FARM WATERVAL NO.497 AND OMDRAAI NO.492, SITUATED IN MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT OF GORDONIA, NORTHERN CAPE.

The heritage studies requirements from SAHRA for the proposed prospecting activities on Waterval and Omdraai Farms in the Gordonia District have reference.

It has been indicated to SAHRA that heritage studies will be undertaken prior to the commencement of prospecting activities on these sites. SAHRA will review and comment on these reports when they are received. These reports do not need to be submitted to SAHRA prior to the issuing of prospecting rights, nor is the granting of those rights dependent on the submission to SAHRA of the reports, or the outcome of SAHRA's commenting.

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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