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**Letter**

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

Attention: Dr Bernhard Zipfel  
Evolutionary Studies Institute  
University of Witwatersrand  
PO Wits  
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**Request for sampling permit and export permit for dental calculus from teeth recovered from the Rising Star excavation of Empire Cave (UW 101), Gauteng Province.**

Dear Dr Zipfel and Dr Henry,

The Archaeology, Palaeontology, Meteorites, Heritage Objects and Burials Permit Committee of SAHRA has received your application requesting sampling and export of hominin remains collected at the palaeo-anthropological site of Empire Cave.

The Permit Committee agreed with the issuing of both the sampling and the export permit. The Permit Committee understood that one sediment sample will also be exported.

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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