



Final Comment

In terms of Section 38(8) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999) and the KwaZulu-Natal Heritage Act (Act 4 of 2008)

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Sineke Developments (Pty) Ltd
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THE PROPOSED NJONJO 88/22KV, 2 * 20MVA SUBSTATION ESTABLISHMENT AND ESTABLISH THE NCWANE-OKUKU 88KV LOOP IN LOOP OUT TURN IN LINES.

Thank you for providing us with the opportunity to comment on this development. We have reviewed the development proposal and the heritage Impact Assessment report by eThembeni Cultural Heritage and concur with the following recommendations and mitigation procedures put forward by the heritage Specialist, Len Schalkwyk:

- Substation site alternatives 2, 3 and 4 are preferred to minimise indirect impacts on St Francis and direct impacts on traditional burial places.
- The Community Liaison Officer for the project must consult relevant communal structures about the possibility of any of unmarked graves located within 100m of the selected substation site, tower positions and any other activity areas prior to any construction or site preparation activities.
- If such graves are identified Amafa and/or a heritage practitioner should be notified according to the protocol in Section 9 of this report.

Amafa therefore has no objection to the development within the parameters of the stipulated conditions.

You are also required to adhere to the below-mentioned standard conditions:

Conditions:

1. Amafa should be contacted if any heritage objects are identified during earthmoving activities and all development should cease until further notice.
2. No structures older than sixty years or parts thereof are allowed to be demolished altered or extended without a permit from Amafa.
3. No activities are allowed within 50m of a site, which contains rock art.
4. Sources of all natural materials (including topsoil, sands, natural gravels, crushed stone, asphalt, etc.) must be obtained in a sustainable manner and in compliance with the heritage legislation.

Failure to comply with the requirements of the National Heritage Resources Act and the KwaZulu Natal Heritage Resources Act could lead to legal action being instituted against the applicant.



Njonjo Substation and Turn In Lines

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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.



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