Proposed Amatikulu 132kV Switching Station and Associated 132kV Powerlines.

Our Ref: SAH14/5809

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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)

Attention: Ludloko Developments

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The survey by Frans Prins of Active Heritage resulted in the identification of three Iron Age sites with a scatter of potsherds. These sites are rated to be of medium significance and are generally protected in terms of the heritage legislation. Such sites require a permit if any disturbance or damage is envisaged.

Amafa Heritage KZN raises no objection to this application subject to the following conditions:

- A final walkdown, by a heritage expert ,of the final tower placements, access roads and camp sites is required to avoid inadvertent damage to the sites.
- The heritage sites should be recorded and demarcated before commencement of site clearance and construction activities. The archaeological sites can only be subjected to destruction after a destruction permit has been issued by Amafa.

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.

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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ADMIN:

Direct URL to case: http://www.sahra.org.za/node/165990

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.

