### Proposed forestry at Umbumbulu, ward 96, Durban. KwaZulu Natal

Our Ref: SAH 13/ CaseID: 3445

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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: Mr Mkhonzeni Maphumulo Ekwazini Kraal Youth Cooperative U Section 1586 27 Muntuwenkosi Lane PO Umlazi Durban

# Proposed forestry on a 9.8 hectures land at Umbumbulu, Sobonakhona tribal authority, kwaMbovu

We acknowledge receipt of your invitation for comment with regards to the proposed development. The object of Amafa is to administer, conserve and protect heritage resources of the Province within the terms of KZN Heritage Act no. 4 (2008) and the National Heritage Resources Act No 25 of 1999. While the archaeological potential of the Umbumbulu area is generally high, the area of proposed development was surveyed by Amafa officials revealing absence of surface heritage resources. The nature of proposed activity is in-keeping with previous land use and will occur within a transformed environment.

The proposed stream flow reduction activity may proceed as planned. No activity is allowed within 25m of a grave or burial site.

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/130172

#### 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.

