Red Cap Wind Energy Facility, Kouga Municipality, Eastern Cape

Our Ref: 9/2/044/0001, 80/12/02/027/51

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Letter

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

Attention: Mr Lance Blain
Red Cap Investments (Pty) Ltd
Unit B5
Mainstream Centre
Main Road
Hout Bay
Cape Town

Establishment of the Red Cap Wind Energy Facility in three clusters, Kouga Municipality, Eastern Cape Dear Mr Blaine.

SAHRA issued a permit to Ms van Ryneveld and Dr Nilssen on the 1st of March 2012 for monitoring of the line of turbines 41-40-48 and for test excavation and monitoring of the line of turbines 33-36 at the Central Cluster of the Red Cap Wind Energy Facility, in the Kouga Municipality.

We received and commented on a report submitted to SAHRA as a result of the test excavations at turbines 33 -36. However, since construction of the wind energy facility has not started yet, monitoring of turbines 41-40-48 has not been undertaken yet.

SAHRA agrees that the above mentioned permit (SAHRA permit number 80/12/02/027/51), expiring on the 1st of April 2013, may be renewed, since the conditions under which the permit was issued are still valid. SAHRA is not the responsible heritage authority for the Eastern Cape any more, but supports the renewal or the issue of a new permit on similar conditions by the Eastern Cape Provincial Heritage Resources Authority.

Should you have any further queries, please contact the designated official using the case number quoted above in the case header.

Yours faithfully

Mariagrazia Galimberti

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