Bapong Electrification Project

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Response to NID (Notification of Intent to Develop)

In terms of Section 38(3) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999)

Attention: Mr Aron Senyolo Eskom - NWOU

Eskom has been requested by Moses Kotane Local Municipality to electrify Bapong Village as part of service delivery and universal access to electricity. The project is part of 2022/2023 Electrification Plan. Project entails electrification of 111 stands. The area in located in the North West Province.

Eskom North West Operating Unit has been request by the Moses Kotane Local Municipality to electiry 111 households in Baponong Village.

A DESD and EMPr have been sumbitted with the application and both documents have not noted any significant heritage resources in the proposed project area.

The project will entail the construction of MV and LV power lines in Bapong Village. The power line will in some places run through already existing street adjacent to fences. The proposed lines will run in areas of moderate palaeontological sensitivity according to the PalaeoSensitivity Map on SAHRIS.

As per section 38(2)a of the NHRA (25 of 1999), the SAHRA APM Unit acknowledges receipt of the application and request that the following is undertaken in terms of section 38(2) of the National Heritage Resources Act (25 of 1999). The project pwer line route must be mapped properly and uploaded to the GIS layer of the SAHRIS case application as a line and not polygon to indicate the exact route of the power line.

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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