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## **Final Comment**

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

Attention: Mr Engelbrecht Binedell

The Place, 1 Sandton Drive, Sandton, 2196

**Growthpoint Properties Limited (hereafter referred to as Growthpoint) proposes to upgrade and improve the existing Constantia Kloof Office Park stormwater system in order to reduce the current sediment deposition and to manage the solid waste pollution which has entered the site.**

**Küsel, U. March 2020. Phase 1 Cultural Heritage Resources Impact Assessment for the Proposed Constantia Kloof Stormwater Silt and Litter Management Project (Project No. 508608), located in the Roodepoort Magisterial District, City of Johannesburg Metropolitan Municipality, Gauteng Province**

The proposed development entails the upgrading of a stormwater system for litter and silt management on the Constantia Kloof Stormwater Silt and Litter Management Project

The author notes that no archaeological heritage resources features, sites or artefacts of cultural significance were found. No graves were found.

The SA Palaeontological Sensitivity Map indicates that the study area has Insignificant and Low fossil sensitivity.

### **Final Comment**

SAHRA Archaeology, Palaeontology and Meteorites Unit has no objections to this proposed development, provided that the recommendations in the specialist reports and this comment are adhered to, and in addition, on the following conditions:

No palaeontological assessment is required, however a protocol for palaeontological finds is required. If any evidence of archaeological sites or remains (e.g., remnants of stone-made structures, indigenous ceramics, bones, stone artefacts, ostrich eggshell fragments and charcoal/ash concentrations) or palaeontological remains are found during the proposed activities, SAHRA must be alerted immediately, and a professional archaeologist or palaeontologist, based on the nature of the finds, must be contacted as soon as possible to inspect the findings. If the newly discovered heritage resources prove to be of significance a Phase

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2 rescue operation might be necessary.

If any unmarked human burials are uncovered and the archaeologist called in to inspect the finds and/or the police find them to be heritage graves, mitigation may be necessary and the SAHRA Burial Grounds and Graves (BGG) Unit must be contacted for processes to follow.

Should the project be granted Environmental Authorisation, SAHRA must be notified and all relevant documents submitted to the case on SAHRIS.

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:**

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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 SAHRA immediately.
3. SAHRA reserves the right to request additional information as required.