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## Letter

### In terms of Section 32(19) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999)

Attention: Ms Maphole Loke  
Cape Peninsula University of Technology  
P.O. Box 1906

**The importance of compatible restoration of historic masonries cannot be overemphasised as it helps maintain the historic structures for sustainable development, economic growth, and representation of a country's history. My research study works towards characterising the original mortars from the Castle of Good Hope, in the western Cape and proposing the suitable repair mortars.**

Dear Ms Loke,

Thank you for your permit application to export archaeological mortar from the Castle of Good Hope national heritage site to the University of Granada, Spain. It is noted that the analysis will be done under the supervision of Prof. Giuseppe Cultrone.

SAHRA has reviewed your application and decided to approve it.

We wish you every success with this project.

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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Ben Mwasinga  
Manager: Built Environment Unit

# Export Permit for Archeological mortars from the Castle of Good Hope for academic research

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## ADMIN:

Direct URL to case: <https://sahris.sahra.org.za/node/595671>

## 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.