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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)

<u>Attention:</u> Department of Transport, KZN Private Bag X9043 PIETERMARITZBURG 3200

The Department of Transport proposes to establish three causeways and expand an existing causeway along the P736 Road, Nongoma, KwaZulu-Natal. Four rivers crossing along this section of P736 require attention namely: 1. Mahambuma / Tatiyane River (27°59'40.36"S & 31°30'39.32"E); 2. Phenyane River (27°59'22.66"S & 31°30'39.98"E); 3. Phethu River (27°59'11.52"S & 31°30'26.26"E); and 4. Kwasitholane River (27°58'14.87"S & 31°30'20.85"E).

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. Whilst the area of proposed development is generally sensitive in terms of heritage values ,we note that the survey by Frans Prins did not yield heritage resources.

In terms of the KwaZulu Natal Heritage Act No. 4 of 2008 and the National Heritage Resources Act No.25 of 1999 (Section 38 (1), in view of the findings outlined in the HIA Report by Frans Prins of Active Heritage that we received , we have no objection as the survey established that the area does not have any surface finds.

You are also required to adhere to the below-mentioned standard conditions:

Conditions:

- 1. Amafa should be contacted if any heritage objects are identified during earthmoving activities and all development should cease until further notice.
- 2. No structures older than sixty years or parts thereof are allowed to be demolished altered or extended without a permit from Amafa.
- 3. No activities are allowed within 50m of a site, which contains rock art.
- 4. Amafa should be contacted if any graves are identified during construction and the following procedure is to be followed:
- stop construction
- report finding to local police station
- report to Amafa to investigate.

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/120208

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.



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