

Final Comment

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

Attention: Ecosolve (Pty) Ltd

A phase 1 heritage impact assessment study for the proposed upgrade of Braamfontein PRASA Depot, Johannesburg, Gauteng Province.

Tomose, N. July 2013. Heritage Impact Assessment Study For The Proposed Prasa's Modern Maintenance Depots Upgrade, Braamfontein Prasa Depot, Cojmm, Gauteng Province, South Africa

The proposed development entails physical upgrading of the service buildings and rail infrastructure at the Braamfontein PRASA facility. The assessment identified more than 100 built environment and landscape features represented by buildings and industry-related technological features. The identified buildings were clustered into seven site complexes:

Braamfontein Site Complex-1; Braamfontein Site Complex-2; Braamfontein Site Complex-3; Braamfontein Site Complex-4; Braamfontein Site Complex-5; Braamfontein Site Complex-6; and Braamfontein Site Complex-7.

In each complex, identified built environment and landscape features identified were graded in terms of the significance and impact significance of the proposed development on the indentified resources.

No archaeological heritage resources were identified.

Case Decision

As there is apparently no evidence of any significant archaeological material in this area, the SAHRA Archaeology, Palaeontology and Meteorites Unit has no objection to the development (in terms of the archaeological component of the heritage resources) on condition that, if any new evidence of archaeological sites or artefacts, palaeontological fossils, graves or other heritage resources are found during upgrading activities, SAHRA or an archaeologist or palaeontologist must be alerted immediately.

Please note that decisions relating to the built environment structures mentioned in the report must be obtained from the Gauteng 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

HIA for Braamfontein PRASA Depot Upgrade

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Direct URL to case: <http://www.sahra.org.za/node/130601>

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.



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