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Attention: Mr E.D Katsetse
Heritage Officer
SAHRA

CASEID: 17857 - REPLY TO YOUR LETTER OF ADVICE

Preliminary Skeletal Analysis Report: Kusile Invest 2

Thank you for your quick response to my urgent letter. I would like to clarify your queries in this matter.

1. The application is for a rescue excavation of the remainder of the skeletal material and subsequent reburial.
2. **Methodology for the excavation/exhumation.** We will conduct a standard test pit excavation to determine whether there are any deposits and/or cultural artefacts associated with the skeletal remains. The process will be photographically documented, and, if applicable, plan and profile sketches will be included, a standard procedure. The skeletal remains will be analysed to determine possible age at death, stature, sex, race, etc. for recording purposes.
3. **Details of the identified location for the reburial.** The Shiviti Traditional Council had granted permission for the exhumation of the human remains, which includes their approval for the reburial at a local cemetery, still to be identified. Their letter of approval will be submitted on SAHRIS.
4. No invasive investigation is considered for the skeletal remains.

I hope you will find this in order.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Hester Roodt', written over a horizontal line.

Hester Roodt