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Mary Leslie  
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Dear Mrs. Leslie

**EXEMPTION OF THE FOLLOWING PROPOSED VODACOM BASE STATION AND MAST FROM FULL HIA INVESTIGATION; MABALLINGWE**

After investigation of the above mentioned sites the following recommendations are given regarding the applicability of a full HIA study;

**MABALLINGWE:** The proposed area for the construction of the Mast and base station is already in use as an existing base station. This will merely be an extension of the existing use area. The previous construction has damaged the area to such an extent that no indications of historic human activity could be identified. No other indications of historic human activity could be seen in the proposed study area.

The previously mentioned recommendations are based on information gathered during physical site visits.

Should you have any questions regarding these recommendations please contact us at any time.

October 1, 2007

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gaigher", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Sincerely  
Stephan Gaigher  
(Senior Partner for AINP)

October 1, 2007