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Dear Ms Higgitt

<u>Clarification on site DH101 in the development footprint of the Doornhoek 1 PV facility, North West Province (SAHRIS Case ID 19211).</u>

Beyond Heritage was appointed to conduct a Heritage walk-down for the authorised photovoltaic (PV) solar energy facility (known as the Doornhoek 1 PV facility) located on a site approximately 11km north of Klerksdorp in the North West Province. One of the recommendations in the Heritage walk-down report for the approved Doornhoek 1 PV Facility and Associated Infrastructure, Klerksdorp, North West Province (Van der Walt 2023) stated that stakeholders should be consulted regarding a recorded feature assumed to be an informal church (DH101).

During the Stakeholder Consultation process, the landowner (Mr James Orford) confirmed that the feature is not a church but a result of workers (who were cutting down trees) using this area as a temporary camping site (Annexure A).

This recommendation was therefore successfully addressed, and the feature is of no heritage significance and required no additional mitigation.

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