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The South African Heritage Resources Agency (SAHRA)

Cape Town

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**Case ID 21100 - SAHRA Decision on the HIA on Portion 20 of the Farm Mamatwan 331, Hotazel,
Northern Cape**

We note your feedback on the above Application dated 18 September 2023. We are writing to provide background to this study. We travelled to the Northern Cape on 17 July 2023 with the intent to do a ground survey. Unfortunately, the landowner did not grant entry. Under the circumstances, we did a scoping windscreen survey along nearby access roads based on which we wrote the HIA Report submitted to you.

We, therefore, wonder what much else can be done to change the outcome.

We would be most grateful for SAHRA to review the interim decision in light of these circumstances.

Kind regards

Edward

Yours sincerely

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