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EXHUMATION AND RE-INTERMENT OF THE REMAINS OF MAHLATSI MADIGAPENG MARTHA IN TERMS OF SECTION 36(3) OF THE NATIONAL HERITAGE RESOURCES ACT (NHRA 25 OF 1999).

The remains of Mahlatsi Madigapeng Martha were interred around 17 June 1945. They are therefore protected by the NHRA and characterised as heritage resources due to their age. The grave is currently located at **Kroonheuwel Farm** in Kroonstad District and the family have requested for the remains to be exhumed for re-interment at **Snakepark Cemetery**, AB Grave No 888, 8 feet. Kopano Funeral Parlour have been appointed to conduct the exhumation and reburial.

The Burial Ground and Graves Unit of SAHRA has no objection to the proposed exhumation and re-interment activities. The following conditions must be adhered to.

Conditions:

1. The family representatives must be on site when the exhumation and re-interment take place.
2. Human remains must at all times be handled with respect and graves should not be disturbed except where unavoidable.
3. The consultation procedure as indicated in the *NHRA Regulations of 2000* and the *National Heritage Resources Act no 25 of 1999* must be observed.
4. SAHRA must be notified of the completion of the exhumation and re-interment in writing.
5. It is the responsibility of the family to obtain permission from the landowner for each visit to the site.
6. Conditions of access imposed by the landowner must be observed.
7. The heritage authority shall not be liable for any losses, damages or injuries to persons or properties as a result of any activities in connection with this permit.
8. The heritage authority reserves the right to cancel this permit by notice to the permit holder.

This permit is valid from **28/02/2023** to **28/04/2023**.

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