



Heritage Process: Proposed Establishment of a 55m Mast at Coldstream, Eastern Cape

Background

In June 2018, a Desktop Heritage Screening Assessment was conducted to determine the likely impacts of the proposed 55m mast on heritage resources based on all existing information about this area available on SAHRIS - the South African Heritage Resources Information System.

Legislative Context

The proposed development triggers section 38(8) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999) which states that: “The provisions of this section do not apply to a development as described in subsection (1) if an **evaluation of the impact of such development on heritage resources** is required in terms of the Environment Conservation Act, 1989 (Act No. 73 of 1989), or the integrated environmental management guidelines issued by the Department of Environment Affairs and Tourism, or the Minerals Act, 1991 (Act No. 50 of 1991), or any other legislation: **Provided that the consenting authority must ensure that the evaluation fulfils the requirements of the relevant heritage resources authority in terms of subsection (3), and any comments and recommendations of the relevant heritage resources authority with regard to such development have been taken into account prior to the granting of the consent.**”

Case Application Summary

On 16 July 2018, the Case Application and Heritage Screening Assessment were submitted to the Eastern Cape Provincial Heritage Authority (ECPHRA) via SAHRIS with Case Number: 12716. Please see attached screenshot as evidence. In addition, this Case Application can be viewed here:

<https://www.sahra.org.za/sahris/cases/proposed-establishment-55m-mast-coldstream>

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As of 06 September 2018, there has been no response from the ECPHRA to this Case Application.

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The screenshot shows the SAHRIS (South African Heritage Resources Information System) web application. The page title is "Proposed Establishment of a 55m Mast at Coldstream". The status is "SUBMITTED". The heritage authority is SAHRA, and the case type is "Section 38 (8) - Statutory Comment Required". The development type is "Telecommunications Infrastructure". The proposal description states: "This application is for the establishment of a 55m high telecommunications mast at Coldstream in the Eastern Cape, Kou-Kamma local municipality in the Cacadu district." The application date is Monday, July 16, 2018 - 09:16. The case ID is 12716. The applicant is Enviroafrica CC, and the consultant/expert is Jenna Lavin. There are no other references listed. The page also shows a table for "OtherReferences" with columns for Dept, CaseReference, DueDate, and FinalDecision. The table contains one entry: DEDEAT. The page also shows a section for "AdditionalDocuments" with one document listed: "1. BAR Report - Coldstream.pdf". The footer of the page contains contact information for the South African Heritage Resources Agency (SAHRA) and the Department of Arts & Culture.

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