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An investigation, then no investigation and finally a “serious investigation” has been launched to find the culprits behind the incidents of ‘sabotage’ at the Elandsfontein mine.

Kropz, owners of the Elandsfontein mine, discovered on Wednesday 18 January, that cables to certain equipment at the mine site were cut.

Initially Capt Gottlieb Adams, station commander of Hopefield police, said the incident was ‘merely reported’ but called yesterday afternoon to report that the incident is now under ‘serious’ investigation.

Kropz told Weslander they were under the impression that the matter was being investigated from the start. The company offers a R25 000 cash reward for information leading to the conviction of either the perpetrators or the organisers. A dedicated hotline has been set up by the mine. Call or WhatsApp information to 076 025 5388.

The incident led to a minor delay in construction.