Directions from Jeppe’s Reef/Matsamo Border to Reilly’s Rock within Mlilwane Wildlife Sanctuary

Distance + 135 km - about 2hrs

- Drive STRIAMHT, through PIGGS PEAK + 40km and continue to the Oshoek border / Mbabane highway + 50km
- Ngwenya Glass + 5km to the right just before highway. Good place to visit - open from 9am - 4pm
- Turn LEFT onto the highway towards Mbabane. Travel + 15km to MBABANE. This becomes the bypass road.
- Remain on this highway until you get to the bottom of the steep hill leading into the Ezulwini Valley.

There are 2 directions to the Park:

Option 1 – Scenic Route
- Travel + 8km on the highway.
- Take MR103 off ramp LEFT and turn RIGHT, over the highway, to Sun International Hotels, Lobamba and Mlilwane Wildlife Sanctuary
- Travel + 11km past the Royal Swazi Sun, Lugogo and Ezulwini Hotels, the craft markets, Gables Shopping Centre (Pick ‘n Pay) and Happy Valley Motel.

Option 2 – Direct Route
- Travel + 17km on the highway.
- Take Lobamba / Elangeni off ramp LEFT (also signposted “Mlilwane”).
- Turn RIGHT under highway towards Lobamba and continue up the hill + 2.5km.
- Turn LEFT at the next intersection.
- You will pass the Parliament Buildings and Memorial Park.

Then continue to follow these directions:
...Pass the Caltex filling station on your left and travel + 500m
- Turn RIGHT to Mlilwane Wildlife Sanctuary - onto a dirt road.
- Travel + 3 km to Mlilwane’s Sangweni Gate (Open 24 hrs).
- Reception at the gate is open from 06h00 – 17h00. After 17h00 the night guard will allow you to enter and direct you to the Rest Camp, Reilly’s Rock or Sondzela Backpackers, where gate entry is paid

SUMMARY OF DIRECTIONS (OPTION 1)

(A)

R570, South Africa – JEPPE’S REEF BORDER POST (07h00 – 20h00)

1. Head southeast toward R570 9 m
2. Take the 1st right onto (Entering Swaziland) R570 2.4 km
3. Continue onto MR1 86.3 km
4. Turn left to merge onto MR3 22.5 km
5. Take the exit toward MR103 0.2 km
6. Turn right onto MR103 10.6 km
7. Turn right onto D55 3.4 km
8. Continue straight

Destination will be on the left 22 m

(B)

D55, Swaziland – MLILWANE WILDLIFE SANCTUARY (S26° 28’ 47.4” E31° 11’ 46.6’’)

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Reilly’s Rock Tel: +268 2582 3992 (Mlilwane) Mon – Sun 06:00 – 19:00 Cell: +268 7618 1266 (18:00 – 22:00 ONLY)