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## PERMIT: Sampling

### In terms of Section 35(4) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999)

Permit Holder: Dr MH Alex Schoeman

School of Geography, Archaeology and Environmental Studies

University of the Witwatersrand

Private Bag 3, Wits

**Object:** bulkID\_21163\_ceramics\_Lydenburg\_Heads\_site

**To:** Rachel Haupt

This permit is issued to Ms Rachel Haupt (University of the Witwatersrand), in collaboration with Dr Alex Schoeman (University of the Witwatersrand), for minimal destructive sampling of the following 30 pottery sherds from the Lydenburg Heads Site, Mpumalanga, for OSL dating: LHS02, LHS05, LHS06, LHS07, LHS08, LHS09, LHS10, LHS11, LHS09, LHS10, LHS11, LHS13, LHS15, LHS16, LHS17, LHS18, LHS21/22, LHS23, LHS24, LHS25, LHS26/27, LHS29, LHS30, LHS31, LHS32, LHS33, LHS34, LHS35, LHS36/37, LHS38, LHS39, LHS40. The material is currently housed in the University of the Witwatersrand.

Conditions:

1. As the sampling will reduce the structural integrity, suitable records (measurements and photographs) must be taken prior to sampling.
2. No paratype material may be sampled.
3. Sampling and analysis will take place at the University of the Witwatersrand.
4. A permit report on the activities undertaken in terms of this permit must be emailed to [apmpermitreports@sahra.org.za](mailto:apmpermitreports@sahra.org.za) on or before 31 July 2024 using the template in the following link: <https://sahris.sahra.org.za/content/apmpermitreports>. SAHRA reserves the right to withhold further permits if progress is not deemed satisfactory. Permit reports can be made available to researchers on request within three years of the lapsing of this permit.
5. Copies of all the published papers and/or reports resulting from this work must be lodged with the heritage authority.
6. SAHRA shall not be liable for any losses, damages or injuries by or to persons or properties as a result of

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any activities in connection with this permit.

7. SAHRA reserves the right to cancel this permit by notice to the permit holder.

8. This permit is subject to a general appeal and may be suspended should an appeal against the decisions be received by SAHRA within 14 days from the date of the permit. SAHRA may not be held responsible for any costs or losses incurred in the event of the suspension or retraction of this permit.

9. Request to renew permits must be done at least two months prior to the expiry of the existing permit.

This permit is valid from

**04/07/2023 to 31/07/2024**

Ragna Redelstorff, PhD

Heritage Officer

South African Heritage Resources Agency

Phillip Hine

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Additional Info:

Please note that this permit may be suspended should an appeal against the decisions be received by SAHRA within 14 days from the date of the permit. SAHRA may not be held responsible for any costs or losses incurred in the event of the suspension or retraction of this permit.

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