

PERMIT: Analysis

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

Permit Holder: Dr Ashley Coutu
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Object: Various-IvorySamples-BATCH-CASEID8146

For sampling of the following ivory fragments from Ditsong Museums of South Africa:

Find numbers: 9544, 9541, 9517, 9429, 9543, 9510, 9540, 9513, 9511, 9520, 4426, 4461, 9435-6, 3813, 3809, 3811, 3808, 9518, 1 fragment (Schroda), 841-3, 802-4, 838-9, 835-837, 754 (Thulamela), 2 fragments from Askoppies

Dr Ashley N. Coutu applied for a permit for destructive analysis of ivory samples from broken/scrap pieces from the Ditsong collection for isotope analysis. Samples will consist of approximately 100 mg taken from broken off flakes and chips. Sampling and analysis will take place in the Department of Archaeology at the University of Cape Town.

This permit is issued to Dr. Ashley N. Coutu, University of Cape Town to sample the selected representatives of ivory material as agreed by the curator F.E. Teichert, Ditsong Museums of South Africa. Selected specimens consist of ivory bangle waste fragments and pieces of unworked tusk from Schroda, Limpopo Province; worked ivory fragments and hippo ivory working waste from Askoppies, North West Province; and ivory bangle fragments from Thulamela, Limpopo Province.

Conditions:

- Sampling must be done with minimal damage to arrows and according to the conditions set by the curating institutions.
- A permit report on the activities of this permit is due on **31 August 2016**.
- Reprints of all the published papers or copies of these and/or reports resulting from this work must be lodged with the heritage authority.
- SAHRA shall not be liable for any losses, damages or injuries by or to persons or properties as a result of any activities in connection with this permit.

Ditsong Iron Age Ivory

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



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This permit is valid from **20/08/2015 to 31/08/2016.**

Ragna Redelstorff
Heritage Officer
South African Heritage Resources Agency

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Heritage Officer
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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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