



PERMIT: Excavation, Sampling, Collection

In terms of Section 27(18) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999)

Permit Holder: Dr Brian F Kuhn
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Site: Black Earth Cave at Taung (Black Earth Cave, Wits 88-92 Dumps) approximately at 27° 37' 1.488" S, 24° 37' 58.1052" E

Conditions:

1. If the permit holder is not to be present on the site at all times then the heritage authority must be provided with the names and qualifications of the authorised representatives.
2. Adequate recording methods as specified in the Regulations and Guidelines pertaining to the National Heritage Resources Act must be employed. Note that the position of all excavations and objects collected must be marked on a plan of site.
3. A standard site record form must be lodged with the University of Witwatersrand.
4. All fossils collected and excavated, as well as field notes and records, will be curated by the University of Witwatersrand.
5. A permit report is due on or before 31 August 2014. Based on this report, SAHRA will decide on the renewal of the permit and the granting of permits for additional sites.
6. Reprints of all published papers or copies of theses and/or reports resulting from this work must be lodged with the heritage authority.
7. If a published report has not appeared within three years of the lapsing of this permit, the report required in terms of the permit will be made available to researchers on request.
8. It is the responsibility of the permit holder to obtain permission from the landowner for each visit, and conditions of access imposed by the landowner must be observed.
9. It is the responsibility of the permit holder to fill in excavations and protect sites during and after excavation to the satisfaction of the heritage authority and the landowner.
10. The heritage authority shall not be liable for any losses, damages or injuries to persons or properties as a result of any activities in connection with this permit.
11. The heritage authority reserves the right to cancel this permit by notice to the permit holder.

This permit is valid from **01/06/2013 to 31/08/2014**.



The South African Heritage Resources Agency

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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.

