

Lance-Corporal Wijnand "Vic" Hamman Archaeological Project: Scanning of his Lichtenburg grave.

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PERMIT: Use equipment on site, Pre-disturbance survey

In terms of Section 36(3) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999)

Permit Holder: Prof. Anton van Vollenhoven

Archaetnos Culture & Cultural Resource Consultants

Site: Grave of Vic Hamman (Grave of Vic Hamman)

Archaetnos CC in collaboration with the History Department at the North West University have undertaken a project to conduct GPR Survey for the grave of L/C Vic Hamman who died in France during the first World War. It is believed that he was buried in France, but his mother also ensured him a grave in his home town, Lichtenburg. The aim of the project is to scan the site at Lichtenburg by means of GPRS in order to determine if it is indeed an empty grave. This permit is allocated for conducting the said GPR survey.

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.
3. A standard site record form must be lodged on SAHRIS.
4. A report on the GPR findings must be submitted to the heritage authority on before 31 August 2019 for the duration of the permit.
5. If remains are discovered, including relics and artefacts, must be kept with the skeletal material must

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remain *in situ*. It is vital that human remains must at all times be handled with respect and graves should not be disturbed except where unavoidable. The consultation procedures as indicated in the Regulations and the National Heritage Resources Act must be observed as appropriate.

6. Reprints of all published papers or copies of theses and/or reports resulting from this work must be lodged with the relevant provincial heritage authority and SAHRA.
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. 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.
10. The heritage authority reserves the right to cancel this permit by notice to the permit holder.

This permit is valid from
23/08/2018 to 23/08/2019

Thingahangwi Tracy Tshivhase
Heritage Officer: Permitting
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.

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