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Provincial Heritage Resources Authority of the Western Cape

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HWC APPLICATION No. 2005/12/APM 002 HWC REF. No. C13/3/6/2/1/1/1/C16 PERMIT No. 2005-12-002

Issued under Section 35(4) of the National Heritage Resources Act, Act No. 25 of 1999 and the Western Cape Provincial Gazette 6061, Notice 298 of 2003. Permission is hereby given:

- to: Ms Lena Johanne Brune,
- of: c/o Prof C. Henshilwood, African Heritage Research Institute, 167 Buitenkant Street, Gardens, 8001 Cape Town,
- for: damage of a total of 79 *Turbo* opercula, in order to undertake isotopic and x-ray diffractometry analyses in the Dept of Earth Science at the University of Oslo, Norway,
- from: Garcia Estate Forest 2 (GSF 2) (n=17), GSF 3 (n=13), GSF 6 (n=8), Blombos Cave (GSF 8, n=14), GSF 9 (n=21),
- in: the Riversdale Magisterial District, Western Cape Province.

The following conditions apply:

- 1. *Turbo* opercula must be selected by the permit holder in consultation with the excavator or curator who must ensure that comparative samples are retained in the collections, and that any samples not used by the analyser are returned to the collections.
- 2. Sampling must be done with minimum damage to the opercula and according to the method outlined in the application from the permit holder.
- 3. The *Turbo* opercula must all be labelled with the relevant accession numbers and all packets and boxes containing the samples must be labelled with accession numbers, the name of the site, and the name and address of the institution where the collection is kept.
- 4. A progress report on the results of the analyses must be submitted to HWC on or before 1 August 2006, and a final report is due on or before 1 December 2006.
- 5. The *Turbo* opercula must be returned to IZIKO: South African Museum after their analysis is completed before or on the expiry date of this permit.
- 6. Reprints of all published papers, or copies of theses or reports resulting from this work must be lodged with HWC.
- 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. HWC 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.
- 9. HWC reserves the right to cancel this permit by notice to the permit holder.

This permit is valid until 1 December 2006.

SENIOR HERITAGE OFFICER. (ARCHAEOLOGIST)	
Date: 2nd December 2005	Place: Cape Town