

**RELOCATION OF SEVEN (7) GRAVES FROM PROJECT 626HM - RHDHV - SAMANCOR, NEAR STEELPOORT, WITHIN THE SEKHUKHUNE DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY, AND THE FETAKGOMO TUBATSE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY IN THE LIMPOPO PROVINCE**



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**CaseID: 25621**  
**PermitID: 4695**

Date: Thursday, 24 July, 2025

**PERMIT: Remove from its original position**

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

Willem Den Heijer  
Samancor Chrome Limited  
Block A, Cullinan Place  
Cullinan Close, Morningside  
Sandton  
2196

SAHRIS Site: 383241

The relocation of seven (07) graves located on Portion 337 of the farm Goudmyn KT, near Steelpoort, within the jurisdiction of the Fetakgomo Tubatse Local Municipality and the Sekhukhune District Municipality, in the Limpopo Province.

This permit is allocated for the exhumation and relocation of seven (07) graves that are protected in terms of section 35 and 36(3) of the National Heritage Resources Act 25 of 1999. A Public Participation was undertaken as part of the process. Exhumation and relocation of graves that fall outside the said prescript must be authorized by the relevant permitting authorities. The following conditions must be adhered to:

Conditions:

1. This permit is issued to Lauren Solomon of PGS Heritage.
2. 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 authorized representatives;
3. 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 site plan;
4. A standard site record form must be lodged on SAHRIS;
5. The graves are to be relocated at Burgersfort cemetery within Fetakgomo Tubatse Local Municipality.
6. A permit report is due by **07 August 2026**. SAHRA reserves the right to withhold further permits if progress is not deemed satisfactory;
7. A request to extend the permit must be submitted at least 2 months before the expiry date;
8. It is the responsibility of the permit holder to inform the community, listed in this application, of the permit being granted within 5 calendar days of receipt of this permit in person/or through the community liaison/ or by electronic means;

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9. It is the responsibility of the permit holder, within 5 days, to inform all affected family members and community that, in terms of NHRA Regulations 21051 April 2000 section 7, they have 14 calendar days from the date of the decision to submit an appeal to the SAHRA council if they object to the granting of this permit;
10. **Dated proof of this notification (condition 9) must be submitted to SAHRA upon the closure of the appeal period. If this condition is not complied with, SAHRA may choose to cancel the permit due to non-compliance with permit conditions.**
11. No activities as permitted by this permit may be actioned until the appeal period is closed.
12. All remains recovered, including relics and artefacts must be reburied along with the human remains;
13. 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;
14. 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;
15. 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;
16. 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;
17. 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;
18. The heritage authority reserves the right to cancel this permit by notice to the permit holder;

Permit Date: 07/08/2025 - 07/08/2026

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This permit may be suspended should an appeal against the decisions be received within 14 days from the date of the permit. The heritage authority 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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**ADMIN:**

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