

## **National Heritage Council of Namibia**

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## CONSENT

(Section 55(9) of the National Heritage Act, 2004 (Act No. 27 of 2004) Consent is hereby given to:

12th April 2024

Consent Number No: 14/2024/16

Name of applicant: Greyrock Capital (Pty) Ltd

(Title and full name of the applicant)

Address of applicant: Windhoek, Namibia

(Address of the applicant and of the applying institution (if applicable)

**For:** Exploration Prospecting License (EPL) 8765 for the exploration of Base and Rare metals, Industrial minerals, Dimension Stone and Precious metals.

(Type of Activity applied for)

Of: Historic rail track, water reserves, rock shelters, burial sites, artefacts, historical buildings.

(Description of Heritage Resources)

From: The area of interest is located about 35 km North of Omaruru, Erongo Region, Namibia. The EPL covers a surface area of 5 876 hectares and overlies farms Epako

South No. 39, Okoronyama No. 41, Kassandara No. 40, Kakombo No. 90, and farm Piechazek No. 236.

(Description of the site, location as in the application)

In accordance with: The Archaeological and Heritage Impact Assessment Report for the proposed mineral on Exclusive Prospective License (EPL) 8765 for the exploration of Base and Rare metals, Industrial minerals, Dimension Stone and Precious metals, Erongo Region.

## Permit application date: -

(Specify relevant documentation and Permit application date)

The following conditions (imposed in terms of section 55(9) of the Act.) apply to this permit:

- a) Farm Kassandara no. 40 should be excluded until a full survey is carried out on this part of the EPL.
- b) A buffer zone of 100 m is to be established around the site with the possible graves.
- c) A buffer zone of 100 m is to be established around the rock shelters within the EPL.
- d) A buffer zone of 200 m is to be created and maintained around the water reserves, old well structures, collecting points and boreholes.
- e) A buffer zone of 100 m is to be created and maintained around the ruins of buildings, historical house and the railway pillars/columns.
- f) Monitoring and evaluation inspection will be carried out on the area during the course of the year.
- g) Failure to adhere to the conditions will attract fines or imprisonment or the retraction of the consent as per the National Heritage Act no. 27 of 2004.
- h) As per Section 55 (9) (a) the activity authorized by this consent be supervised by a person with appropriate professional qualifications or experience.
- The proponent should take caution approaches together with the compliance and of the Chance Find Procedure.

- j) The consent holder is to report back to the National Heritage Council every six (6) months on compliance with the conditions of this consent.
- k) This consent does not exempt the holder from any conditions that may be imposed by owners, hosts or any other relevant authorities in consultation with NHC who have a stake in the project area.
- NHC shall not be liable for any losses, damages or injuries to persons or properties
  as a result of any activities related to this permit.
- m) This Consent is subject to the provisions of the National Heritage Act (Act 27 of 2004). Should any of the conditions contained herein conflict with the Act; the provisions of the Act as per section 55 (10) shall prevail.
- n) This consent is renewable, upon submission of an application at least two months before the current permit lapses.

(List any conditions that the Council may see fit to impose in terms of section 55 (9) of the act.

This Consent will be valid from 12th April 2024 to 11th April 2025.

Director: National Heritage Council of Namibia